

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Before the
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS
Release No. 4779/May 1, 2017

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING
File No. 3-17848

In the Matter of

JAMES P. GRIFFIN

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION

The Securities and Exchange Commission instituted this proceeding against James P. Griffin on February 16, 2017, with an order instituting proceedings under Section 15(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. At the March 27, 2017, telephonic prehearing conference, I set a briefing schedule for summary disposition. *See James P. Griffin*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release No. 4714, 2017 SEC LEXIS 962, at *2 (ALJ Mar. 28, 2017).

The Division of Enforcement submitted its motion for summary disposition on April 18, 2017. On April 28, 2017, the Division submitted a letter to my office stating that on April 26 Griffin and his unit manager at USP Canaan, where Griffin is incarcerated, notified the Division that Griffin had not received the Division's motion for summary disposition. The letter also states that the Division has taken steps to resend its motion to Griffin's unit manager via email, that Griffin would like an extension until May 19 to respond to the Division's motion, and that the Division does not object to this request.

I GRANT Griffin's request and ORDER that his opposition to the Division's motion for summary disposition is due May 19 and the Division's reply is due June 9, 2017.

Brenda P. Murray
Chief Administrative Law Judge