

**THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

Before Commissioners: Pat Apple, Chairman  
Shari Feist Albrecht  
Jay Scott Emler

In the Matter of the Notice of Denial of ) Docket No: 17-CONS-3655-CMSC  
License Renewal Application to Nadel and )  
Gussman, LLC. ) CONSERVATION DIVISION  
)  
\_\_\_\_\_) License No: 32638

**PREHEARING OFFICER ORDER CONTINUING PREHEARING CONFERENCE**

This matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (Commission). Having reviewed the pleadings and record, the Prehearing Officer makes the following findings:

1. On May 18, 2017, the Commission designated a Prehearing Officer to address any scheduling or procedural matters pursuant to K.S.A. 77-517(b).
2. On June 8, 2017, at the Prehearing Conference, the parties agreed to continue the Prehearing Conference until August 10, 2017.
3. On August 10, 2017, another Prehearing Conference was held and the parties agreed to continue this matter again in the hopes of resolving the outstanding issue with the one well involved in this proceeding.

**THEREFORE, THE PREHEARING OFFICER ORDERS:**

- A. The Prehearing Conference shall be rescheduled for **Thursday, August 31, 2017, at 9:00 a.m.** by telephone. The conference call information is: telephone number: (866) 620-7326, Conference Code PIN: 7632914771#.
- B. At the Prehearing Conference, parties shall be prepared to discuss deadlines for filing testimony and briefs, discovery procedures, and scheduling of a hearing with the Commission.

C. At the Prehearing Conference, without further notice, this proceeding may be converted into a conference hearing or a summary proceeding for disposition of this matter as provided by the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act (KAPA).<sup>1</sup> Any party that fails to attend or participate in the Prehearing Conference, hearing, or other stage of this proceeding may be held in default pursuant to the KAPA.<sup>2</sup>

D. A corporation shall appear before the Commission by a Kansas licensed attorney.<sup>3</sup>

E. Parties have 15 days from the date of electronic service of this Order to petition for reconsideration.<sup>4</sup>

F. The Commission retains jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties for the purpose of entering such further orders as it deems necessary.

Dated: August 10, 2017

/s/ Michael J. Duenes

Michael J. Duenes  
Prehearing Officer

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<sup>1</sup> K.S.A. 77-501 *et seq.*

<sup>2</sup> K.S.A. 77-516(c)(8); K.S.A. 77-520.

<sup>3</sup> K.S.A. 77-515(c); K.A.R. 82-1-228(d)(2).

<sup>4</sup> K.S.A. 66-118b; K.S.A. 77-529(a)(1).

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on 8/10/17, I caused a complete and accurate copy of this Order to be served electronically and via United States mail, with the postage prepaid and properly addressed to the following:

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