THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF ISMAIL I. ABDILE, NOTICE OF APPARENT VIOLATION AND INTENT TO ASSESS FORFEITURE.

CASE NO. 22-113-TR-CVF (OH3261012257D)

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on June 30, 2022

- {¶ 1} Pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-12, Staff served notices of preliminary determination upon Ismail I. Abdile, (Respondent) alleging violations of the Commission's transportation regulations.
- {¶ 2} On February 10, 2022, Respondent filed a request for an administrative hearing, as permitted by Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-13.
- $\{\P 3\}$ By Entry dated June 1, 2022, the attorney examiner scheduled a prehearing settlement conference for June 23, 2022. During the conference, the parties were unable to settle the matter.
- {¶ 4} At this time, the attorney examiner finds it appropriate to schedule a hearing in this matter for August 17, 2022, at 10:00 a.m., to occur at the offices of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 E. Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-C, Columbus, Ohio 43215. The parties should register at the lobby desk and then proceed to the 11th floor in order to participate in the hearing.
- {¶ 5} Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-14(E) provides that a respondent who has requested an administrative hearing and fails to participate in the hearing proceeding shall be in default. The rule further 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 preponderance of the evidence, that Respondent committed the alleged violations, pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-20(A).

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{¶ 7} Following Staff's presentation of evidence at the hearing, it shall be the responsibility of Respondent to present evidence supporting his contentions regarding the alleged violations in this matter.

 $\{\P 8\}$ It is, therefore,

 \P 9 ORDERED, That a hearing be scheduled as indicated in Paragraph 4. It is, further,

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

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

/s/Jesse M. Davis

By: Jesse M. Davis Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry ordering that a hearing in this matter is scheduled for August 17, 2022, at 10:00 a.m., to occur at the offices of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 E. Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-C, Columbus, Ohio 43215 electronically filed by Heather A. Chilcote on behalf of Jesse Davis, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio