## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Before the SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION September 24, 2004

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING File No. 3-11683

In the Matter of

EMEX CORPORATION,

Respondent.

ORDER INSTITUTING PUBLIC ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDINGS AND NOTICE OF HEARING PURSUANT TO SECTION 12(j) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

I.

The Securities and Exchange Commission ("Commission") deems it necessary and appropriate for the protection of investors that public administrative proceedings be, and hereby are, instituted pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") against Emex Corporation ("Emex" or "Respondent").

II.

After an investigation, the Division of Enforcement ("Division") alleges that:

- A. Emex's common stock is registered with the Commission pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Exchange Act;
- B. Emex is a Nevada corporation formerly headquartered in New York, New York;
- C. Emex purportedly focused on developing innovative technologies for exploiting energy resources, in particular natural gas, and on mining gold and other metals and minerals;
- D. Emex is delinquent in making its required periodic filings with the Commission;
- E. Emex failed to file annual reports on Form 10-KSB for the years ended December 31, 2002 and December 31, 2003; and

- F. Emex failed to file quarterly reports on Form 10-QSB for the quarters ended: March 31, 2003; June 30, 2003; September 30, 2003; and March 31, 2004.
- G. As a result of the conduct described above, Emex has failed to comply with Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act and Rules 13a-1 and 13a-13 thereunder. Exchange Act Section 13(a) and the rules promulgated thereunder require issuers of securities registered pursuant to Exchange Act Section 12 to file with the Commission current and accurate information in periodic reports, even if the registration is voluntary under Section 12(g). Specifically, Rule 13a-1 requires issuers to file annual reports (Forms 10-K or 10-KSB), and Rule 13a-13 requires issuers to file quarterly reports (Forms 10-Q or 10-QSB).

III.

In view of the allegations made by the Division, the Commission deems it necessary and appropriate for the protection of investors that public proceedings be instituted pursuant to Section 12(j) of the Exchange Act to determine:

- A. Whether the allegations contained in Section II of this Order are true, and to afford Emex an opportunity to establish defenses to such allegations; and
- B. Whether it is necessary and appropriate for the protection of investors to suspend or revoke the registration of all securities of Emex registered pursuant to Section 12 of the Exchange Act.

IV.

IT IS ORDERED that a public hearing for the purpose of taking evidence on the questions set forth in Section III hereof shall be convened at a time and place to be fixed, and before an Administrative Law Judge to be designated by further order as provided by Rule 110 of the Commission's Rules of Practice [17 C.F.R. § 201.110].

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Respondent shall file an Answer to the allegations contained in this Order within twenty days after service of this Order, as provided by Rule 220 of the Commission's Rules of Practice [17 C.F.R. § 201.220].

If Respondent fails to file the directed Answer, or fails to appear at a hearing after being duly notified, the Respondent may be deemed in default and the proceedings may be determined against it upon consideration of this Order, the allegations of which may be deemed to be true as provided by Rules 155(a), 220(f), 221(f) and 310 of the Commission's Rules of Practice [17 C.F.R. §§ 201.155(a), 201.220(f), 201.221(f) and 201.310].

This Order shall be served forthwith upon Respondent personally or by certified mail.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Administrative Law Judge shall issue an initial decision no later than 120 days from the date of service of this Order, pursuant to Rule 360(a)(2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice [17 C.F.R. § 201.360(a)(2)].

In the absence of an appropriate waiver, no officer or employee of the Commission engaged in the performance of investigative or prosecuting functions in this or any factually related proceeding will be permitted to participate or advise in the decision on this matter, except as witness or counsel in the proceedings held pursuant to notice.

Since this proceeding is not "rule making" within the meaning of Section 551 of the Administrative Procedure Act, it is not deemed subject to the provisions of Section 553 delaying the effective date of any final Commission action.

By the Commission.

Jonathan G. Katz Secretary