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## SUBMITTED VIA E-FILING

Attorney Examiner James Lynn Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Attn: Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Re:	In the Matter of HPC Manufacturing, Inc., Notice of Apparent Violation and Intent to Assess Forfeiture	Case No. 17-330-TR-CVF
	In the Matter of Christopher Pratt, Notice of Apparent Violation and Intent to Assess Forfeiture	Case No. 17-331-TR-CVF

Dear Mr. Lynn:

Per the email conversation between you, Mr. Werner Margard, and me, I would like to request a continuance of the currently-scheduled April 20, 2017 administrative hearing in this matter.

Originally, I had requested the continuance because I was set to begin a trial in the matter of *Celia Conti v. Barbara Angelilli*, Mahoning County Case Number 2016 CV 00967, but that case settled late last week so there will be no trial. However, the trial preparation has impacted my ability to adequately prepare for the administrative hearing, and as such I am still requesting a continuance.

In addition, the parties are engaged in settlement discussions and it is my hope that a settlement can be reached in this matter, which would obviate the need for a hearing at all.

Thank you for your timely consideration of this request.

Regards Haren (#0088238)

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## Case No(s). 17-0330-TR-CVF, 17-0331-TR-CVF

Summary: Request Request for a Continuance electronically filed by Mr. Thomas G. Haren on behalf of HPC Manufacturing, Inc. and Mr. Christopher Pratt