

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING
FILE NO. 3-12923

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Before the
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
February 19, 2008


In the Matter of :
:
K.W. BROWN & COMPANY, :
21ST CENTURY ADVISORS, INC., : ORDER
K.W. BROWN INVESTMENTS, INC., :
KENNETH BROWN, WENDY BROWN, :
AND MICHAEL CIMILLUCA, JR. :
:

On February 11, 2008, James B. Koch (Koch) of Gardiner Koch & Weisberg, counsel for Respondents K.W. Brown & Company, 21st Century Advisors, Inc., K.W. Brown Investments, Inc., Kenneth Brown, and Wendy Brown (collectively, Respondents), filed a motion to withdraw as counsel for Respondents.

Under Rule 102(d)(4) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, a notice of withdrawal must be filed at least five days before the proposed effective date of the withdrawal. However, under Rule 160(a) of the Commission's Rules of Practice, intermediate Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays are excluded from a time computation when the period prescribed is seven days or less. Thus, a notice of withdrawal becomes effective no less than five business days after the filing date.

IT IS ORDERED THAT Koch's withdrawal as counsel for Respondents will be effective subject to Rules 102(d)(4) and 160(a) of the Commission's Rules of Practice; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT, in the event Respondents are represented by new counsel, a notice of appearance be filed immediately with the Commission in accordance with Rule 102(d)(2) of the Commission's Rules of Practice.¹


Robert G. Mahony
Administrative Law Judge

¹ On February 13, 2008, the law firm of Fowler White Boggs and Banker P.A., filed a Notice of Appearance for Respondent Kenneth Brown. No other notices of appearance have been received by this Office to date.