STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Banking Department 53 Regional Drive, Suite 200

Concord, New Hampshire 03301

In the Matter of:

Docket No. 08-381

Empire Equity Group (d/b/a First Metropolitan of NY), et al.

(the "Respondents")

ORDER TO CONTINUE ADJUDICATIVE HEARING

Due to the Presiding Officer's need for a continuance of said hearing, it is hereby

ORDERED, that the hearing in this matter originally scheduled for Friday, November 21, 2008

at 10:00 a.m. is continued until Thursday, January 22, 2009 at 10:00 a.m.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that any proposed exhibits shall be pre-marked (as set out

in the Notice of Hearing), for identification only, and filed with the Department and provided to

the opposing party no later than Friday, January 16, 2009.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the parties shall exchange a list of all exhibits and

witnesses to be called at the hearing with a brief summary by Friday, January 16, 2009 and shall

at the same time file a copy of their respective witness lists with the Presiding Officer.

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the Noti	ce of Hearing	shall remain in	effect.				

SO ORDERED

<u>/s/</u> Date: <u>11/20/08</u>

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Ingrid E. White
Presiding Officer