BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of DOXA, LLC, :

Notice of Apparent Violation : Case No.

and Intent to Assess : 21-882-TR-CVF

Forfeiture. :

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PROCEEDINGS

Before David Hicks, Attorney Examiner, held at the offices of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, Hearing Room 11-D, Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday, April 18, 2023, at 10:00 A.M.

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                 ATTORNEY EXAMINER HICKS:
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     Public Utilities Commission of Ohio has called
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     for hearing at this and place Case No.
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     21-882-TR-CVF which is captioned In The Matter
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     of DOXA, LLC.
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                 My name is David Hicks, and I am
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     the Attorney Examiner assigned by the Commission
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     to hear this case. We are going to go ahead and
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    begin things by taking appearances from counsel,
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    being with Staff.
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                 MS. WNEK: Ashley Wnek representing
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     the Ohio Attorney General's office and
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     the Public Utilities Commission.
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                 ATTORNEY EXAMINER HICKS: Thank you.
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     And on behalf of Respondent.
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                 MR. MAHER: Thank you, your Honor.
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     Colin Maher, 00844567 on behalf of DOXA, LLC.
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                 ATTORNEY EXAMINER HICKS: Thank you.
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     Prior to us starting the hearing it is the
    Bench's understanding that the parties have had
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     some discussions. I am just going to open it up
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     to either counsel to outline what may have been
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decided and how they would like to proceed at this point.
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MS. WNEK: Thank you, your Honor. This stems from a violation that occurred on June 10th, 2021. We have had some preliminary discussions regarding this violation that was Code Section 177.834 A. It was a hazmat.

After some preliminary discussions we have come to an agreement with the Respondent that the \$440 would be paid by Respondent at the discounted rate of 20 percent. So 20 percent will be taken off of \$440. And it's our understanding that that will be paid by the Respondent.

MR. MAHER: And that's correct, your Honor.

ATTORNEY EXAMINER HICKS: Okay. I presume a settlement agreement will be drafted at some point by the parties.

MS. WNEK: Yes, your Honor. A settlement agreement will be drafted and provided to the Respondent for signature.

Based on that then I don't think we need to proceed with a more formal structure of a

ATTORNEY EXAMINER HICKS: Okay.

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     hearing today. The Court will wait to see
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     the settlement agreement that is presented and
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     filed. Should anything happen that that does
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     not come to fruition certainly file something in
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     the docket and we can restart things. But
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                 Outside of that do either of you
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     have anything further?
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                 MR. MAHER: That's all we need for
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     today.
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                 MS. WNEK: Nothing further, your
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                 ATTORNEY EXAMINER HICKS: All
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     right. Thank you. We are adjourned.
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                 (At 10:25 the hearing was concluded)
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CERTIFICATE I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of the proceedings taken by me in this matter on April 18, 2023, and carefully compared with my original stenographic notes. Michael O. Spencer, Registered Professional Reporter.

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