## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934 Release No. 87493 / November 7, 2019

Admin. Proc. File No. 3-18808

In the Matter of

MARC JAY BRYANT (a/k/a MARC JAY WELCH),

Respondent.

## ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

On September 20, 2018, the Securities and Exchange Commission issued an order instituting administrative proceedings ("OIP") against respondent Marc Jay Bryant a/k/a Marc Jay Welch ("Bryant"), pursuant to Section 15(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.<sup>1</sup> The OIP directed Bryant to file an answer to the allegations contained therein within twenty days of service of the OIP. Bryant was served with the OIP by September 23, 2018, but failed to file an answer.

On May 31, 2019, the Commission entered an Amended Order to Show Cause directing Bryant to show cause by June 14, 2019, why the Commission should not find him in default.<sup>2</sup> That order directed the Division to file a motion for summary disposition on the issue of remedial sanctions by July 12, 2019 if Bryant did not respond. Bryant did not respond to the order to show cause, but the Division also did not file its motion by July 12, 2019.

The Division now requests additional time to file its motion for summary disposition. Counsel for the Division states that it failed to file its motion for summary disposition due to an inadvertent failure "to calendar the deadline for filing the motion for summary disposition." Counsel requests an extension to file its motion for summary disposition to December 6, 2019.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Marc Jay Bryant, Exchange Act Release No. 84235, 2018 WL 4537201 (Sept. 20, 2018).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Marc Jay Bryant, Exchange Act Release No. 86000, 2019 WL 2324339 (May 31, 2019).

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Pursuant to Commission Rule of Practice 161 and for good cause shown,<sup>3</sup> IT IS ORDERED that the time for the Division to file its motion for summary disposition is extended to December 6, 2019.

For the Commission, by the Office of the General Counsel, pursuant to delegated authority.

Vanessa A. Countryman Secretary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> 17 C.F.R. § 201.161.