



U.S. COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Three Lafayette Centre
1155 21st Street, NW, Washington, DC 20581

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GLENN J. WHITMORE,
Complainant

v.

ALLAN STEVEN ADER, COMMONWEALTH
FINANCIAL GROUP, INC., MICHAEL
FRIEDMAN, and MICHAEL JAMES
RENDINA, JR.,
Respondents

CFTC Docket No. 97-R041

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Respondents Ader, Friedman, and Rendina have entered into settlements with complainant. Accordingly, the proceeding is DISMISSED as to those respondents.

Respondent Commonwealth is no longer a party to this proceeding, a default order against that respondent having become final (see letter of Proceedings Clerk, October 3, 1997). The settlement entered into between complainant and Commonwealth thus should be treated by the Proceedings Clerk as a Notice of Satisfaction pursuant to CFTC Rule 12.407, but this Order of Dismissal has no effect on Commonwealth and does not serve to vacate the default.

Dated: November 26, 1997

Joel R. Maillie
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Judgment Officer

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