

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
DEPARTMENT OF SECURITIES
FIRST NATIONAL CENTER, SUITE 860
120 NORTH ROBINSON
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73102



In the Matter of:

Copper Canyon Developments Inc.,
Samarth Verma, Harold John Shields and
Frances Barrick,

Respondents.

ODS File No. 09-064

NOTICE OF SERVICE ON THE ADMINISTRATOR
AND
AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE

STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
) SS.
COUNTY OF OKLAHOMA)

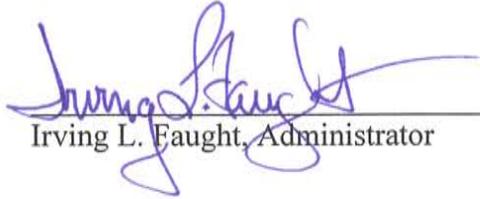
The undersigned affiant, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath deposes and states:

1. That he is the Administrator of the Oklahoma Department of Securities (“Department”).
2. That the attached copy of the *Order to Cease and Desist and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing* (“*Order and Notice*”) was delivered to Affiant in the office of the Administrator of the Department (“Administrator”) pursuant to Section 1-611 of the Oklahoma Uniform Securities Act (“Act”), Okla. Stat. tit. 71, §§ 1-101 through 1-701 (Supp. 2009).
3. That the Administrator has received service of process on behalf of Respondents pursuant to Section 1-611 of the Act.
4. That a copy of the *Order and Notice*, and a copy of this *Notice of Service on the Administrator and Affidavit of Compliance*, are being sent this 27th day of January, by certified mail, return receipt requested, delivery restricted to addressee, to the last known address of Respondents, in compliance with Section 1-611 of the Act.
5. That this Affidavit of Compliance is declared filed of record as of the date set forth below in compliance with Section 1-611 of the Act.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

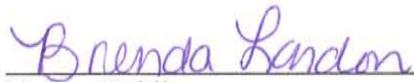
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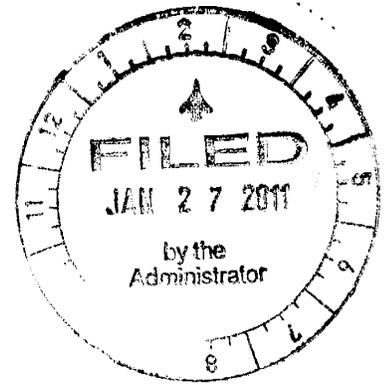

Irving L. Faught, Administrator

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of January, 2011.




Brenda London
Notary Public

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Order to Cease and Desist

Pursuant to the Oklahoma Uniform Securities Act of 2004 (Act), Okla. Stat. tit. 71, §§ 1-101 through 1-701 (Supp. 2009), an investigation was conducted by the Oklahoma Department of Securities (Department) into the activities of Copper Canyon Developments Inc., Samarth Verma, Harold John Shields and Frances Barrick (collectively, "Respondents"), in connection with the offer, sale and/or purchase of securities in and/or from Oklahoma. Based thereon, the following Findings of Fact, Authorities, and Conclusions of Law are presented in support of sanction(s) against Respondents.

Findings of Fact

1. Copper Canyon Developments Inc. (Copper Canyon) is a Nevada corporation with its principal place of business in Nevada. At all times relevant hereto, Copper Canyon was controlled by Samarth Verma.
2. Samarth Verma (Verma), an individual, is the President, Treasurer and a Director of Copper Canyon. Verma is not, and at all times material hereto was not, registered in any capacity under the Act.
3. Harold John Shields (Shields), an individual, is a Director of Copper Canyon. Shields is not, and at all times material hereto was not, registered in any capacity under the Act.
4. Frances Barrick (Barrick), an individual, is a Director of Copper Canyon. Barrick is not, and at all times material hereto was not, registered in any capacity under the Act.

5. Beginning in November, 2008, Respondents advertised and hosted a sales presentation in Oklahoma at which they solicited money from Oklahoma residents (Investors) to purchase Copper Canyon corporate promissory notes (Notes). The presentation was conducted by Shields and Barrick.

