

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**  
**Before the**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**  
**Release No. 89111 / June 22, 2020**

**ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING**  
**File No. 3-19830**

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**In the Matter of**

**MATTHEW LEDVINA, Esq.,**

**Respondent.**

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**ORDER OF SUSPENSION PURSUANT  
TO RULE 102(e)(2) OF THE  
COMMISSION'S RULES OF PRACTICE**

**I.**

The Securities and Exchange Commission deems it appropriate to issue an order of forthwith suspension of Matthew Ledvina pursuant to Rule 102(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, 17 C.F.R. § 201.102(e)(2).<sup>1</sup>

**II.**

The Commission finds that:

1. Ledvina is an attorney, whom the States of Tennessee and New York admitted to practice law in 2003. Ledvina resigned his New York license and his Tennessee license is suspended for an administrative matter.

2. On June 3, 2020, United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts entered a judgment of conviction finding Ledvina guilty of one count of conspiracy to commit securities fraud (18 U.S.C. §371) in *United States v. Ledvina*, No.1:18-cr-10445-WGY (D. Mass.). Ledvina's conviction arises out of his role in a securities pump and dump scheme involving the publically traded stock of Environmental Packaging Technologies Holdings, Inc. and CURE Pharmaceutical Holding Corp.

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<sup>1</sup> Rule 102(e)(2) provides in pertinent part: "Any attorney who has been suspended or disbarred by a court of the United States or of any State; . . . or any person who has been convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude shall be forthwith suspended from appearing or practicing before the Commission." See 17 C.F.R. 201.102(e)(2).

3. As a result of this conviction, Ledvina was sentenced to two and a half years of supervised probation and ordered to pay a fine of \$50,000.

**III.**

In view of the foregoing, the Commission finds that Ledvina has been convicted of a felony within the meaning of Rule 102(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice.

Accordingly, it is ORDERED, that Matthew Ledvina is forthwith suspended from appearing or practicing before the Commission pursuant to Rule 102(e)(2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice.

By the Commission.

Vanessa A. Countryman  
Secretary