## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,	)	
by EUGENE SCALIA, SECRETARY,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 20-2240-JAR
	)	
GREG HEIDRICK and	)	
GREG HEIDRICK, C.P.A., P.A.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

## **ORDER**

Plaintiff has brought this action against Greg Heidrick individually and Greg Heidrick, C.P.A., P.A., the accounting firm owned 100% by Heidrick.<sup>1</sup> On August 26, 2020, Heidrick filed an answer purportedly on behalf of both defendants.<sup>2</sup>

The law is clear that corporate entities may not proceed in this court pro se, nor may they be represented by non-attorney corporate officers.<sup>3</sup> The complaint alleges Greg

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> ECF No. 1 at 1-2.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> ECF No. 8.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See Am. Contractors Indem. v. Boeding, 490 F. App'x. 141, 145 (10th Cir. 2012) (appellant "is not an attorney . . . and may not represent New Image [a limited liability company] on appeal"); Roscoe v. United States, 134 F. App'x 226, 227 (10th Cir. 2005) (dismissing limited liability company as a pro se plaintiff); Tal v. Hogan, 453 F.3d 1244, 1254 (10th Cir. 2006) (noting "long standing rule that a corporation must be represented by an attorney to appear in federal court").

Heidrick, C.P.A., P.A., is incorporated in the State of Kansas. Therefore, by **September 14, 2020,** Greg Heidrick, C.P.A., P.A., is ordered to either (1) retain counsel to enter an appearance on its behalf, or (2) file a response to this order that shows cause why it may proceed in this case without counsel.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated August 26, 2020, at Kansas City, Kansas.

s/ James P. O'Hara James P. O'Hara U.S. Magistrate Judge