

Case 9039

RULE 1216. HEARINGS WHICH MUST BE HELD BEFORE COMMISSION

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these rules, the hearing on any matter shall be held before the Commission (1) if it is a hearing de novo, or (2) if the Division Director in his discretion desires the Commission to hear the matter.

RULE 1217. EXAMINER'S MANNER OF CONDUCTING HEARING

An Examiner conducting a hearing under these rules shall conduct himself as a disinterested umpire.

RULE 1218. REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS, EXAMINER'S HEARING

Upon the conclusion of any hearing before an Examiner, the Examiner shall promptly consider the proceedings in such hearing, and based upon the record of such hearing the Examiner shall prepare his written report and recommendations for the disposition of the matter or proceeding by the Division. Such report and recommendations shall either be accompanied by a proposed order or shall be in the form of a proposed order, and shall be submitted to the Division Director with the certified record of the hearing.

RULE 1219. DISPOSITION OF CASES HEARD BY EXAMINERS

After receipt of the report and recommendations of the Examiner, the Division Director shall enter the Division's order disposing of the matter or proceeding.

RULE 1220. DE NOVO HEARING BEFORE COMMISSION

When any order has been entered by the Division pursuant to any hearing held by an Examiner, any party adversely affected by such order shall have the right to have such matter or proceeding heard de novo before the Commission, provided that within 30 days from the date such order is rendered such party filed with the Division a written application for such hearing before the Commission. If such application is filed, the matter or proceeding shall be set for hearing before the Commission at the first available hearing date following the expiration of fifteen days from the date such application is filed with the Division. Any person affected by the order or decision rendered by the Commission after hearing before the Commission may apply for rehearing pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Rule 1222 and said Rule 1222 together with the law applicable to rehearing and appeals in matters and proceedings before the Commission shall thereafter apply to such matter or proceeding.

RULE 1221. NOTICE OF COMMISSION AND DIVISION ORDERS

Within ten days after any order, including any order granting or refusing rehearing, or order following rehearing, has been rendered, a copy of such order shall be mailed by the Division to each person or his attorney of record who has entered his appearance of record in the matter of proceeding pursuant to which such order is rendered.