

## **OHIO PUBLIC UNTILITIES COMISSION**

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Plaintiff
Ohio Public Utilities Commission
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

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15-2080-TR.CVF

CASE NO.: OH3218008206C

Joshua A. Hursell 3310 Deidrick Road Kent, Ohio 44240 Phone: 330-807-2630

VS

### REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING

COMES NOW. JOSHUA A. HURSELL, Pro Se without counsel with a "Request for an Administrative Hearing" pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code 4901:2-7-13 Request for administrative hearing for good cause for the reasons stated below.

On or about August 20, 2015 Joshua A. Hursell hereinafter "Defendant" began his day at 05:45AM Summit Township, PA, at or near 777 Old Route 422 E, Butler, PA stopping briefly at Porterville, PA.at the Pilot Truck Stop for carryout breakfast at or about 06:30AM to get coffee and bacon-cheese bagle; continuing until the accident at or about 16445 Gar Hwy, Montville, OH at or about 08:03AM. A total distance of about 115.5 miles or 2hrs.

Defendant at the beginning of his work day preformed his pretrip inspection as well as starting his daily logbook as required by Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration.

Defendant inadverantly or mistakenly drew the start time in his "Logbook" an hour earlier showing an incorrect start time of 04:45AM. This error would have been corrected at the Defendant's next delivery location. Or it would have been corrected at the end of his work day, per the post trip inspection.

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While in route to Defendant's next delivery location, the Defendant was struck by

another vehicle that failed to obey a traffic control device and struck the Defendant's vehicle in

the rear left hand trailer at the rear axles.

The Ohio Highway Patrol was summoned to the accident scene. Upon reviewing the

Defendant's logbook the Officer cited the Defendant for being over hours. Defendant tried to

explain the "harmless error" and tried to provide proof to the officer of the innocent human

error. The Officer refused to accept any of the Defendant's information or defenses.

It is the Defendant's position that the "Logbook Entry" was not a valid entry until the logbook

page was signed at the end of Defendant's work day, pursuant to Federal Motor Carrier Rules

concerning logbook entries.

Defendant denies that he was over hours at the time of the accident. Defendant further

states that he was injured by the Officer's actions by placing him "Out of Service" which caused

the Defendant to miss his deliveries which inturn caused a loss of wages.

Wherefore:

Defendant respectfully demands a REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING

that the "Notice of Preliminary Determination" be dismissed based upon the information

provided

Respectfully submitted,

Joshua A. Hursell 3300 Deidrick Road

Kent, Ohio 44240

330-807-2630

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# STATE OF OHIO } ss: Affidavit COUNTY OF SUMMIT }

I, Joshua A. Hursell, being duly sworn, depose and state the following from personal knowledge:

- 1. On or about August 20, 2015 Joshua A. Hursell hereinafter "Defendant" began his day at 05:45AM Summit Township, PA, at or near 777 Old Route 422 E, Butler, PA stopping briefly at Porterville, PA.at the Pilot Truck Stop for carryout breakfast at or about 06:30AM to get coffee and bacon-cheese sandwich; continuing until the accident at or about 16445 Gar Hwy, Montville, OH at or about 08:03AM. A total distance of about 115.5 miles or 2hrs;
- 2. That a harmless human error of the actual start time of my daily log book was made. Further, I was not given opportunity to correct such error at the time the Ohio State Patrol Officer inspected my log, even though I had overwhelming evidence to support such error;
- 3. The attached exhibits are true and correct.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