6. Respondents offered Investors an annual return of 18% on the investment and the opportunity to earn additional compensation in the form of marketing referral fees by soliciting other people to invest in the Notes.

7. The Notes were not registered under the Act and no filing to claim an exemption from registration was filed under the Act.

To the extent any of these Findings of Fact are more properly characterized as Conclusions of Law, they should be so considered.

Authorities

1. Section 1-102 of the Act provides in pertinent part:

2. "Agent" means an individual, other than a broker-dealer, who represents a broker-dealer in effecting or attempting to effect purchases or sales of securities or represents an issuer in effecting or attempting to effect purchases or sales of the issuer's securities. A partner, officer, or director of a broker-dealer or issuer, or an individual having a similar status or performing similar functions is an agent only if the individual otherwise comes within the term.

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19. "Issuer" means a person that issues or proposes to issue a security[.]

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32. "Security" means a note; stock; treasury stock; security future; bond; debenture; evidence of indebtedness; certificate of interest or participation in a profit-sharing agreement; collateral trust certificate; preorganization certificate or subscription; transferable share; investment contract; voting trust certificate; certificate of deposit for a security; fractional undivided interest in oil, gas, or other mineral rights; put, call, straddle, option, or privilege on a security, certificate of deposit, or group or index of securities, including an interest therein or based on the value thereof; put, call, straddle, option, or privilege entered into on a national securities exchange relating to foreign currency; or, in general, an interest or instrument commonly known as a "security," or a certificate of interest or participation in, temporary or interim certificate for, receipt for, guarantee of, or warrant or right to subscribe to or purchase, any of the foregoing. The term:

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- d. includes as an “investment contract” an investment in a common enterprise with the expectation of profits to be derived primarily from the efforts of a person other than the investor and a “common enterprise” means an enterprise in which the fortunes of the investor are interwoven with those of either the person offering the investment, a third party, or other investors[.]

2. Section 1-301 of the Act provides in part:

It is unlawful for a person to offer or sell a security in this state unless:

1. The security is a federal covered security;
2. The security, transaction, or offer is exempted from registration under Sections 6 through 8 of this act [Sections 1-201 through 1-203 of this title]; or
3. The security is registered under this act.

3. Section 1-402 of the Act provides in pertinent part:

A. It is unlawful for an individual to transact business in this state as an agent unless the individual is registered under this act as an agent or is exempt from registration as an agent under subsection B of this section.

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D. It is unlawful for a broker-dealer, or an issuer engaged in offering, selling, or purchasing securities in this state, to employ or associate with an agent who transacts business in this state on behalf of broker-dealers or issuers unless the agent is registered under subsection A of this section or exempt from registration under subsection B of this section.

4. Section 1-602 of the Act provides in part:

A. The Administrator may:

1. Conduct public or private investigations within or outside of this state which the Administrator considers necessary or appropriate to determine whether a person has violated, is violating, or is about to violate this act or a rule adopted or order issued under this act, or to aid in the enforcement of this act or in the adoption of rules and forms under this act[.]

5. Section 1-604 of the Act provides in pertinent part:

A. If the Administrator determines that a person has engaged, is engaging, or is about to engage in an act, practice, or course of business constituting a violation of this act or a rule adopted or order issued under this act or constituting a dishonest or unethical practice or that a person has materially aided, is materially aiding, or is about to materially aid an act, practice, or course of business constituting a violation of this act or a rule adopted or order issued under this act or constituting a dishonest or unethical practice, the Administrator may:

1. Issue an order directing the person to cease and desist from engaging in the act, practice, or course of business or to take other action necessary or appropriate to comply with this act[.]

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B. An order under subsection A of this section is effective on the date of issuance. Upon issuance of the order, the Administrator shall promptly serve each person subject to the order with a copy of the order and a notice that the order has been entered. The order must include a statement whether the Administrator will seek a civil penalty or costs of the investigation, a statement of the reasons for the order, and notice that, within fifteen (15) days after receipt of a request in a record from the person, the matter will be scheduled for a hearing and the hearing shall be commenced within fifteen (15) days of the matter being set for hearing. If a person subject to the order does not request a hearing and none is ordered by the Administrator, within thirty (30) days after the date of service of the order, the order, that may include a civil penalty or costs of the investigation if a civil penalty or costs were sought in the statement accompanying the order, becomes final as to that person by operation of law. If a hearing is requested or ordered, the Administrator, after notice of and opportunity for hearing to each person subject to the order, may modify or vacate the order or extend it until final determination.

