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Sarah Kaufman,

Right to Know

Complainant(s)

Notice of Meeting

against

Docket #FIC 2016-0085

Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services,

Respondent(s)

October 4, 2016

Transmittal of Proposed Final Decision

In accordance with Section 4-179 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Freedom of Information Commission hereby transmits to you the proposed finding and decision prepared by the hearing officer in the above-captioned matter.

This will notify you that the Commission will consider this matter for disposition at its meeting which will be held in the Freedom of Information Commission Hearing Room, 18-20 Trinity Street, lst floor, Hartford, Connecticut, at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, November 16, 2016. At that time and place you will be allowed to offer oral argument concerning this proposed finding and order. Oral argument shall be limited to ten (10) minutes. For good cause shown, however, the Commission may increase the period of time for argument. A request for additional time must be made in writing and should be filed with the Commission *ON OR BEFORE November 4, 2016.* Such request MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, and (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives.

Although a brief or memorandum of law is not required, if you decide to submit such a document, an <u>original and fourteen (14) copies</u> must be filed *ON OR BEFORE November 4, 2016.* PLEASE NOTE: Any correspondence, brief or memorandum directed to the Commissioners by any party or representative of any party MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives and (3) be limited to argument. NO NEW EVIDENCE MAY BE SUBMITTED.

If you have already filed a brief or memorandum with the hearing officer and wish to have that document distributed to each member of the Commission, it is requested that <u>fifteen (15)</u> <u>copies</u> be filed *ON OR BEFORE November 4, 2016*, and that notice be given to all parties or if the parties are represented, to their representatives, that such previously filed document is being submitted to the Commissioners for review.

By Order of the Freedom of Information Commission

W. Paradis

Acting Clerk of the Commission

Notice to: Sarah Kaufman

Attorney Louis P. Bucari

FIC# 2016-0085/Trans/wrbp/CAL//TAH/2016-10-04

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In The Matter of a Complaint by

Proposed Final Decision

Sarah Kaufman,

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2016-0085

Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services,

Respondents

October 4, 2016

The above-captioned matter was heard as a contested case on April 28, 2016, before Hearing Officer Clifton Leonhardt, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared, and presented testimony, exhibits and argument on the complaint. A continued hearing was scheduled for June 15, 2016; however, such continued hearing was postponed.

Subsequently, on September 28, 2016, the complainant withdrew the complaint in this matter via e-mail. The Commission takes administrative notice of such withdrawal.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above-captioned complaint:

- 1. Based on the complainant's withdrawal, the complaint is hereby dismissed.
- 2. The parties are commended for reaching settlement of this matter without the need for full adjudication.