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2 10:48 a.m.

3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. The  
4 next case in our calendar is Case Number 20-CMP-  
5 00112. This is Mignot.

6 Is this still your case or will Mr.  
7 Ortiz appear, Ms. Jordan?

8 MS. JORDAN: I'll be handling all the  
9 status hearings this morning.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right,  
11 thank you. All right, so, Ms. Andrews, can you  
12 please elevate the rights of the owner for this  
13 establishment, please?

14 MS. ANDREWS: Sure. Standby.

15 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.

16 MS. ANDREWS: Mr. Bianco, your rights  
17 have been elevated. And that's all, Mr. Chair.

18 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay, good  
19 morning. All right, thank you.

20 MR. BIANCO: Mr. Chair? Actually --

21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, Mr.  
22 Bianco.

23 MR. BIANCO: -- this isn't my case.  
24 All right, so, all right, thank you, Mr. Bianco.

25 Ms. Andrews, can you, the person, it's

1 Ms. Asefa, A-S-E-F-A. That's the owner of this  
2 case, Ms. Andrews, so can you please --

3 MS. ANDREWS: My apologies. Mr.  
4 Bianco, I'm going to make you an attendee again,  
5 okay?

6 MR. BIANCO: Thank you.

7 MS. ANDREWS: Yes. My apologies. Ms.  
8 Asefa, your rights have been elevated.

9 MS. ASEFA: Thank you.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mister, I  
11 believe Mister and Miss Asefa.

12 MS. ASEFA: Yes.

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Do you have a  
14 camera you can turn on?

15 MS. ASEFA: Yes.

16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. All  
17 right, thank you. All right. All right.

18 Ms. Jordan, can you please, once  
19 again, please spell and state your name for the  
20 record, please?

21 MS. JORDAN: Good morning. My name is  
22 Janika Jordan, J-A-N-I-K-A, J-O-R-D-A-N, on  
23 behalf of the Government.

24 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Ms. Asega, can  
25 you spell and state your name for the record

1 please?

2 MS. ASEFA: Hi. My name is Rbeka  
3 Asefa, R-B-E-K-A, A-S-E-F-A.

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Asefa?

5 MS. ASEFA: Yes, Asefa.

6 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay. All  
7 right, thank you. All right, good morning. Good  
8 morning, everybody.

9 Ms. Jordan, are there any preliminary  
10 matters in this case?

11 MS. JORDAN: There are no preliminary  
12 matters. The parties do not have an Offer-in-  
13 Compromise to present to the Board at this time.

14 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right,  
15 thank you. This matter then is scheduled, Ms.  
16 Asefa, this matter is scheduled for July 28th,  
17 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

18 So we'll be having a full show cause  
19 hearing. At that hearing you will be able to  
20 bring any documents and witnesses that you have  
21 to defend yourself in this case.

22 What we'll also ask, I ask all  
23 parties, seven days before the hearing that they  
24 need to exchange documents and witnesses.  
25 Meaning that, ma'am, if you're going to call a

1 witness that you need to testify, or if you're  
2 going to use any documents, you need to provide  
3 those documents to the other party seven days  
4 before the hearing. And also provide it to the  
5 Agency.

6 So I'm letting you know that if you  
7 have documents and witnesses, you need to  
8 disclose it so each party knows what it is that  
9 they will be doing at the hearing, okay?

10 The parties can discuss a settlement  
11 if they want to, but that's basically where we  
12 are. Do you have any questions you want to ask  
13 me? Just preliminary.

14 MS. ASEFA: Who exactly do I provide  
15 the documents to?

16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: To Steven  
17 Ortiz. He's the one who represents, I'm not sure  
18 if you have spoken to him before, he's the one  
19 who represents the Government.

20 I assume that, Ms. Jordan, can you  
21 make sure that Mr. Ortiz, this is his case, that  
22 he makes contact with the owner.

23 And if you have any questions, who to  
24 provide the documents to the Agency, you are  
25 always welcome to contact April Randall in the

1 Agency. And she will provide you some guidance,  
2 how to provide the documents to the Agency.

3 But Mr. Ortiz, whose case this is, I  
4 would hope that you and him will have had some  
5 conversations between now and the hearing,  
6 regarding how to provide it.

7 MS. ASEFA: Okay.

8 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay?

9 MS. ASEFA: Okay, thank you.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you.

11 Have a great day. Thank you very much.

12 MS. ASEFA: Thank you.

13 MEMBER SHORT: Mr. Chair, what is the  
14 correct address for this establishment?

15 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I'm sorry. Is  
16 your correct is 4815 Florida Avenue Northwest, is  
17 that the address for the --

18 MS. ASEFA: No, it isn't. It's 4815  
19 Georgia Avenue Northwest.

20 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: It's 4815, so  
21 Mignot is 4815 Georgia Avenue Northwest?

22 MS. ASEFA: Yes.

23 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay. All  
24 right.

25 MEMBER SHORT: Thank you, Mr. Chair.

1 Thank you.

2 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Thank you. All  
3 right, thank you, ma'am. Have a great day.

4 MS. ASEFA: Thank you too.

5 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.

6 (Whereupon, the above-entitled matter  
7 went off the record at 10:54 a.m.)

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