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14-2045-TR-CVF

Case Number- OH3263001239C

Monday, November 10, 2014

I am requesting an Administrative Hearing on the above Case number. Any further communications in this matter should be directed to :

Mike Patrick – Dayton Manager  
1795 Stanley Ave.  
Dayton, OH 45404

Phone: 937-424-3799

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Joseph Huth  
Corporate Safety Director

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OH3263001239C  
JOSEPH HUTH  
P. O. BOX 377  
NEW ALEXANDRIA, PA 15670

RE: **NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY  
DETERMINATION**

Case No. OH3263001239C

Dear Sir or Madam:

On 07/21/2014, a vehicle operated by LIBERTY TRANSPORTATION INC, and driven by JOSEPH A SORRELL, was inspected within the State of Ohio. As the result of discovery of the following violations of the Commission's rules, Staff of the Commission timely notified LIBERTY TRANSPORTATION INC (Respondent) pursuant to rule 4901:2-7-07, Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.), that it intended to assess a civil forfeiture against the Respondent in the following amount:

CODE	GROUP	VIOLATION	FORFEITURE
393.209D	I	Steering system components worn, welded, or missing - Pitman arm is loose on the steering output shaft	
		Total of Group I	100.00

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE: \$100.00

A conference was conducted pursuant to rule 4901:2-7-10, O.A.C., at which the Respondent had a full opportunity to present any reasons why the violation did not occur as alleged, mitigating circumstances regarding the amount of any forfeiture, and any other information relevant to the action proposed to be taken by Staff.

As a result of the conference, Staff has made a Preliminary Determination that the Commission should assess a civil forfeiture against LIBERTY TRANSPORTATION INC in the following amount:

CODE	GROUP	VIOLATION	FORFEITURE
393.209D	I	Steering system components worn, welded, or missing - Pitman arm is loose on the steering output shaft	
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**ROADSIDE INSPECTION  
INSTRUCTION SHEET  
NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION**

*Please read this instruction sheet carefully. It contains information about your rights and responsibilities in regard to this Notice of Preliminary Determination.*

You have received a "Notice of Preliminary Determination" as described in Rule 4901:2-7-12, Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.). **Within 30 days of this notice, you must either: (1) pay the assessed civil forfeiture or (2) file a written request for an administrative hearing.** If you do not pay the forfeiture or file a request for an administrative hearing within 30 days of this notice, your case will be placed in our default process. Both procedures are described below.

**1. How to Pay the Forfeiture**

If you do not wish to further contest the violations described in this notice, you may make payment of the civil forfeiture indicated in this notice via one of the following methods:

Online at <https://omcis.puc.state.oh.us/home.aspx>. You will need your case number and PIN located on the enclosed voucher.

Mail: send a check or money order (no Canadian postal money orders) made payable to "Treasurer, State of Ohio." **In order to assure proper credit, you must write the case number on the face of the check or money order.** Please send payment to the following address:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Attn: CF Processing  
180 East Broad Street, 4th Floor  
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

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**2. How to File a Request for an Administrative Hearing**

If you wish to further contest the violations described in this notice, you should file a "Request for an Administrative Hearing" with the Commission's Docketing Division as described in Rule 4901:2-7-13, O.A.C. Your "Request for an Administrative Hearing" must be **in writing** and must contain the **case number** indicated on this notice. Also, please include the **contact name, address, and telephone number**, of the person to whom further communications regarding this matter should be directed. The request shall be signed by the respondent or its authorized representative. A copy of this "Notice of Preliminary Determination" must be attached to your request.

Your "Request for an Administrative Hearing" must be mailed or hand-delivered **within 30 days of this notice** to the following address:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Attn: Docketing Division  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

**3. Failure to Submit a Request for an Administrative Hearing**

If you do not serve a timely "Request for an Administrative Hearing" in the manner described above, you will forfeit your right to further contest the violations described in this notice and the occurrence of the violations will be conclusively established. Such failure shall also constitute a waiver of your right to further contest liability to the state of Ohio for the civil forfeiture described in