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Paul Bochicchio and Eveready Transportation, Complainant(s) against

Notice of Meeting

Docket #FIC 2013-300

Commissioner, State of Connecticut,
Department of Transportation; and State of
Connecticut, Department of Transportation,
Respondent(s)

December 19, 2013

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, January 22, 2014. 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 January 10, 2014.* 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 January 10, 2014.* 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>fourteen (14)</u> <u>copies</u> be filed *ON OR BEFORE January 10, 2014*, 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: Paul Bochicchio

Alice M. Sexton, Esq.

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

Report of Hearing Officer

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Complainants

against

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Respondents

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The above-captioned matter was heard as contested case on October 15, 2013, at which time the complainants and the respondents appeared and presented testimony and argument on the complaint. In light of the extensive array of business records requested in detail, the parties also expressed their desire to negotiate a resolution of the case following the hearing. Pursuant to a framework discussed at the hearing, the respondents filed with the Commission four affidavits with attached records on November 26, 2013.

By letter dated December 10, 2013, the complainants reported to the Commission that the matter "has been satisfied to completion."

The following orders by the Commission are hereby recommended on the basis of the record:

- 1. Based on the withdrawal of the complaint, the case is hereby dismissed.
- 2. The Commission commends all parties, and especially attorney Alice Sexton, on having reached a settlement without full adjudication.

Clifton A. Leonhardt as Hearing Officer