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**BEFORE THE DIVISION OF SECURITIES
OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OF THE STATE OF UTAH**

IN THE MATTER OF:

**WEST STATES INVESTMENTS, INC.
JAMES KIM BROWN,**

Respondents.

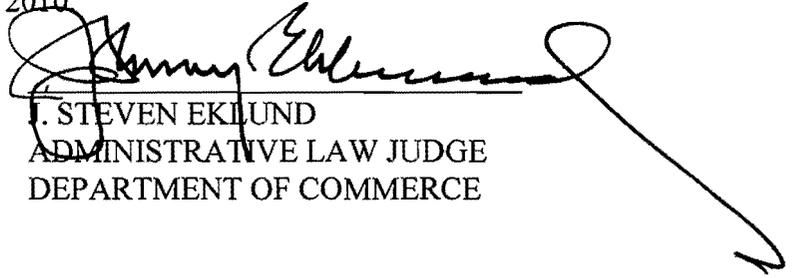
**ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO
STAY PROCEEDINGS**

**Docket No. SD 10-0063
Docket No. SD 10-0064**

Upon motion of West States Investments, Inc. (West States) and James Kim Brown (Brown) for a stay of the administrative proceeding, the response of the Division of Securities, and for good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the administrative proceeding against West States and Brown is stayed pending the outcome of the criminal proceeding in a companion case.

DATED this 4th day of October 2010


STEVEN EKLUND
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE



CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, Julie Price, hereby certify that I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Order Granting Motion to Stay Proceedings** on West States Investments, Inc. and James Kim Brown by mailing a copy to the following:

West States Investments, Inc.
James Kim Brown
11064 Sir Barton Lane
South Jordan, UT 84695

DATED this 4th day of October 2010.



Julie Price