BEFORE THE
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

BENCH SESSION

(TRANSPORTATION)

Springfield, Illinois
Thursday, February 23, 2012

Met, pursuant to notice, at 10:30 a.m.
in the Audiovisual Conference Room, Second Floor,
Leland Building, 527 East Capitol Avenue,
Springfield, Illinois.

PRESENT:

MR. DOUGLAS P. SCOTT, Chairman

MS. LULA M. FORD, Commissioner
(Via audiovisual teleconference)

MS. ERIN M. O'CONNELL-DIAZ, Commissioner
(Via audiovisual teleconference)

MR. SHERMAN J. ELLIOTT, Commissioner

MR. JOHN T. COLGAN, Commissioner

SULLIVAN REPORTING COMPANY, by
Carla J. Boehl, Reporter
CSR #084-002710
PROCEEDINGS

CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Pursuant to the provisions of Illinois Open Meetings Act, I now convene a regularly scheduled Bench Session of the Illinois Commerce Commission. With me in Springfield are Commissioners Elliott and Colgan and with us in Chicago are Commissioners Ford and O'Connell-Diaz. 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.

Starting with the Transportation agenda, we will begin with the Railroad Section. Item RR-1 is Docket Number T10-0157. This item concerns a citation proceeding against Keokuk Junction Railroad Company. ALJ Kirkland-Montaque
recommends entry of an Order dismissing the Citation Order previously entered by the Commission.

    Is there any discussion?
    (No response.)

    Is there a motion to enter the Order?

    COMMISSIONER COLGAN:  So moved.

    CHAIRMAN SCOTT:  Is there a second?

    COMMISSIONER ELLIOTT:  Second.

    CHAIRMAN SCOTT:  It's been moved and seconded.

    All in favor say aye.

    COMMISSIONERS:  Aye.

    CHAIRMAN SCOTT:  Any opposed?

    (No response.)

    The vote is five to nothing, and the Order is entered.

    We will use this five to nothing vote for the remainder of the Transportation agenda unless otherwise noted.

    Items RR-2 through RR-5 (T12-0010, T12-0016, T12-0017, T12-0018) can be taken together. These items concern Stipulated Agreements regarding public safety improvements at highway-rail grade
crossings across Illinois. In each case Staff recommends entry of an Order approving the agreement.

Is there any discussion?

(No response.)

Any objections?

(No response.)

Hearing none, the Orders are entered.

On to Motor Carriers, Items MC-1 through MC-3 concern stipulated settlement agreements over alleged violations of the Illinois Commercial Transportation Law. In each case our Transportation counsel recommends entry of an Order approving the settlement agreement.

Is there any discussion?

(No response.)

Any objections?

(No response.)

Hearing none, the Orders are entered.

Item MC-4 is Norbert G. Langys' application for renewal of his Operator's Permit for the commercial relocation of trespassing vehicles.

ALJ Kirkland-Montaque recommends entry of an Order
granting the license renewal.

Is there any discussion?

(No response.)

Are there any objections?

(No response.)

Hearing none, the Order is entered, and the license renewal is granted.

We also have one administrative matter to address today. Item AM-1 concerns a resolution designating members to the Merit Advisory Board for the purpose of interviewing and recommending new police officers. Transportation Bureau Chief Steve Matrisch recommends adoption of the resolution.

Is there any discussion?

(No response.)

Any objections?

(No response.)

Hearing none, the resolution is adopted.

Mr. Matrisch, is there any further Transportation business to come before the Commission today?
MR. MATRISCH: No, Chairman. Thank you.

CHAIRMAN SCOTT: Hearing none, that concludes today's Transportation agenda.

TRANSPORTATION AGENDA CONCLUDED