

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of Julio C. :
Hernandez Gonzalez, Notice:
of Apparent Violation and : Case No. 22-264-TR-CVF
Intent to Assess :
Forfeiture. :

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PROCEEDINGS

before Mr. Jesse Davis, Attorney Examiner, at the
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad
Street, Room 11-C, Columbus, Ohio, called at 10:14
a.m. on Tuesday, August 9, 2022.

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On behalf of the Respondent.

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Tuesday Morning Session,
August 9, 2022.

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EXAMINER DAVIS: We are on the record.

Good morning, everyone. The Public
Utilities Commission of Ohio has opened for hearing
at this time Case No. 22-264-TR-CVF, in the Matter of
Julio C. Hernandez Gonzalez, Notice of Apparent
Violation and Intent to Assess Forfeiture.

My name is Jesse Davis. I am the
Attorney Examiner assigned to hear the case. And we
are going to start with appearances first on behalf
of Staff.

MR. LINDGREN: Thank you, your Honor. On
behalf of the Commission Staff, Ohio Attorney General
Dave Yost by Thomas Lindgren, Assistant Attorney
General, at 30 East Broad Street, 26th Floor,
Columbus, Ohio 43215.

EXAMINER DAVIS: Thank you, Mr. Lindgren.
And on behalf of the Respondent.

MR. YEMC: Yes, thank you, your Honor.
Michael Yemc on behalf of the Respondent Julio
Hernandez, P.O. Box 468, Delaware, Ohio 43015.

EXAMINER DAVIS: Thank you, Mr. Yemc.

So with appearances taken, I understand

1 we have some preliminary matters to discuss. First
2 of all, we are without a witness today so that
3 would -- that sort of preliminarily puts us in a spot
4 where we probably need to continue this hearing.

5 I would like to at least explore dates in
6 terms of, you know, do we need to go out like two
7 months? Is that like what we think or something
8 further than that, or can we do a month and a half?
9 I am not sure, between six and eight weeks or perhaps
10 longer, but I don't know what counsel's availability,
11 you know, clients' availability might be, but if you
12 think it's -- given his travel requirements, if it's
13 an in-person hearing, do you think further is better?

14 MR. YEMC: Yeah, definitely going to be
15 October.

16 EXAMINER DAVIS: Okay. Okay. I think we
17 can probably safely accommodate that.

18 Mr. Lindgren.

19 MR. LINDGREN: Your Honor, I don't have
20 my calendar in front of me, but I do believe I have
21 something scheduled on October 22 and 23, so I would
22 ask you to avoid those dates, please.

23 EXAMINER DAVIS: Okay. Okay. And, of
24 course, I will, you know, shoot something -- I will
25 at least contact everybody by e-mail to kind of get

1 more granular about this, but to just have a general
2 window now to -- especially if we are looking at
3 considering whether it's going to be an in-person
4 hearing or not.

5 With that said, is there anything else
6 from the parties?

7 MR. YEMC: Yes. We do need a Spanish
8 interpreter at the next hearing.

9 EXAMINER DAVIS: Spanish interpreter, we
10 will make sure to provide.

11 MR. YEMC: And if it's going to be here
12 in person, I would prefer to have an in-person
13 interpreter, Spanish interpreter. It's a lot
14 smoother.

15 EXAMINER DAVIS: Yes. Is there anything
16 else from the Respondent?

17 MR. YEMC: No, because you are going to
18 deny my motion to dismiss anyway.

19 EXAMINER DAVIS: Anything else from
20 Staff?

21 MR. LINDGREN: No, your Honor.

22 EXAMINER DAVIS: So with the
23 preliminaries kind of gone over, and I would just
24 like to note we were missing a witness today, and
25 with the need for a Spanish language interpreter, we

1 will adjourn and reschedule for a later date. Thank
2 you all for being here.

3 We are adjourned.

4 (Thereupon, at 10:18 a.m., the hearing
5 was adjourned.)

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7 CERTIFICATE

8 I do hereby certify that the foregoing is
9 a true and correct transcript of the proceedings
10 taken by me in this matter on Tuesday, August 9,
11 2022, and carefully compared with my original
12 stenographic notes.

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15 Karen Sue Gibson, Registered
16 Merit Reporter.

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