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CASE NO.: **2009-SOX-00007**

In the Matter Of:

LOUIS D. PAOLINO, JR.,
Complainant,

v.

MACE SECURITY INTERNATIONAL, INC.
Respondent.

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This matter arises from a complaint of discrimination filed by Louis D. Paolino, Jr. ("Complainant") against Mace Security International, Inc. ("Respondent" or "Company") under the employee protection provisions of Section 806 of the Corporate and Criminal Fraud Accountability Act of 2002, Title VIII of The Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, 18 U.S.C.A. § 1514A (West 2004) ("SOX" or the "Act") and the procedural regulations found at 29 C.F.R. Part 1980 (2004). The matter had been stayed for several months as the parties were before the American Arbitration Association on several issues. The counsel for Complainant notified undersigned by letter dated January 6, 2011 that parties had reach global resolution of claim.

Pursuant to 29 C.F.R. 1980.111(c), at any time before the findings or order become final, a party may withdraw his or her objection to the findings or order by filing a written withdrawal with the administrative law judge, or, if the case is on review, with the Administrative Review Board. The judge or the Board, as the case may be, will determine whether the withdrawal will be approved. As the Secretary's Findings are not final and a written withdrawal has been filed, approval of the withdrawal is appropriate. Accordingly, good cause having been shown, Complainant's request for withdrawal will be granted and this case will be dismissed.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Complainant's letter to withdraw be, and hereby is, **GRANTED**, and this case be, and hereby is, **DISMISSED WITH**

PREJUDICE, each party to bear their own costs.

SO ORDERED.

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COLLEEN A. GERAGHTY
Administrative Law Judge

Boston, Massachusetts