

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Before the
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Securities Exchange Act of 1934
Release No. 59269 / January 21, 2009

Administrative Proceeding
File No. 3-12341

In the Matter of	:	
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WEISS RESEARCH, INC.,	:	ORDER APPROVING
MARTIN WEISS, AND	:	APPLICATION OF DISTRIBUTION
LAWRENCE EDELSON	:	ADMINISTRATOR FOR
	:	FEES AND EXPENSES

Respondents.

On June 22, 2006, the Commission instituted settled administrative proceedings against Weiss Research, Inc., Martin Weiss, and Lawrence Edelson (collectively, "Respondents") for violations of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 in connection with their operation of an unregistered investment adviser and the production and distribution of materially false and misleading marketing materials. See Order Instituting Public Administrative and Cease-and-Desist Proceedings, Making Findings, and Imposing Remedial Sanctions and a Cease-and-Desist Order Pursuant to Sections 203(e), 203(f), and 203(k) of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, Admin. Proc. File No. 3-12341 (Investment Advisers Act Rel. No. 2525) (June 22, 2006) ("Order"). Among other things, the Commission ordered the Respondents to pay a total of \$2,166,142 in disgorgement, prejudgment interest, and penalties, and authorized the creation of a Fair Fund to distribute this money to the harmed investors. The Commission has since issued an order approving the proposed distribution plan. See Order Approving Distribution Plan, Admin. Proc. File No. 3-12341 (Aug 23, 2007) (Exchange Act Rel. No. 56310).

The Administrator has submitted detailed invoices for his fees and expenses incurred during the quarters ended June 30, 2008, and September 30, 2008. The Commission staff, having reviewed the invoices, finds the total fees and expenses of \$44,001 to be reasonable and in accordance with the Distribution Plan. The Commission staff has requested that the Commission authorize payment for the Administrator's fees and expenses in the amount of \$44,001 from the Fair Fund.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to Rule 1105(d) of the Commission's Rules on Fair Fund and Disgorgement Plans, 17 C.F. R. § 201.1105(d), that the Administrator's current fees and expenses in the amount of \$44,001 be paid from the Fair Fund.

By the Commission.

Elizabeth M. Murphy
Secretary