

STATE OF OKLAHOMA
DEPARTMENT OF SECURITIES
FIRST NATIONAL CENTER, SUITE 860
120 NORTH ROBINSON
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73102



In the Matter of:

Southmark of Tulsa, Inc.,
Wendell D. Belden, Gertrude M. Edwards,
Dieta Brown and Cannon Ferrell,

Respondents.

File No. ODS 02-156

RESPONDENTS' REQUEST FOR HEARING

Come now the Respondents and in response to The Oklahoma Department of Securities
"ENFORCEMENT DIVISION RECOMMENDATION" dated April 17, 2002 and
Request a Hearing on the issues raised therein.

The Respondents also state as follows:

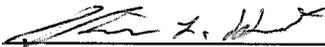
1. The Respondents admit the allegations of Item 1 of the Recommendation's Findings of Fact.
2. Items 2 through 6 are currently pending decision in Case No. 01-150 and are denied.

3. Respondents Dieta Brown and Cannen Ferrell deny that they have engaged in any activity requiring registration as an investment adviser representative in Oklahoma as alleged in Items 7 and 8 respectively.
4. Respondents deny that is in the public interest to deny the effectiveness of the registration of Belden, Edwards, Brown and Ferrell and to issue an order for Southmark of Tulsa, Inc. and Cannen Ferrel to Cease and Desist as alleged in Item 9.
5. All Items on Enforcement Department's Recommendation are currently pending decision of Hearing Officer Norwood Beveridge and each are denied.

Wherefore, premises considered, the Respondents asks that the Enforcement Departments recommendation be denied.

Respectfully Submitted,

DATED: April 26, 2002


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Steven L. Hunt, hereby certify that on the date reflected below, I served the above and foregoing Document by mailing a true and correct copy of said document, with first class postage fully prepaid, to:

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DATED: April 26, 2002


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