

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

MICHAEL A. BODANZA et al.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No.1:12CV1954

~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER APPOINTING TAX ADMINISTRATOR

THIS CAUSE comes before the court on Plaintiff United States Securities and Exchange Commission's ("Commission") Amended Motion to Appoint Miller Kaplan Arase LLP as Tax Administrator. Being fully advised and for good cause shown it is **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that the Motion is **GRANTED** as follows:

1. Miller Kaplan Arase LLP is appointed as Tax Administrator to execute all income tax reporting requirements, including the preparation and filing of tax returns, for all funds under the Court's jurisdiction in this case (the "Distribution Fund");
2. Miller Kaplan Arase LLP shall be designated as the Tax Administrator of the Distribution Fund, pursuant to section 468B(g) of the Internal Revenue Code, 26 U.S.C. § 468B(g), and related regulations, and shall satisfy the administrative requirements imposed by those regulations, including but not limited to (a) obtaining a tax payer identification number; (b) filing applicable federal, state, and local tax returns and paying taxes

reported thereon out of the Distribution Fund; and (c) satisfying any information, reporting, or withholding requirements imposed on distributions from the Distribution Fund. Upon request, the Tax Administrator shall provide copies of any filings to the Commission's counsel of record;

3. The Tax Administrator shall be entitled to charge reasonable fees and expenses for tax compliance services in accordance with its agreement with the Commission; and
4. The Commission staff is authorized to approve and arrange payment of all future tax obligations and tax administrator fees and expenses owed by the Distribution Fund directly from the Distribution Fund without further order of this Court.

DATED: October 10, 2018

s/ Christopher A. Boyko
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE