



That same day, the Court entered a Statutory Restraining Order that, among other things, restrained Friant's assets. Statutory Restraining Order, ECF No. 4. On November 15, 2012, the Court entered a Consent Order of Permanent Injunction and Other Statutory and Equitable Relief against Defendant Friant ("Consent Order of Permanent Injunction"). Consent Order, ECF No. 39. The Consent Order of Permanent Injunction resolved the liability portions of this case as to Friant.

## II. CONSENTS AND AGREEMENTS

To resolve the remaining issues of necessary statutory and equitable relief regarding disgorgement and civil monetary penalties in this case (as provided in paragraphs 53, 54, 55, and 56 of Section IV of the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction), without further judicial proceedings, Friant hereby:

1. Consents to the entry of this Supplemental Consent Order of Disgorgement, Civil Monetary Penalty, and Other Equitable Relief Against Defendant Friant ("Supplemental Consent Order").
2. Affirms that Friant has agreed to this Supplemental Consent Order voluntarily, and that no promise, other than as specifically contained herein, or threat, has been made by the Commission or any member, officer, agent or representative thereof, or by any other person, to induce consent to this Supplemental Consent Order;
3. Waives:
  - a. any and all claims that Friant may possess under the Equal Access to Justice Act, 5 U.S.C. §504 (2006) and 28 U.S.C. §2412 (2006), and the rules promulgated by the Commission in conformity therewith, Part 148 of

the Regulations, 17 C.F.R. §148.1, *et seq.* (2013), relating to, or arising from, this action;

- b. any and all claims that he may possess under the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996, Pub. L. No. 104-121, §§ 201-253, 110 Stat. 847, 857-868 (1996), as amended by Pub. L. No. 110-28, § 8302, 121 Stat. 112, 204-205 (2007), relating to, or arising from, this action;
- c. any and all claims of Double Jeopardy based upon the institution of this proceeding or the entry in this proceeding of any order imposing a civil monetary penalty or any other relief, including this Supplemental Consent Order; and
- d. any and all rights of appeal from this Supplemental Consent Order;

4. Agrees that Friant, nor any of his agents or employees acting under their authority or control shall take any action or make any public statement denying, directly or indirectly, any allegations in the Complaint or findings of fact or conclusions of law in this Supplemental Consent Order, or creating, or tending to create, the impression that the Complaint or this Supplemental Consent Order is without a factual basis; provided, however, that nothing in this provision shall affect Friant's (i) testimonial obligations, or (ii) rights to take legal, factual or equitable positions in other proceedings to which the Commission is not a party. Friant shall take all necessary steps to ensure that all of their agents and employees understand and comply with this agreement.

5. Consents to the continued jurisdiction of this Court over them for the purpose of implementing and carrying out the terms and conditions of all orders and decrees that may be

entered herein, to entertain any suitable application or motion for additional relief within the jurisdiction of the Court, to assure compliance with this Supplemental Consent Order and for any other purpose relevant to this action, even if Friant, now or in the future, reside outside the jurisdiction of this Court;

6. Agrees that no provision in this Supplemental Consent Order shall in any way affect their obligation to comply with or otherwise modify the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction; and

7. Agrees that no provision of this Supplemental Consent Order shall in any way limit or impair the ability of any other person or entity to seek any legal or equitable remedy against Friant in any other proceeding.

8. The Consent Order of Permanent Injunction remains in full force and effect. Nothing in this order amends or alters, in any way, the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction.

### **III. FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

The Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in Sections II of the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction are incorporated herein by reference and given preclusive effect as provided in Paragraph 57 of Section IV (Statutory and Equitable Relief) of the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction.

### **IV. DISGORGEMENT AND INTEREST**

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Friant shall fully comply with the following terms, conditions, and obligations relating to the payment of disgorgement and interest thereon:

**A. Disgorgement and Restitution:**

9. Pursuant to paragraphs 53 and 54 of the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction, Friant shall pay disgorgement and restitution, plus post-judgment interest, to clients (collectively “Disgorgement Obligation”).

