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

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS RULINGS Release No. 4458/December 16, 2016

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-17558

In the Matter of

BLUFOREST, INC.

ORDER DIRECTING PARTIES TO CONFER AND FILE STIPULATION

On December 1, 2016, the Division of Enforcement filed a third declaration of service stating: (i) the order instituting proceedings (OIP) had been sent via Federal Express to Bluforest, Inc., in Quito, Ecuador; (ii) the OIP was delivered on November 28, 2016, and signed for by an "A. Juarez"; and (iii) that the president of Bluforest, Charles Miller, confirmed to the Division by phone on November 29, 2016, that he had received the OIP, provided the Division with updated contact information, and said that Bluforest may retain an attorney for this proceeding. To date, Bluforest has not appeared or filed an answer.

I ORDER the parties to confer, and by December 30, 2016, file a joint stipulation stating the date that service of the OIP on Bluforest occurred and providing a due date for Bluforest's answer. If no such stipulation is filed by December 30, 2016, then the Division shall file another declaration by January 6, 2017, specifically addressing the service concerns raised in my order of November 8, 2016. *See Bluforest, Inc.*, Admin. Proc. Rulings Release No. 4335, 2016 SEC LEXIS 4177.

Jason S. Patil Administrative Law Judge