

SEC Interprets Section 3(a)(10) Exemption from Registration Requirements of the Securities Act of 1933 and Resale Status of Securities that are Received in Section 3(a)(10) Exempt Transactions

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The Division of Corporation Finance (the "Division") of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") recently issued a legal bulletin expressing its views regarding the resale status of securities received in a transaction exempt from registration pursuant to Section 3(a)(10) of the Securities Act of 1933.1 This memorandum summarizes the SEC's views on the Section 3(a)(10) exemption and the resale status of securities received in such an exempt transaction.