C. If a hearing is requested or ordered pursuant to subsection B of this section, a hearing must be held pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act. A final order may not be issued unless the Administrator makes findings of fact and conclusions of law in a record in accordance with the Administrative Procedures Act. The final order may make final, vacate, or modify the order issued under subsection A of this section.

D. In a final order under subsection C of this section, the Administrator may impose a civil penalty up to a maximum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for a single violation or up to Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) for multiple violations in a single proceeding or a series of related proceedings.

E. In a final order, the Administrator may charge the actual cost of an investigation or proceeding for a violation of this act or a rule adopted or order issued under this act.

Conclusions of Law

1. The Notes are securities as defined by Section 1-102 of the Act.
2. Respondents offered and/or sold securities in and/or from the state of Oklahoma.
3. Respondents offered and/or sold unregistered securities in and/or from this state, in violation of Section 1-301 of the Act.
4. Verma, Shields and Barrick transacted business in and/or from this state as unregistered agents, in violation of Section 1-402 of the Act.
5. Copper Canyon is the issuer of the securities.
6. Copper Canyon employed unregistered agents who transacted business in and/or from this state on behalf of Copper Canyon, in violation of Section 1-402 of the Act.
7. The Administrator has the authority to order Respondents to cease and desist from engaging in acts, practices, or a course of business constituting a violation of the Act.
8. It is in the public interest to order Respondents to cease and desist from engaging in acts, practices, or a course of business constituting a violation of the Act.

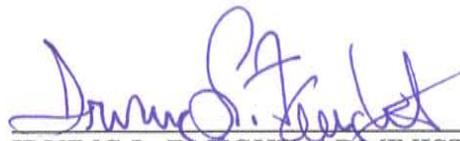
To the extent any of these Conclusions of Law are more properly characterized as Findings of Fact, they should be so considered.

Order

Based on Section 1-604 of the Act and the Findings of Fact, Authorities, and Conclusions of Law set forth above, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondents immediately cease and desist from offering and selling unregistered securities, transacting business in and/or from this state as an unregistered agent, and/or employing an unregistered agent or agents in violation of the Act.

Witness my Hand and the Official Seal of the Oklahoma Department of Securities this 27th of January, 2011.

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IRVING L. FAUGHT, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF SECURITIES

Notice of Opportunity for Hearing

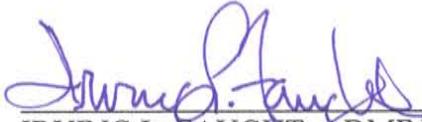
Pursuant to Section 1-604 of the Act, the Administrator hereby gives notice to Respondents of their right to request a hearing. The request for hearing must be received by the Administrator within thirty (30) days after service of the Order to Cease and Desist (Order). The request for hearing must be in writing and Respondents shall specifically admit or deny each allegation that is contained in the Order.

Within fifteen (15) days after receipt of a request for hearing from Copper Canyon, Verma, Shields or Barrick, this matter will be scheduled for hearing. The hearing shall commence within fifteen (15) days of the matter being set for hearing. Notice of the date, time and location of the hearing shall be given to Respondents. If a hearing is requested, the Administrator, after notice of and opportunity for hearing, may modify or vacate the Order or extend it until final determination.

If a Respondent does not request a hearing within thirty (30) days after the date of service of the Order and none is ordered by the Administrator, the Order becomes final by operation of law as to each such Respondent.

Witness my Hand and the Official Seal of the Oklahoma Department of Securities this 27th day of January, 2011.

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IRVING L. FAUGHT, ADMINISTRATOR OF THE
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

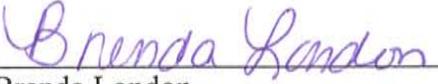
The undersigned hereby certifies that on the 27th day of January, 2011, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing *Order to Cease and Desist and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing* was mailed by certified mail, return receipt requested, delivery restricted, with postage prepaid thereon, addressed to:

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Brenda London
Paralegal