10. Friant shall disgorge the amount of one hundred fifty-four thousand two hundred thirty-seven dollars (\$154,237) plus interest as set forth below as the sum of his Disgorgement Obligation.

11. Friant shall disgorge all funds to Guy M. Hohmann, in his capacity as the Receiver for Defendants Senen Pousa, Investment Intelligence Corporation *dba* ProphetMax Managed FX, and Joel Friant (the “ProphetMax Receivership Estate”), appointed pursuant to Section III (Temporary Receiver) of the Statutory Restraining Order.

**B. Civil Monetary Penalty:**

12. Pursuant to paragraph 55 of the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction, Friant shall pay a civil monetary penalty, plus post-judgment interest, to the Commission.

13. Friant shall pay a civil monetary penalty of one hundred fifty-four thousand two hundred thirty-seven dollars (\$154,237) plus post-judgment interest (the “CMP Obligation”). Post-judgment interest shall accrue on the CMP Obligation commencing on the date of entry of this Supplemental Consent Order and shall be determined by using the Treasury Bill rate prevailing on the date of the entry of this Supplemental Consent Order pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1961. Friant shall pay such civil monetary penalty by electronic funds transfer or by U.S. Postal money order, certified check, bank cashier’s check, or bank money order, made payable to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission. If payment is to be made other than by electronic

funds transfer, the payment shall be made payable to the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and sent to the address below:

Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Division of Enforcement  
Attn: Accounts Receivables - AMZ 340  
E-mail Box: 9-AMC-AMZ-AR-CFTC  
DOT IF AA/MMAC  
6500 S. MacArthur Blvd.  
Oklahoma City, OK 73169  
Telephone: ( 405) 954-5644

14. If payment by electronic funds transfer is chosen, Friant shall contact Linda Zurhorst or her successor at the above address to receive payment instructions and shall fully comply with those instructions. Friant shall accompany payment of the CMP Obligation with a cover letter that identifies Friant and the name and docket number of this proceeding. Friant shall simultaneously transmit copies of the cover letter and the form of payment to the Chief Financial Officer, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20581.

**C. Partial Payment:**

15. Partial Satisfaction: Any acceptance by the Commission of partial payment of Defendant's Disgorgement Obligation or CMP Obligation shall not be deemed a waiver of his obligation to make further payments pursuant to this Supplemental Consent Order, or a waiver of the Commission's right to seek to compel payment of any remaining balance.

**D. Frozen Assets:**

16. Release of Restrained Assets: Upon being served with copies of this Supplemental Consent Order by the CFTC or Receiver, after entry by the Court, the provisions of the Court's Consent Order of Permanent Injunction Against Friant and the Statutory Restraining Order continuing the restraint of Friant's assets shall no longer be in effect and the

financial institutions and entities holding frozen funds, assets, or other property previously controlled by Friant shall tender same to the Receiver for ultimate distribution to the victims of this fraud. Friant and all banks and financial institutions subject to this Supplemental Consent Order and/or the Statutory Restraining Order shall cooperate fully and expeditiously with the CFTC and Receiver in the liquidation, release, and wire of these funds and assets.

17. Offset: The value of all of Friant's assets tendered to the Receiver shall be counted first towards Friant's Disgorgement Obligations, and then towards his CMP Obligations. To the extent that these assets are insufficient to meet his Disgorgement Obligations and CMP Obligations, Friant shall pay the remainder due pursuant to this Supplemental Consent Order.

