THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF MICHAEL TOBASH, NOTICE OF APPARENT VIOLATION AND INTENT TO ASSESS FORFEITURE.

CASE NO. 18-1050-TR-CVF (OH9420300619D)

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on November 5, 2018

- {¶ 1} Staff served a notice of preliminary determination upon Michael Tobash (Respondent) in accordance with Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-07, alleging a violation of the Commission's transportation regulations.
- {¶ 2} On June 26, 2018, Respondent requested an administrative hearing in accordance with Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-13.
- {¶ 3} On August 1, 2018, the attorney examiner scheduled a prehearing conference for August 29, 2018, pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-16(B). During the prehearing conference, the attorney examiner was unable to contact Respondent via telephone. Consequently, on October 3, 2018, the attorney examiner scheduled a hearing to commence on November 6, 2018,
- {¶ 4} On October 29, 2018, Respondent contacted the attorney examiner via telephone. Respondent explained that he is attempting to obtain legal counsel to represent him during the hearing, but is unable to do so prior to the hearing scheduled for November 6, 2018.
- {¶ 5} As a result, the attorney examiner suspends the procedural schedule currently in place. Respondent must inform the attorney examiner within 30 days of this Entry whether he has obtained counsel and whether he intends to proceed in the hearing.
 - $\{\P 6\}$ It is, therefore,
- \P 7 ORDERED, That the hearing scheduled for November 6, 2018, be suspended. It is, further,

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 $\{\P\ 8\}$ ORDERED, That Respondent contact the attorney examiner within 30 days of this Entry as further explained in Paragraph 5. It is, further,

{¶ 9} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

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/s/ Anna Sanyal

By: Anna Sanyal

Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry suspending the procedural schedule and ordering respondent to provide information within 30 days electronically filed by Ms. Mary E Fischer on behalf of Anna Sanyal, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission