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BEFORE THE  
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

BENCH SESSION  
(TRANSPORTATION)

Springfield, Illinois  
Wednesday, August 13, 2014

Met, pursuant to notice, at 10:30 a.m. at  
527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois.

- PRESENT:
- MR. DOUGLAS P. SCOTT, Chairman
  - MR. JOHN T. COLGAN, Commissioner
  - MS. ANN McCABE, Commissioner (by video)
  - MR. MIGUEL DEL VALLE, Commissioner (by video)

MIDWEST LITIGATION SERVICES, by  
Angela C. Turner, Reporter  
CSR #084-004122

1 PROCEEDINGS

2 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Pursuant to the provisions  
3 of the Open Meetings Act, I now convene a regularly  
4 scheduled Bench Session of the Illinois Commerce  
5 Commission. With me in Springfield is Commissioner  
6 Colgan. With us in Chicago are Commissioner McCabe  
7 and Commissioner del Valle. I am Chairman Scott. We  
8 have a quorum.

9 Before moving into the agenda, according to  
10 Section 1700.10 of Title 2 of the Administrative  
11 Code, this is the time we allow members of the public  
12 to address the Commission. Members of the public  
13 wishing to address the Commission must notify the  
14 Chief Clerk's office at least 24 hours prior to  
15 Commission meetings. According to the Chief Clerk's  
16 office, we have no requests to speak at today's Bench  
17 Session.

18 Turning to the Transportation Agenda, we'll  
19 begin with the approval of minutes from our July 30th  
20 Bench Session. I understand amendments have been  
21 forwarded.

22 Is there a motion to amend the minutes?

23 COMMISSIONER COLGAN: So moved.

24 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a second?

1 COMMISSIONER McCABE: Second.

2 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Moved by Commissioner  
3 Colgan; second by Commissioner McCabe. All in favor  
4 say aye.

5 (Chorus of ayes.)

6 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?

7 (No response.)

8 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote is four to nothing  
9 and the amendments are adopted.

10 Is there now a motion to approve the minutes  
11 as amended?

12 COMMISSIONER DEL VALLE: So moved.

13 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a second?

14 COMMISSIONER COLGAN: Second.

15 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Moved by Commissioner del  
16 Valle; second by Commissioner Colgan.

17 All in favor say aye.

18 (Chorus of ayes.)

19 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?

20 (No response.)

21 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote is four to nothing  
22 and the minutes from our July 30th Bench Session, as  
23 amended, are approved.

24 Items RR-1 through RR-6 can be taken

1 together. These items are Petitions for  
2 Authorization to construct various safety improvement  
3 projects at railway crossings in Kankakee, White,  
4 Kane, Cook, Will, and Madison Counties. The ALJ in  
5 each case recommends entry of an Order granting the  
6 petition.

7 Is there any discussion?

8 (No response.)

9 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a motion to enter  
10 the Orders?

11 COMMISSIONER COLGAN: So moved.

12 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Is there a second?

13 COMMISSIONER McCABE: Second.

14 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Moved my Commissioner  
15 Colgan; second by Commissioner McCabe.

16 Any discussion?

17 (No response.)

18 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: All in favor say aye.

19 (Chorus of ayes.)

20 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any opposed?

21 (No response.)

22 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: The vote is four to nothing  
23 and the Orders are entered. We will use this four to  
24 nothing vote for the remainder of today's

1 Transportation Agenda unless otherwise noted.

2 Item RR-7 is Docket Number T14-0053. This  
3 is the City of East St. Louis' Petition for Approval  
4 of the taking of certain property by exercising  
5 eminent domain authority. ALJ Duggan recommends  
6 entry of an Order authorizing the initiation of  
7 eminent domain action.

8 Is there any discussion?

9 (No response.)

10 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objection?

11 (No response.)

12 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is  
13 entered.

14 Items RR-8 through RR-13 can be taken  
15 together. These items are Stipulated Agreements  
16 seeking authorization for safety improvement projects  
17 at highway-rail grade crossings across Illinois. In  
18 each case, our Transportation Staff recommends entry  
19 of an Order or Supplemental Order granting the  
20 requested relief.

21 Is there any discussion?

22 (No response.)

23 CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?

24 (No response.)

1           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Orders  
2 are entered.

3           On to Motor Carriers. Item MC-1 is Dazzo's  
4 Auto Repair's Application for renewal of their  
5 Commercial Relocation Towing License pursuant to the  
6 provisions of Section 18a-401 of the Illinois  
7 Commercial Relocation of Trespassing Vehicles Law.  
8 The Transportation counsel recommends entry of an  
9 Order granting the renewal.

10           Is there any discussion?

11                           (No response.)

12           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Any objections?

13                           (No response.)

14           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, the Order is  
15 entered.

16           Mr. Matrisch, is there any further business  
17 to come before the Commission today?

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

19           CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, that  
20 concludes the Transportation Agenda. Thank you,  
21 gentlemen.

22                           TRANSPORTATION AGENDA CONCLUDED.

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CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

I, Angela C. Turner, a Certified Shorthand Reporter within and for the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the proceeding aforementioned was held on the time and in the place previously described.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal.

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