Joshua A. Hursell

Notary Public

#### **NOTARY PUBLIC**

> LISA COOMBS, NOTARY State of Ohio My Commission Expires: 06/12/16

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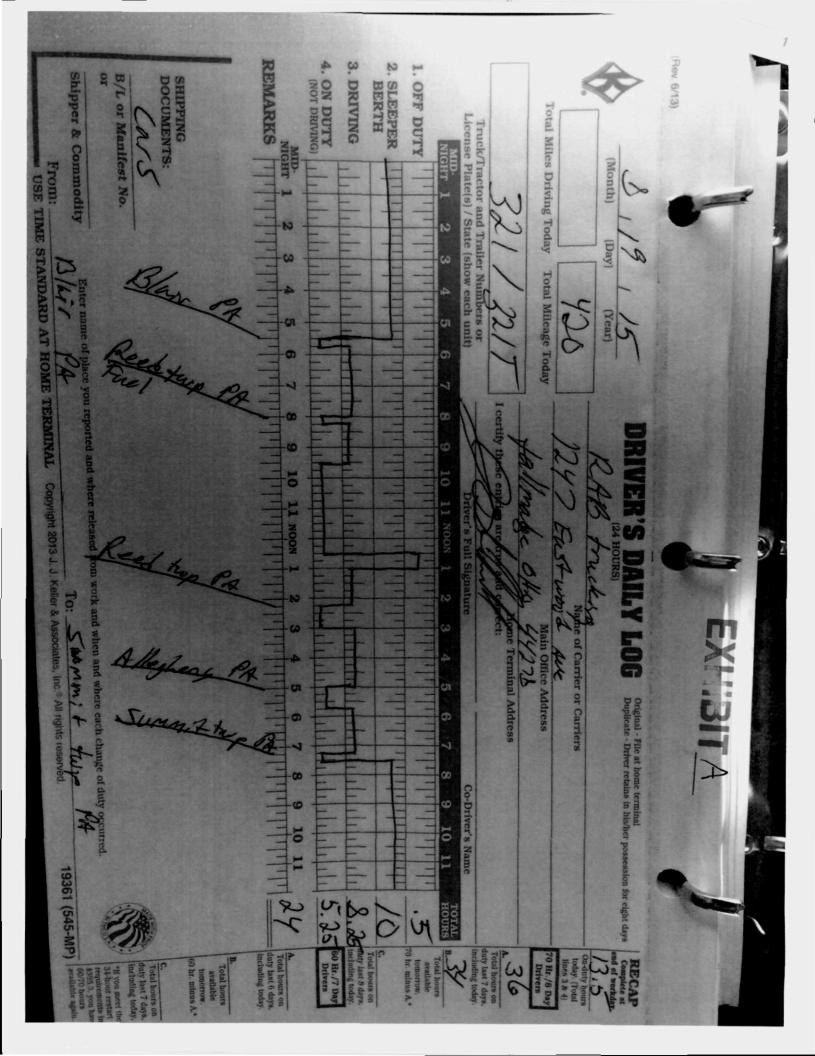
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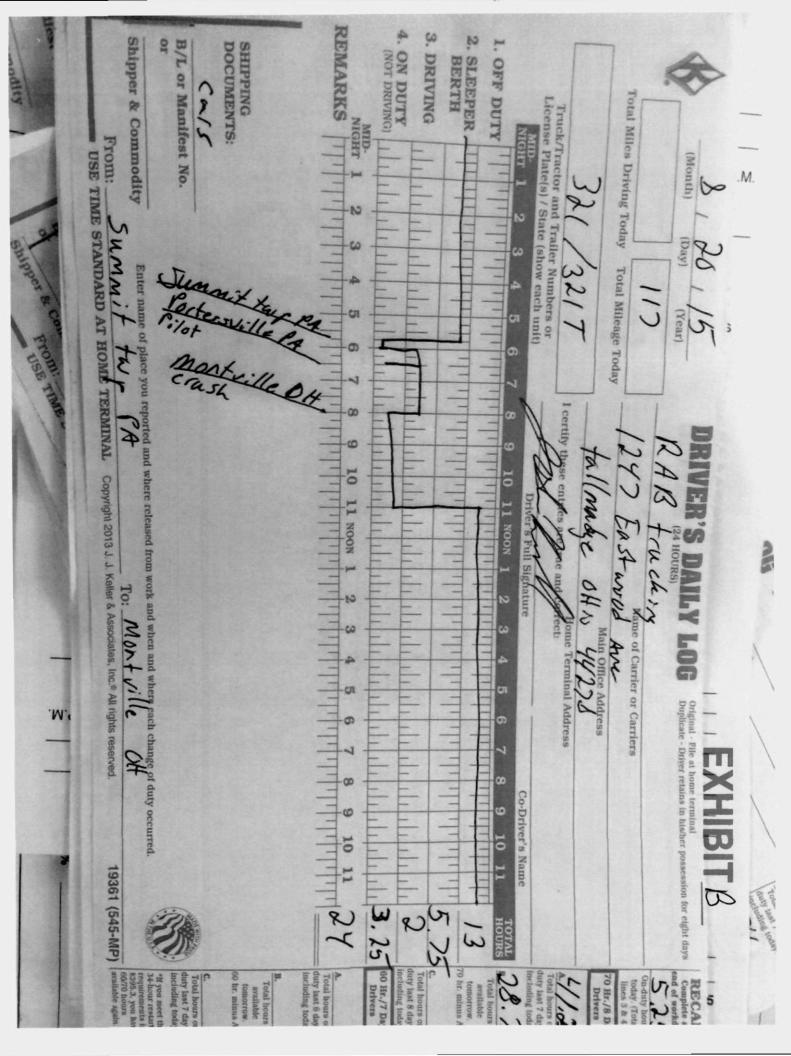
> The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 E. Broad Street- Fourth Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215

