

STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
DIVISION OF BANKING AND SECURITIES

IN THE MATTER OF:)
ERIC V. BARTOLI and)
ST. ANDREWS INVESTMENTS, LLC)
Respondents.)

ORDER NO. 14-1898-S
FINAL CEASE AND DESIST ORDER
ASSESSING CIVIL PENALTIES

The Director of the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development, Division of Banking and Securities (“Administrator”), has conducted an investigation into certain activities of Eric V. Bartoli (“Bartoli”) and St. Andrews Investments, LLC (“St. Andrews”), (collectively, the “Respondents”), and has determined that Respondents violated certain provisions of the Alaska Securities Act, Alaska Statute (AS) 45.55.

I. BACKGROUND

On March 16, 2015, the Administrator sent a Temporary Cease and Desist Order Effectively Immediately, Assessing Civil Penalties, with Notice of Hearing Rights and Notice of Final Cease and Desist Order (“Temporary Cease and Desist”) by certified mail, return receipt requested, to St. Andrew’s registered agent at 3753 Howard Hughes Pkwy., Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89169.

On March 20, 2015, the registered agent received and signed for the Temporary Cease and Desist.

1 Bartoli and St. Andrews made no request for a hearing within 15 days after the
2 Temporary Cease and Desist was received by the registered agent.

3 **II. FACTS**

4 1. Bartoli is a resident of Peru.

5 2. Bartoli formed St. Andrews, entity no. E0656532012-3, in the State of Nevada on
6 December 21, 2012. The registered agent was located at 3753 Howard Hughes Pkwy., Suite
7 200, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89169.

8 3. In December 2012, Alaska resident J.C. started reading investment articles in the
9 LeMetropole Café written by an individual named Robert Martin Williams. At the time, J.C.
10 did not know that Robert Martin Williams was an alias used by Bartoli (Robert Martin
11 Williams will hereinafter be referred to as Bartoli).

12 4. After six months of reading Bartoli's articles, J.C. began communicating with him.
13 Bartoli informed J.C. that it was a good time to invest in bonds and commodities, and that J.C.
14 could start making those investments through St. Andrews.

15 5. Over the course of the next four months, J.C. wire transferred a total of \$120,000 to
16 the Banco Internacional Del Peru (account no. *****1418) to invest in bonds and
17 commodities with St. Andrews:

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DATE	AMOUNT
July 1, 2013	\$40,000
August 5, 2013	\$40,000
September 30, 2013	\$25,000
November 20, 2013	\$15,000

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IV. ORDER and NOTICE

Pursuant to AS 45.55.920, and on the basis of the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, the Administrator ORDERS Respondents to:

1. CEASE AND DESIST from defrauding investors in the State of Alaska.
2. Pay a civil penalty in the amount of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

Respondents are jointly and severally liable for complying with the terms of this Order including payment of the civil penalty.

Pursuant to AS 45.55.940(a), Respondents may obtain a review of this Final Order in the superior court by filing, in accordance with the Rules of Appellate Procedure, a notice of appeal. Pursuant to Appellate Rule 602(a)(2), the notice of appeal must be filed within 30 days from the date this Final Order is mailed or otherwise distributed to Respondents.

This ORDER is a publicly disclosable document.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

CHRIS HLADICK, Commissioner
Department of Commerce, Community and
Economic Development

DATED: 4/14/15 _____

/s/ Kevin Anselm

BY: Kevin Anselm, Director
Division of Banking and Securities