#### IV. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

18. Notice: All notices required to be given by any provision in this Supplemental Consent Order shall be sent certified mail, return receipt requested, as follows:

Notice to Commission:

Gretchen L. Lowe, Director of Enforcement  
Commodity Futures Trading Commission  
Division of Enforcement  
1155 21<sup>st</sup> Street N.W.  
Washington, DC 20581

Notice to Defendant Friant:

James W. George  
Law Offices of James W. George  
901 South Mopac Expressway  
Batton Oaks Plaza One, Suite 300,  
Austin, Texas 78746

Notice to Guy M. Hohmann as Receiver of the ProphetMax Receivership Estate

Carrie E Puccia  
Hohmann, Taube & Summers, L.L.P.  
100 Congress Avenue, Suite 1800  
Austin, TX 78701

Phone: 512-472-5997  
Fax: 512-472-5248  
[carriep@hts-law.com](mailto:carriep@hts-law.com)

All such notices to the Commission and the Receiver shall reference the name and docket number of this action.

19. Change of Address/Phone: Until such time as Friant fully satisfy their disgorgement liability and any other obligations set forth in the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction, this Supplemental Consent Order and/or any subsequent order of this Court, Friant shall provide written notice to the Commission and the Receiver by certified mail of any change to their telephone number and mailing address within ten (10) calendar days of the change.

20. Entire Agreement and Amendments: This Supplemental Consent Order in combination with the Consent Order of Permanent Injunction incorporates all the terms and conditions of the agreement among the parties to date. Nothing shall serve to amend or modify this Supplemental Consent Order in any respect whatsoever, unless: (a) reduced to writing; (b) signed by all parties hereto; and (c) approved by order of this Court.

21. Invalidation: If any provision of this Supplemental Consent Order or if the application of any provision or circumstance is held invalid, then the remainder of this Supplemental Consent Order and the application of the provision to any other person or circumstance shall not be affected by such holding.

22. Waiver: The failure of any party to this Supplemental Consent Order to require performance of any provision of this Supplemental Consent Order shall in no manner affect the right of the party at a later time to enforce the same or any other provision of this Supplemental Consent Order. No waiver in one or more instances of the breach of any provision contained in this Supplemental Consent Order shall be deemed to be or construed as a further or continuing

waiver of such breach or waiver of the breach of any other provision of this Supplemental Consent Order.

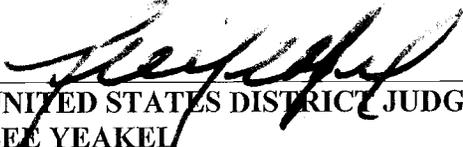
23. Continuing Jurisdiction of this Court: This Court shall retain jurisdiction of this action in order to implement and carry out the terms of all orders and decrees, to entertain any suitable application or motion for additional relief within the jurisdiction of the Court, to assure compliance with this Supplemental Consent Order and for any other purpose relevant to this action.

24. Enforcement of this Supplemental Consent Order: This Supplemental Consent Order shall remain in effect until further order of the Court and the Court shall retain jurisdiction over this action to ensure compliance with this Supplemental Consent Order and for all other purposes related to this action. Friant understands that the terms of the Supplemental Consent Order are enforceable through contempt proceedings, and that, in any such proceedings they may not challenge the validity of this Supplemental Consent Order.

25. Counterparts and Facsimile Execution: This Supplemental Consent Order may be executed in two or more counterparts, all of which shall be considered one and the same agreement and shall become effective when one or more counterparts have been signed by each of the parties hereto and delivered (by facsimile, email, or otherwise) to the other party, it being understood that all parties need not sign the same counterpart. Any counterpart or other signature to this Supplemental Consent Order that is delivered by any means shall be deemed for all purposes as constituting good and valid execution and delivery by such party of this Supplemental Consent Order.

26. There being no just reason for delay, the Clerk of the Court is hereby directed to enter this *Supplemental Consent Order of Disgorgement, Civil Monetary Penalty, and Other Equitable Relief Against Defendant Joel*.

IT IS SO ORDERED on this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2014.

  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
LEE YEAKEL

CONSENTED TO AND APPROVED BY:

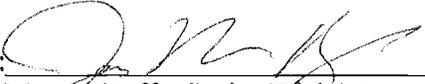
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