UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

Case No. 20-CV-81205-RAR

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

v.

COMPLETE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS GROUP, INC. d/b/a PAR FUNDING, et al.,

Defendants.

JOINT NOTICE OF APPEAL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure 3 and 4,

Defendants Lisa McElhone and Joseph LaForte, Individually and as Beneficiaries Of The LME 2017

Trust, hereby jointly appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit from the

Paperless Order Denying their Motion to Modify the Preliminary Injunction (ECF 1566).

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By: <u>/s/ James M. Kaplan</u> JAMES M. KAPLAN