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PROCEEDINGS

CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Pursuant to the provisions of the Open Meetings Act, I now convene a regularly scheduled Bench Session of the Illinois Commerce Commission. With me in Springfield are Commissioner Colgan and Acting Commissioner Del Valle. With us in Chicago are Commissioner O'Connell-Diaz and Commissioner McCabe. I am Chairman Scott. We have a quorum.

Before moving into the agenda, according to Section 1700.10 of Title II of the Administrative Code, this is the time we allow members of the public to address the Commission. Members of the public wishing to address the Commission must notify the Chief Clerk's Office at least 24 hours prior to Commission meetings.

According to the Chief Clerk's Office, we have no requests to speak at today's Bench Session.

Moving on to the Transportation agenda, we begin with the approval of minutes from our January 24th Bench Session.

1                                   Is there a motion to approve the  
2 minutes?

3                   COMMISSIONER COLGAN:   So moved.

4                   CHAIRMAN SCOTT:   Is there a second?

5                   COMMISSIONER McCABE:   Second.

6                   CHAIRMAN SCOTT:   It's been moved and seconded.

7                                   All in favor say aye.

8                   COMMISSIONERS:   Aye.

9                   CHAIRMAN SCOTT:   Any opposed?

10                                   (No response.)

11                   CHAIRMAN SCOTT:   The vote is five to nothing,  
12 and the minutes from our January 24th Bench Session  
13 are approved.

14                                   On to the Railroad portion of today's  
15 agenda, Items RR-1 through RR-13 can be taken  
16 together.  These items concern Stipulated  
17 Agreements for public safety improvements at  
18 highway-rail grade crossings across Illinois.  In  
19 each case, Staff recommends entry of an Order  
20 approving the Agreement.

21                                   Is there any discussion?

22                                   (No response.)

1           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a motion to enter  
2 the Orders?

3           COMMISSIONER COLGAN: So moved.

4           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a second?

5           COMMISSIONER McCABE: Second.

6           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded.

7                     All in favor say aye.

8           COMMISSIONERS: Aye.

9           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?

10                     (No response.)

11           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote is five to nothing,  
12 and the Orders are entered.

13                     We'll use this five-to-nothing vote  
14 for the remainder of today's Transportation agenda,  
15 unless otherwise noted.

16                     Item RR-14 is Document Number  
17 T03-0089. This item concerns a proceeding for  
18 public safety improvements in a set of highway-rail  
19 grade crossings in Cook County.

20                     ALJ Duggan recommends entry of a  
21 Fourth Supplemental Order authorizing reimbursement  
22 of costs incurred for detector maintenance at the

1 crossing.

2 Is there any discussion?

3 (No response.)

4 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Are there any objections?

5 (No response.)

6 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Fourth  
7 Supplemental Order is entered.

8 Item RR-15 is Docket Number T11-0029.  
9 This item concerns a Stipulated Agreement regarding  
10 public safety improvements of a highway-rail grade  
11 crossing in Clinton County.

12 The Staff recommends entry of a  
13 Second Supplemental Order granting additional  
14 funding for the project consistent with Staff's  
15 calculations.

16 Is there any discussion?

17 (No response.)

18 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?

19 (No response.)

20 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Second  
21 Supplemental Order is entered.

22 On to Motor Carriers, Items MC-1 and

1 MC-2 can be taken together. These items are  
2 Stipulated Settlement Agreements for alleged  
3 violations of the Illinois Commercial  
4 Transportation Law.

5 In each case, our Transportation  
6 Counsel recommends entry of an Order adopting the  
7 Settlement Agreement.

8 Is there any discussion?

9 (No response.)

10 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?

11 (No response.)

12 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are  
13 entered.

14 Items MC-3 and MC-4 can be taken  
15 together. These items are Applications for  
16 Employment Permits under the Illinois Commercial  
17 Relocation of Trespassing Vehicles Law.

18 In each case, ALJ Kirkland-Montague  
19 recommends entry of an Order granting the  
20 Application.

21 Is there any discussion?

22 (No response.)

1 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?

2 (No response.)

3 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are  
4 entered.

5 Moving now to Collateral Recovery,  
6 Items CR-1 through CR-14 can be taken together.  
7 These items are Applications for Licensure as a  
8 Recovery Agency, Recovery Agency Manager, Or  
9 Repossessor under the Collateral Recovery Act.

10 In each case, the ALJ recommends  
11 entry of an Order granting the Application.

12 Is there any discussion?

13 (No response.)

14 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?

15 (No response.)

16 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders are  
17 entered.

18 Mr. Matrisch, is there any further  
19 Transportation business to come before the  
20 Commission today?

21 MR. MATRISCH: No, Chairman. Thank you.

22 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Thank you, sir.

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Hearing none, that concludes today's  
Transportation agenda.

TRANSPORTATION SESSION CONCLUDED