#### THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF BRANDON HILLER, NOTICE OF APPARENT VIOLATION AND INTENT TO ASSESS FORFEITURE.

CASE NO. 22-123-TR-CVF (OH1777003198D)

#### **ENTRY**

## Entered in the Journal on July 11, 2022

- {¶ 1} Staff has served a notice of preliminary determination upon Brandon Hiller (Respondent) in accordance with Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-12, alleging violations of the Commission's transportation regulations.
- **{¶ 2}** On February 15, 2021, Respondent requested an administrative hearing in accordance with Ohio Administrative Code 4901:2-7-13.
- {¶ 3} Respondent participated in a settlement conference with Staff on May 13, 2022, but the parties did not resolve the matter.
- {¶ 4} Accordingly, a hearing shall take place on August 8, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. at the Commission offices, Hearing Room 11-D, 11th floor, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793. Parties, to participate in the hearing, and any members of the public who wish to attend, should first register at the building's lobby desk and then proceed to the 11th floor.
- {¶ 5} Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-14(E) provides that a respondent who has requested an administrative hearing and fails to appear for the evidentiary hearing 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 for the forfeiture proposed in the notice of preliminary determination or to contest the making of the compliance order described in the notice of preliminary determination.
- **{¶ 6}** At hearing, pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901:2-7-20(A), Staff must prove, by a preponderance of the evidence, that Respondent committed the alleged violations.

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 $\{\P 7\}$  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 for August 8, 2022, as indicated in Paragraph 4. It is, further,
  - **¶ 10**} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties of record.

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## /s/Daniel Fullin

By: Daniel E. Fullin Attorney Examiner

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Summary: Attorney Examiner Entry scheduling a hearing for August 8, 2022 at the Commission offices, Hearing Room 11-D electronically filed by Ms. Mary E. Fischer on behalf of Daniel E. Fullin, Attorney Examiner, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio