

ALSO PRESENT:

AMY SCHMIDT, OAG

MAGDALENA NAVARRO, Interpreter

MANUEL SOLLOSO, Licensee

P-R-O-C-E-E-D-I-N-G-S

10:18 a.m.

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3 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Whose case is
4 18-251-00169?

5 MS. SCHMIDT: Yes, I have the rest of
6 the calendar.

7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Have a seat
8 then. Introduce yourself. El Rincon, come
9 forward, please. Introduce yourself for the
10 record.

11 Are you an interpreter, ma'am?

12 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: Yes.

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. The
14 attorney is not going to be here before 10:30.

15 MS. SCHMIDT: I was --

16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: -- before
17 11:30. And it's my understanding that there is
18 no OICs in this case, so --

19 MS. SCHMIDT: Yes, there is. An OIC
20 was reached -- I was not in the office yesterday
21 and I got an email yesterday the OIC was reached
22 late after -- in the afternoon yesterday.

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.
2 Well, hold on, hold on a minute. Introduce
3 yourself for the record, please. I'm sorry,
4 Spanish?

5 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: Mm-hmm.

6 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Raise your
7 right hand, please.

8 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: Yes.

9 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Hold on one
10 minute. Put your hand down until I get it. I
11 try to make sure I read the correct statement.
12 Okay. All right. Hold on, please.

13 Okay. Do you solemnly affirm that you
14 will faithfully and accurately interpret these
15 proceedings in the matter from English to Spanish
16 and from Spanish to English to the best of your
17 ability?

18 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: I swear.

19 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.
20 Well, introduce yourself for the record, please.

21 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: I am Magdalena
22 Navarro. I'm a Spanish/English interpreter.

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Okay. Thank
2 you. You guys can sit. He can introduce
3 himself, too. Have him introduce himself, too,
4 please.

5 MR. SOLLOSO: My name is Manuel
6 Solloso.

7 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Good morning,
8 Mr. Solloso.

9 MR. SOLLOSO: Solloso.

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Solloso.

11 MR. SOLLOSO: S-O double L-O-S-O.

12 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.

13 Thank you. Please, sign-in.

14 All right. Okay. All right. So Mr.
15 Solloso?

16 MR. SOLLOSO: Yes, sir.

17 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Your attorney
18 had informed us this morning that she would not
19 be here until 11:30. So that's another hour.
20 And so that's one of the reasons why we are going
21 to move forward. And all we are doing today,
22 since your attorney is not here, is scheduling

1 this matter for a Show Cause Hearing on April
2 10th at 10:00.

3 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: 10:30?

4 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: 10:00.

5 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: 10:00.

6 MR. SOLLOSO: I spoke to the attorney
7 yesterday and he told me to come here today to
8 say that we accept the settlement offered
9 between, you know, the --

10 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Do
11 you want to move forward without your attorney
12 here today to accept the settlement offer?

13 MR. SOLLOSO: Yes. A settlement was
14 reached and I'm happy to just pay and close the
15 case.

16 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. All
17 right. I just want to make it -- I just want to
18 be clear, okay? Your attorney told us she is
19 going to be here at 11:30. However, because you
20 said that a settlement was reached, you want to
21 move forward now without your attorney. Is that
22 correct?

1 MR. SOLLOSO: Correct.

2 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I need you to
3 say yes, sir.

4 MR. SOLLOSO: Yes, I agree.

5 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Ms.
6 Schmidt, are there any preliminary matters in
7 this case?

8 MS. SCHMIDT: Yes. There is an Offer
9 in Compromise consisting of a \$1,500 fine for
10 Charge 1 to be paid within 30 days or the license
11 shall be suspended indefinitely until the fine is
12 paid.

13 Charge 2 is to be dismissed.

14 And then Charge 3 is a \$350 fine to be
15 paid within 30 days or else the license will be
16 suspended indefinitely until this fine is paid
17 for a total of \$1,850 within -- payable within 30
18 days.

19 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: He would like to
20 pay now.

21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. So
22 it's my understanding that there is an Offer in

1 Compromise and the Offer in Compromise is that a
2 fine -- for Charge 1 a \$1,500 fine payable in 30
3 days. Charge 2 will be dismissed. Charge 3,
4 \$350 payable in 30 days. Is this your
5 understanding of -- you can pay whenever you want
6 to, but -- yeah, is this your understanding of
7 the Offer in Compromise, sir?

8 MR. SOLLOSO: Yes, I understand.

9 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right. Are
10 you also aware that by accepting an Offer in
11 Compromise, you are giving up your right to a
12 hearing?

13 MR. SOLLOSO: Yes, of course.

14 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: And you also
15 understand by giving up your right in -- you are
16 giving up your right to appeal this matter? Is
17 that correct?

18 MR. SOLLOSO: Yes, I understand,
19 because the people who are working there are no
20 longer working there.

21 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.

22 Thank you. All right.

1 With that said, I then make a motion
2 that the Offer in Compromise for Charge 1 a fine
3 of \$1,500; Charge 2 will be dismissed; Charge 3 a
4 fine of \$350, for a total fine of \$1,850 be
5 payable within 30 days. If the fine is not
6 payable in 30 days, the license will be
7 suspended. Is there a second?

8 MEMBER SILVERSTEIN: Second.

9 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Mr. Silverstein
10 has seconded the motion.

11 All those in favor say aye.

12 ALL: Aye.

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Those opposed?
14 The matter passes 6-0-0.

15 Thank you. We will have you sign-off
16 on the paperwork today, sir. You can pay the
17 fine today or you can pay it in 30 days. Thank
18 you very much.

19 MR. SOLLOSO: I have check. I mean,
20 I don't bring the cash in.

21 INTERPRETER NAVARRO: Can he pay by
22 check?

1 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: I don't know
2 how they accept payment at the front desk, so
3 however you have always paid, you go to the front
4 desk, sir, and as long as it's good money, I
5 assume they will take it.

6 Thank you very much, sir.

7 MR. SOLLOSO: Thank you. Also, thank
8 you.

9 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: Yes, all right.
10 Thank you. So you have some paperwork to sign-
11 off, sir.

12 MS. SCHMIDT: Thank you.

13 CHAIRPERSON ANDERSON: All right.

14 (Whereupon, the Show Cause (Status)
15 Hearing was concluded at 10:27 a.m.)
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