

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
SHERMAN DIVISION**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION :

Plaintiff, :

v. :

Civil Action No.: 4:17-cv-00336-ALM

THURMAN P. BRYANT, III, :
BRYANT UNITED CAPITAL FUNDING, INC., :
ARTHUR F. WAMMEL, :
WAMMEL GROUP, LLC, :
CARLOS GOODSPEED a/k/a SEAN PHILLIPS :
a/k/a GC d/b/a TOP AGENT ENTERTAINMENT :
d/b/a MR. TOP AGENT ENTERTAINMENT, :

Defendants, :

THURMAN P. BRYANT, JR., :

Relief Defendant. :

**PLAINTIFF SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION’S
STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL AS TO RELIEF DEFENDANT
THURMAN P. BRYANT, JR.**

Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission (the “Commission”) respectfully files this Stipulation of Dismissal as to Relief Defendant Thurman P. Bryant, Jr. (“Stipulation”), and respectfully shows the Court the following:

1. Pursuant to Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(ii) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure (the “Rules,”) the Commission hereby dismisses its claims against Relief Defendant Thurman P. Bryant, Jr. (“Bryant Jr.”) in the above-captioned lawsuit (the “Lawsuit”) without prejudice to refile same. This is the first such dismissal as to Bryant Jr.

2. All parties who have appeared in the Lawsuit have signed this Stipulation as agreed to form and substance as is required by Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(ii).

3. Voluntary dismissal by stipulation is effective on filing and does not require the Court's approval. *See SmallBizPros, Inc. v. MacDonald*, 618 F.3d 458, 461 (5th Cir. 2010). However, in the interest of clarity and per the Court's direction, the Commission herewith submits a proposed Order of Dismissal, and respectfully requests that the Court enter such an order. *See also* FED. R. CIV. P. 41(a)(2).

4. The relief requested herein is not sought for the purpose of delay but so that justice may be done.

PRAYER

For the foregoing reasons, the Commission, along with all parties who have appeared, stipulate to the dismissal of the Commission's claims in the Lawsuit against Bryant Jr. without prejudice to the refiling of same, and respectfully request that the Court enter the Order of Dismissal.

Dated: November 6, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jason P. Reinsch

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Bryant Jr.**

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on November 6, 2018, I electronically filed the foregoing *Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission's Stipulation of Dismissal as to Relief Defendant Thurman P. Bryant, Jr.* with the Clerk of Court for the Eastern District of Texas, Sherman Division using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of electronic filing to all counsel of record who have consented to electronic notification. I further certify that I mailed the foregoing document and the notice of electronic filing by first-class mail to all non-CM/ECF participants.

/s/ Jason P. Reinsch _____

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ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Before the Court is Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission’s Stipulation of Dismissal as to Relief Defendant Thurman P. Bryant, Jr. (the “Stipulation”). Having considered the Stipulation and the record in this case, the Court is of the opinion that the request set forth in the Stipulation should be GRANTED. Therefore, it is:

ORDERED that Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission’s claims in the above-captioned lawsuit against Relief Defendant Thurman P. Bryant, Jr. are hereby dismissed without prejudice to refile same.

IT IS SO ORDERED.