# STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT REAL ESTATE COMMISSION Minutes of Meeting October 3, 2018

The Connecticut Real Estate Commission convened on Wednesday, October 3, 2018 at 10:10 a.m. in Hearing Room J, 450 Columbus Boulevard, Hartford, CT 06103.

Commissioners Present: Joseph B. Castonguay, Acting Chairman (Broker – 2<sup>nd</sup> District)

Lana K. Ogrodnik (Broker – 5<sup>th</sup> District) Amy Bergquist (Broker – 1<sup>st</sup> District)

Linda C. Burnham (Salesperson – 2<sup>nd</sup> District)
Peter L. Gray (Salesperson – 4<sup>th</sup> District)
Morag L. Vance (Public Member – 4<sup>th</sup> District)
Theodore F. Ells, Esq. (Public Member- 3<sup>rd</sup> District)

Commissioners Absent: None

Commission Vacancy: Public Member (1)

Attorney General's Office: Alan Ponanski, Assistant Attorney General

DCP Staff Present: William Zenga

Paulette Annon Kelly Harvey Robin Washbond

Public Present: George Agnelli

David Mester, Esq. Stacey McGriff-Hodges

# MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

It was moved by Commissioner Vance, Commissioner Ogrodnik 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the motion carried to approve the minutes of the August 1, 2018 Connecticut Real Estate Commission meeting. Commissioner Ells abstained due to his absence from the August meeting.

## COMMENTS OR CONCERNS OF ANY PERSON PRESENT TODAY

None

# **PRE-FORMAL HEARING COMMENTS**

Commissioner Bergquist stated that she filed an ethics complaint with the Greater Hartford Board against one of George Agnelli's agents but said there is no conflict, and not related to the Agnelli hearing.

Attorney David Mester responded that he will need to review the complaint; waive it for today's hearing but in the unlikely event that something arises after his review then he will reevaluate it at the next hearing date.

It was moved by Commissioner Burnham, Commissioner Ogrodnik 2<sup>nd</sup>, and the motion carried unanimously to adjourn the regular meeting at 10:15 A.M.

<u>FORMAL HEARING</u> – Continued from August 1, 2018 Acting Chairman Castonguay reconvened the Formal Hearing at 10:17 A.M. Commissioner Ells recused himself from this matter.

### Docket #2017-214

Formal Hearing In the Matter of Agnelli Real Estate LLC/ REB.789510
Respondent: George W. Agnelli, Jr. d/b/a Agnelli Real Estate LLC
Represented by: Attorney David Mester of the law firm Mester Grabow & Miller, LLC
DCP Legal Counsel: Paulette Annon, Staff Attorney

Mr. George W. Agnelli Jr. appeared before the Commission today represented by Attorney David Mester.

The Commission continued to hear testimony on this matter from DCP Real Estate Examiner, Kelly Harvey,

The hearing concluded at 12:40 P.M. and will continue on December 5, 2018 at 10:00 A.M. in Hearing Room J.

Acting Chairman Castonguay adjourned the meeting at 12:40 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Robin Washbond Commission Secretary

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The next meeting of this Commission is scheduled for Wednesday, November 7, 2018 at 10:00 a.m., in Hearing Room J, 450 Columbus Blvd, Hartford, CT 06103