UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
before the
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
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In the Matter of

GUARDIAN 8 HOLDINGS, IDAHO NORTH RESOURCES CORPORATION, MECKLERMEDIA CORPORATION, AND VERDE SCIENCE, INC.

ORDER DISMISSING PROCEEDING AGAINST VERDE SCIENCE, INC.

On September 26, 2017, the Commission issued an order instituting an administrative proceeding (“OIP”) against Verde Science, Inc. under Section 12(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.1 The OIP alleged that Verde Science had violated periodic reporting requirements and sought to determine, based on those allegations, whether it was “necessary and appropriate for the protection of investors to suspend . . . or revoke” the registration of Verde Science’s securities.

On February 22, 2018, Verde Science filed with the Commission a Form 15 seeking to terminate voluntarily the registration of its securities under Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act.2 Exchange Act Rule 12g-4(a)(1) permits the termination of registration if the issuer certifies that


2 See 17 C.F.R. § 240.12g-4(a) (providing for certification of termination of registration under Exchange Act Section 12(g), 15 U.S.C. § 78l(g), by filing a Form 15).
the class of securities being deregistered is held of record by fewer than 300 persons.\(^3\) In its Form 15, Verde Science certified that the approximate number of holders of record was 85 as of February 22, 2018. Under Rule 12g-4(a), an issuer’s registration is terminated 90 days after the issuer files a Form 15—in this case May 23, 2018.\(^4\)

The Division of Enforcement made no filings with respect to the Form 15 between the time Verde Science filed the Form 15 and the time the Form 15 became effective. After Verde Science’s Form 15 became effective, the Division moved to dismiss the proceeding against Verde Science. Verde Science has not responded to the Division’s motion.

We have determined to grant the Division’s motion. Verde Science no longer has a class of securities registered under Section 12 of the Exchange Act. Because revocation and suspension of registration are the only remedies available in a proceeding instituted under Exchange Act Section 12(j), we find it appropriate to dismiss this proceeding against Verde Science.\(^5\)

Accordingly, it is ORDERED that this proceeding is dismissed with respect to Verde Science, Inc.

By the Commission.

Vanessa A. Countryman
Secretary

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\(^3\) 17 C.F.R. § 240.12g-4(a)(1).

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