

STATE OF ILLINOIS
SECRETARY OF STATE
SECURITIES DEPARTMENT

IN THE MATTER OF: PROSPER LPTG, LIMITED PRIVATE)
 TRADE GROUP, LPTG)
 THEIR OFFICERS, DIRECTORS,) File No. 1200319
 EMPLOYEES, AFFILIATES, SUCCESSORS,)
 AGENTS AND ASSIGNS AND JOHN)
 MORGAN HOMAN)

CONSENT ORDER

TO THE RESPONDENTS: Prosper LPTG
 Limited Private Trade Group
 LPTG
 John Morgan Homan
 343 Oakwood Ave.,
 East Peoria, IL 61611

WHEREAS, Respondents, Prosper LPTG, Limited Private Trade Group, LPTG and John Morgan Homan, on December 19, 2012 executed a certain Stipulation To Entry Of Consent Order (the "Stipulation"), which hereby is incorporated by reference herein.

WHEREAS, by means of the Stipulation, the Respondents have admitted to the jurisdiction of the Secretary of State and service of the Notice of Hearing in this matter and the Respondent has consented to the entry of this Consent Order.

WHEREAS, the Secretary of State, by and through his designated representative, the Securities Director, has determined that the matter related to the aforesaid formal hearing may be dismissed without further proceeding.

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WHEREAS, the Respondents have acknowledged, while neither admitting nor denying, that the allegations contained in paragraph seven (7) of the Stipulation shall be adopted as the Secretary of State's Findings of Fact as follows:

1. That Respondents Prosper LPTG, Limited Private Trade Group and LPTG are purported business entities operated and promoted by John Morgan Homan.
2. That Respondent John Morgan Homan is the promoter and operator of the Prosper LPTG, Limited Private Trade Group and LPTG business entities with a last known address of 343 Oakwood Ave., East Peoria, IL 61611.
3. That from September 2010 up to the present, the Respondents offered and sold investors investments in several different investment schemes.
4. In the first scheme, investors were solicited via a mass email message to invest in a bank trade program. Investors were told in the message that for a minimum amount of \$50 they could purchase shares of a bank trade that promised a compound rate of return of \$1,280,000 in one year or \$625 in thirty days.
5. In a second scheme, Respondents solicited investors by email to invest and become members in an Online Savings and Loan Bank to be financed and developed by the Respondents
6. Investors in the Savings and Loan Bank were promised a return of up to 100% plus other financial benefits of membership including a death benefit package.
7. In a third scheme, Respondents solicited investors to invest in a Foreign Currency investment program by depositing money into a Forex Trading account. Respondents represented that the money would be invested and traded by a 'Trading Robot' and would earn a rate of return of 10-15% per month.
8. The above-referenced investment schemes are investment contracts and securities as that term is defined pursuant to Section 2.1 of the Illinois Securities Law of 1953 [815 ILCS 5/1 et seq.] (the "Act")

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9. That Section 5 of the Act provides, inter alia, that all securities except those exempt under Section 3 of the Act or those offered and sold in transactions exempt under Section 4 of the Act shall be registered with the Secretary of State prior to their offer or sale in the State of Illinois
10. That Section 12.A of the Act provides, inter alia that it shall be a violation of the Act for any person to offer or sell any security except in accordance with the provisions of the Act.
11. That Section 12.D of the Act provides, inter alia, that it shall be a violation of the Act for any person to fail to file with the Secretary of State any document or application required to be filed under the provision of the Act.
12. That at all times relevant hereto, the Respondents and their Officers, Directors, Employees, Affiliates, Successors, Agents and Assigns and John Morgan Homan failed to register their securities prior to their offer and sale in the State of Illinois.
13. That by virtue of the foregoing, the Respondents, their Officers, Directors, Employees, Affiliates, Successors, Agents and Assigns and John Morgan Homan have violated Sections 12.A and 12.D of the Act.
14. That Section 11.F.(2) of the Act provides, inter alia, that the Secretary of State may temporarily suspend or prohibit the offer or sale of securities by any person if the Secretary of State in his or her opinion, based upon credible evidence, deems it necessary to prevent an imminent violation of the Act or to prevent losses to investors which the Secretary of State reasonably believes will occur as a result of a prior violation of the Act.
15. That Section 11.E(2) of the Act provides, inter alia, that if the Secretary of State shall find that any person has violated subsection D of Section 12 of the Act, the Secretary of State may by written order prohibit the person from offering or selling any securities in this State.
16. That Section 11.E(4) of the Act provides, inter alia, that if the Secretary of State, after finding that any provision of the Act has been violated, may impose a fine as provided by rule, regulation or order not to exceed \$10,000.00 for each violation of the Act.

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17. That by virtue of the foregoing, the Respondents are subject to a fine of up to \$10,000.00 per violation, an order of censure and an order which permanently prohibits the Respondents from offering or selling securities in the State of Illinois.

WHEREAS, the Respondents have acknowledged, while neither admitting nor denying, that the allegations contained in paragraph eight (8) of the Stipulation shall be adopted as the Secretary of State's Conclusions of Law as follows

1. That by virtue of the foregoing, Respondents violated Sections 12.A and D of the Act.
 2. That by virtue of the above Findings of Fact and Section 11.E.2, the Respondents are subject to an order of prohibition.
 3. That by virtue of the above Findings of Fact and Section 11.E.4, the Respondents are subject to a fine not to exceed \$10,000 per violation.
- 9 Acknowledge and agree that they desire to resolve this matter absent further administrative action;
10. Acknowledge and agree that the Respondents, Prosper LPTG, Limited Private Trade Group, LPTG and John Morgan Homan shall be permanently prohibited from offering and selling securities in the State of Illinois;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The allegations contained in paragraphs seven (7) and eight (8) of the Stipulation shall be and are hereby adopted as the Secretary of State's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.
2. That the Respondents, Prosper LPTG, Limited Private Trade Group, LPTG and John Morgan Homan, shall be permanently prohibited from offering and selling securities in the State of Illinois
3. The formal hearing scheduled on this matter is hereby dismissed without further proceeding.

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ENTERED: This 19th day of *October*, 2012.

Jesse White

JESSE WHITE
Secretary of State

NOTICE: Failure to comply with the terms of this Order shall be a violation of Section 12.D of the Illinois Securities Law of 1953 [815 ILCS 5] (the "Act"). Any person or entity who fails to comply with the terms of this Order of the Secretary of State, having knowledge of the existence of this Order, shall be guilty of a Class 4 felony.

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