> > Respectfully,

Joshua A. Hursell 3300 Deidrick Road Kent, Ohio 44240

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Total hours on duty last 7 days. including today.





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Employee: Driver Qualification Alcohol & Drug Accident/Incident Training

**Duty Status** 

Sleeper

On Duty

Vehicle Management

Performance Management

Roadsine Inspection

Hours of Service

Compliance Review/CSA

Reports & Forms

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▶Change Log - Employee ▶Change Log • Log Date

View Employee Log - Joshua A. Hursell

Log Information 8/19/2015 Log Date Total Miles 420 Dover Type Property Carrying Driver Returned/Released No From Duty? Exempt Log? Νó No Inactive Log? Shorthaul Exception Used? No 34 Hour Reset Start Time 34 Hour Reset Used

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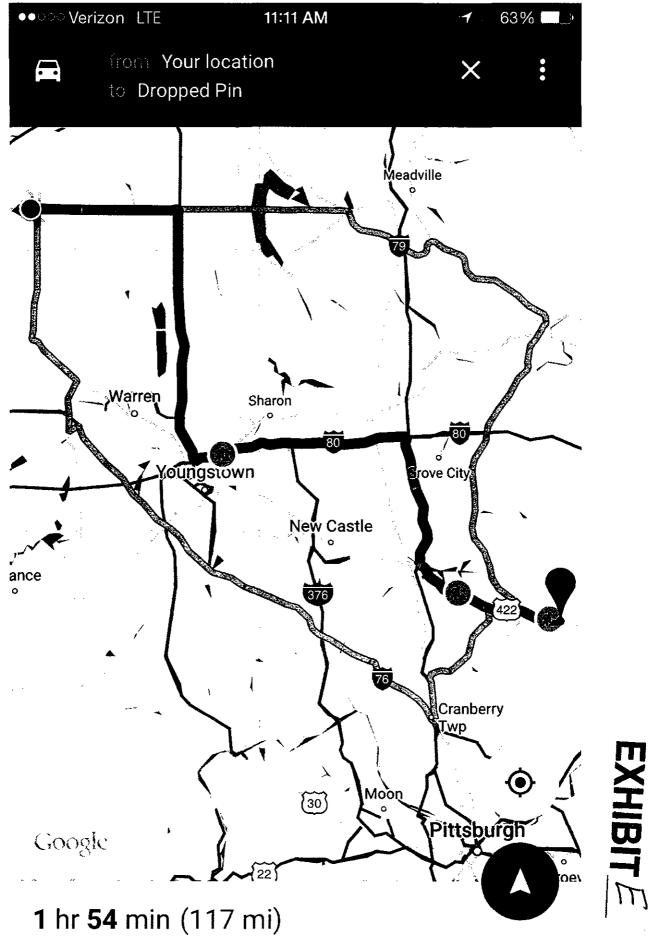
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