SUPREME COURT RULE 138 PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENT

TO ALL ATTORNEYS AND SELF-REPRESENTED LITIGANTS

The following procedure will be followed at all evidentiary hearings:

Each Arbitrator or Commissioner will make the following inquiry prior to any Evidentiary Hearing, where documentary evidence is to be submitted:

For the record, please certify that you have examined each of your exhibits and that they comply with Supreme Court Rule 138, which prohibits the inclusion of personal identity information in documents or exhibits that are to be offered into the record.

Once that certification has been made, a hearing can then begin.

If such a statement is not made, the matter will be continued until the exhibit or document is redacted and complies with S. Ct. Rule 138.

This procedure will be followed at all hearings from this day forward.

A copy of Illinois Supreme Court Rule 138 can be found at:

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Michael J. Brennan

Chairman