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TIM NEWTON, Complainant,

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CFTC Docket No. 98-R157

ALARON TRADING CORPORATION, JEFFORY A. SMITH, and ROBERT B. BLANKENSHIP, Respondents.

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

The parties have settled this matter and executed a stipulation of dismissal. Accordingly, this matter is DISMISSED.¹

Dated January 29, 1999.

Philip V. McGuire, Judgment Officer

¹ This dismissal is conditioned on respondents making full payment under the terms of the agreement.

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Judge McGuire here is the problem they just refuse to pay this agreed settlement

Sincerely, TIM NEWTON, DOCKET #98-R157

PHONE # 760/770-2020

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January 14, 1999

Mr. Tim Newton 69-028 E. Palm Canyon B Cathedral City, Ca. 92234

Re: Settlement of Reparations Claim, CFTC Docket No. 98-R157

Dear Mr. Newton:

I apologize that I did not have this matter taken care of by January 9, 1999 as I had promised.

Enclosed, please find a Settlement Agreement and Release and a Notice of Voluntary Dismissal. Sign both documents, make copies for yourself and send the originals to my attention at the address listed below.

As soon as I have received the signed originals of both documents, I will have a check for the amount of \$4,375.00 issued to you and sent out on the same day.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (312) 563-8090.

Very truly yours,

Stanley W / Preston III

Corporate Counsel

Enclosures cc: Judgment Officer McGuire

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

TIM NEWTON,

Complainant,

Complainant,

CFTC Docket No. 98-R1-67

Respondents.

NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL

Pursuant to Section 12.21 of the CFTC's Rules Relating to Reparations Proceedings, the Complainant Tim Newton and the Respondents', Alaron Trading Corporation, Jeffory A. Smith and Robert B. Blankenship, having reached a complete settlement of their dispute hereby notify the CFTC that they have agreed to a voluntary dismissal of the above captioned reparations complaint.

The parties to this notice of voluntary dismissal have also agreed that the dismissal of the reparations complaint shall be with prejudice to complainant's right to re-file a claim in reparations, or in any court of competent jurisdiction, based on the same set of facts as alleged in the dismissed complaint.

Dated this 14TH day of January, 1999.

Compiainant:

Tim Newton

Respondent:

Alaron Trading Corporation

by its attorney

SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AND RELEASE

January, 1999, by and between Tim Newton ("Newton") and Alaron Trading Corporation ("Alaron"), an Illinois corporation.

RECITALS

WHEREAS, Newton believes his account has had problems that he should be compensated for, account number 77625, and Newton has filed a reparations complaint against Alaron, Jeffory A. Smith, and Robert B. Blankenship, CFTC Docket no. 98-R157;

whereas, it is the intention of the parties to settle and dispose of, fully and completely, any and all claims, demands and cause or causes of action of Newton against Alaron and the other parties to the reparations claim and of Alaron and the other parties against Newton.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth, all parties agree as follows:

- 1) Alaron and the other parties of the reparation claim will pay to Newton the amount of \$4,375.00;
- 2) Each Party does forever remise, acquit and forever discharge each other Party, and their agents from any and all actions, causes of actions, claims, and/or demands each Party may have or may have had against each other Party by reason of any matter, cause whatsoever, at any time prior to the date of the signing of this document;
- 3) It is understood and agreed that this settlement is the compromise of a doubtful and disputed claim, and that settlement is not to be construed as an admission of liability on the part of Alaron Trading Corporation, Jeff Smith, Robert Blankenship or Tim Newton, their agents, brokers or employees, whose liability is expressly denied. This release contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto and the terms of this release are contractual and not a mere recital.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties place their respective signatures on the date above first written.

AL	ARON TRADING CORPORATION	TIM NEWTON
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