



U.S. COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION
Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, NW, Washington, DC 20581

THOMAS W. STARKS,

Complainant,

v.

AMERICAN FINANCIAL TRADING CORP.,
SUSAN MEADE LEE
and TED LAMAR ROMEO,

Respondents.

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CFTC Docket No. 99-0233

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ORDER DISMISSING REPARATION PROCEEDING

Having settled this matter, the parties filed a written stipulation of dismissal in accordance with 17 C.F.R. §12.21(a). Stipulation For Dismissal With Prejudice, filed July 23, 1999 ("Stipulation of Dismissal"). The Stipulation of Dismissal represented that the settlement agreement provided for periodic payments to complainant, with the final payment to be made on or about November 30, 1999. Id. Accordingly, the Court issued an order staying this proceeding to ensure performance under the terms of the agreement. Order Staying Proceeding, dated July 26, 1999.

The Court's July 26, 1999 Order stated that if no party requested further proceedings by December 7, 1999, the Court would enter an order of dismissal. Accordingly, since there is no such request pending, the Complaint is hereby **DISMISSED** with prejudice and the matter is terminated in its entirety. 17 C.F.R. §12.21(c).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

On this 8th day of December, 1999

Bruce C. Levine
Administrative Law Judge