

Karen L. Martinez (7914)
Thomas M. Melton (4999)
Lindsay S. McCarthy (5216)
Attorneys for Plaintiff
Securities & Exchange Commission
15 West South Temple, Suite 1800
Salt Lake City, Utah 84101
Tel. 801-524-5796

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF UTAH, CENTRAL DIVISION**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

PLAINTIFF,

v.

NOVUS TECHNOLOGIES, LLC, a Utah limited liability
company, RALPH W. THOMPSON, JR., DUANE C.
JOHNSON, RCH2, LLC, a Utah limited liability company,
ROBERT CASEY HALL and ERIC J. WHEELER

DEFENDANTS,

and

U.S. VENTURES, LC, a Utah limited liability company,
U.S. VENTURES INTERNATIONAL, LLC, a Utah
limited liability company, ROBERT L. HOLLOWAY,
ONLINE STRATEGIES GROUP, INC., a Delaware
corporation, and DAVID STORY

RELIEF DEFENDANTS.

Civil No. 2:07CV00235

Judge Paul G. Cassell

Magistrate Brooke C. Wells

**ORDER IMPOSING INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND STAYING MOTION FOR
CONTEMPT AGAINST DEFENDANT ROBERT CASEY HALL**

The Securities and Exchange Commission having filed a Complaint and
Defendant Robert Casey Hall (“Defendant”) having entered a general appearance;
consented to the Court’s jurisdiction over Defendant and the subject matter of this action;

and without admitting or denying the allegations of the Complaint, has consented to entry of this Order:

I.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant and Defendant's agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Judgment by personal service or otherwise are permanently restrained and enjoined from violating, directly or indirectly, Section 10(b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Exchange Act") [15 U.S.C. § 78j(b)] and Rule 10b-5 promulgated thereunder [17 C.F.R. § 240.10b-5], by using any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, or of the mails, or of any facility of any national securities exchange, in connection with the purchase or sale of any security:

- (a) to employ any device, scheme, or artifice to defraud;
- (b) to make any untrue statement of a material fact or to omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or
- (c) to engage in any act, practice, or course of business which operates or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon any person.

II.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant and Defendant's agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Judgment by personal service or otherwise are permanently restrained and enjoined from violating Section 17(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Securities Act") [15 U.S.C. § 77q(a)] in

the offer or sale of any security by the use of any means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or by use of the mails, directly or indirectly:

- (a) to employ any device, scheme, or artifice to defraud;
- (b) to obtain money or property by means of any untrue statement of a material fact or any omission of a material fact necessary in order to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading; or
- (c) to engage in any transaction, practice, or course of business which operates or would operate as a fraud or deceit upon the purchaser.

III.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant and Defendant's agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Judgment by personal service or otherwise are permanently restrained and enjoined from violating Section 5(a) and (c) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77e(a) and (c)] by, directly or indirectly, in the absence of any applicable exemption:

- (a) Unless a registration statement is in effect as to a security, making use of any means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or of the mails to sell such security through the use or medium of any prospectus or otherwise;
- (b) Unless a registration statement is in effect as to a security, carrying or causing to be carried through the mails or in interstate commerce, by any

means or instruments of transportation, any such security for the purpose of sale or for delivery after sale; or

- (c) Making use of any means or instruments of transportation or communication in interstate commerce or of the mails to offer to sell or offer to buy through the use or medium of any prospectus or otherwise any security, unless a registration statement has been filed with the Commission as to such security, or while the registration statement is the subject of a refusal order or stop order or (prior to the effective date of the registration statement) any public proceeding or examination under Section 8 of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77h].

IV.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant and Defendant's agents, servants, employees, attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Judgment by personal service or otherwise are permanently restrained and enjoined from violating Section 15(a) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C § 78o(a)] by, directly or indirectly make use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce to effect any transactions in, or to induce or attempt to induce the purchase or sale of, any security (other than an exempted security or commercial paper, bankers' acceptances, or commercial bills) unless such broker or dealer is registered in accordance with Section 15(b) of the Securities Act.

V.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the Order to Show Cause Against Defendant is stayed until further order of the Court.

VI.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that in the event the parties do not stipulate to an amount of disgorgement, prejudgment interest and a civil penalty, the Court shall determine whether Defendant shall be ordered to pay disgorgement of any ill-gotten gains, prejudgment interest thereon, and a civil penalty pursuant to Section 20(d) of the Securities Act [15 U.S.C. § 77t(d)] and Section 21(d)(3) of the Exchange Act [15 U.S.C. § 78u(d)(3)]. The Court shall determine the amounts of the disgorgement, prejudgment interest and civil penalty, if any, at a hearing upon motion of the Commission.

VII.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that this Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for the purposes of enforcing the terms of this Judgment.

Dated: July 2, 2007


UNITED STATES ~~DISTRICT~~ JUDGE
Magistrate

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ Paul T. Moxley
Paul T. Moxley
Counsel for R. Casey Hall