UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

Case No.: 19-CV-4137 (KAM)

v.

GARRETT O'ROURKE and MICHAEL J. BLACK,

Defendants.

NOTICE BY THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OF NO OBJECTION PURSUANT TO SECTION III OF ECF NO. 92, ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Pursuant to Section III of the Order to Show Cause entered by this Court (ECF No. 92), Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") hereby notifies the Court that, as of the day of this filing, it has received no objections to the proposed distribution plan (the "Plan", attached to the accompanying proposed Order Approving Distribution Plan). The SEC further confirms that the Plan and the Order to Show Cause have been published in accordance with Section I of that Order. Accordingly, and for the reasons set forth in the attached Memorandum of Law, the SEC respectfully requests that the Court enter the accompanying proposed Order approving the Plan. Prior to submitting this filing, the SEC informed counsel for the defendants of its intent to make this filing and the substance of the filing. Counsel for the defendants have informed the SEC that they have no objection to the entry of the proposed order approving the distribution plan.

Dated: May 20, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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Att: Memorandum in Support

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on May 20, 2021, a true and correct copy of the Notice by the Securities and Exchange Commission of No Objection Pursuant to Section III of ECF No. 92, Order to Show Cause, and related documents, were filed through the Court's CM/ECF system, and accordingly, the document will be sent electronically to counsel for the defendants, both of whom are participants registered to receive electronic notice in this case.

> <u>s/ Catherine E. Pappas</u> Catherine E. Pappas

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(Proposed) Order Approving Distribution Plan

The steps set forth in the Order to Show Cause (ECF No. 92) relating to investor notice of the proposed distribution plan having been completed;

AND, pursuant to the Order to Show Cause, the SEC having filed a Notice informing the

Court that no objections to the proposed plan have been submitted as of the date of that Notice,

and that the Plan and the Order to Show Cause have been published in accordance with Section I

of that Order;

AND having considered all arguments presented and for good cause shown;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The proposed (attached) plan is hereby approved (the "Distribution Plan"); and
- 2. The Distribution Plan shall govern the administration and distribution of collections

in this matter.

Dated: _____, 2021

Kiyo A. Matsumoto U.S. District Judge

Attachment: Approved Plan