

**ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEEDING  
BEFORE THE  
SECURITIES COMMISSIONER OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

<b>IN THE MATTER OF:</b>	)	
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<b>Centaurus Financial, Inc. (CRD No. 30833);</b>	)	
<b>Ricky Alan Mantei (CRD No. 1098981); and</b>	)	
<b>Mantei &amp; Associates, LLC,</b>	)	<b>CONSENT ORDER</b>
	)	
	)	<b>Matter No. 20191562</b>
<b>Respondents.</b>	)	
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**I. PRELIMINARY STATEMENT**

*et seq.*



**V. FINDINGS OF FACT**

**A. THE STEEPENER STRUCTURED PRODUCTS**



























**VII. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**







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