BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of Norris Crane and Rigging)		
Ltd.,	Notice	of	Apparent	Violation	and)	Case No.	11-680-TR-CVF
Inten	t to Asse	ess F	orfeiture.)		(OH3281007714C)

ENTRY

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) Commission staff served a notice of preliminary determination upon Norris Crane and Rigging Ltd. (respondent), in accordance with Rule 4901:2-7-12, Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.), alleging violations of the Commission's transportation regulations.
- (2) On February 7, 2011, respondent filed a request for an administrative hearing in accordance with Rule 4901:2-7-13, O.A.C.
- (3) A prehearing conference was held on February 28, 2011. At the prehearing conference, the parties established a hearing date of May 4, 2011.
- (4) Accordingly, this matter should be set for a hearing on May 4, 2011, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, 11th floor, Hearing Room 11-D, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793.
- (5) Rule 4901:2-7-14(A), O.A.C., provides that a respondent who has requested an administrative hearing and fails to participate in the hearing shall be in default. The rule additionally states that a respondent in default shall be deemed to have admitted the occurrence of the violation and waived all further right to contest liability to the state for the forfeiture described in the notice.
- (6) At the hearing, staff must prove, by a preponderance of the evidence, the occurrence of a violation, pursuant to Rule 4901:2-7-20(A), O.A.C.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That this matter be set for hearing on May 4, 2011, at 10:00 a.m., at the offices of the Commission, 180 East Broad Street, 11th floor, Hearing Room 11-D, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon all parties of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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