

Ontario Securities Commission Commission des valeurs mobilières de l'Ontario

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IN THE MATTER OF MINER EDGE INC., MINER EDGE CORP. and RAKESH HANDA

Wendy Berman, Vice-Chair and Chair of the Panel

File No. 2019-44

October 18, 2021

ORDER

WHEREAS on October 18, 2021, the Ontario Securities Commission held a hearing by videoconference and considered a request by the parties to combine the merits and sanctions and costs hearings in this proceeding;

ON HEARING the submissions of the representative for Staff of the Commission and for Miner Edge Inc., Miner Edge Corp. and Rakesh Handa (the **Respondents**) and on considering the parties consent to the making of this order;

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. pursuant to Rule 3 and Subrule 35(1) of the *Ontario Securities Commission Rules of Procedure and Forms*, (2019) 42 OSCB 9714, the merits hearing and the sanctions and costs hearing shall be heard together;
- 2. Staff shall serve and file written submissions regarding the merits and sanctions and costs on or before 4:30 p.m. on November 1, 2021;
- 3. the Respondents shall serve and file on or before 4:30 p.m. on November 8, 2021:
 - a. affidavit evidence, if any, with respect to sanctions and costs; and
 - b. written submissions regarding the merits and sanctions and costs;
- 4. the hearing dates of October 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 27, 28 and 29, 2021 are vacated; and
- 5. closing submissions on the merits and sanctions and costs shall be heard by videoconference on November 15, 2021 commencing at 10:00 a.m., or on such other date and time as provided by the Office of the Secretary and agreed to by the parties.

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