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## HEARINGS OFFICER'S ORDER

### APPEAL OF WILLIAM BLYSTONE

CASE NO. 3120308

HEARINGS OFFICER: Mr. Gregory J. Frank

### FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW:

The Revenue Bureau of the City of Portland issued a determination to William Matthew Blystone on April 17, 2012 (Exhibit 4). Exhibit 4 states, "You may request an appeal of this decision before the Code Hearing officer, under the provisions of City Code Chapter 22.10. To arrange a hearing, your written request must be received with **10 days** of the date of this determination..." (emphasis added). Mr. Blystone's request for a hearing was received at the Revenue Bureau on May 11, 2012 (Exhibit 1a), 24 days after the determination was issued. The appeal was filed 14 days late.

Since the appeal was not filed timely, the Hearings Officer is denying Mr. Blystone's request for a hearing.

### ORDER AND DETERMINATION:

The appeal of William Blystone of an April 17, 2012 Denial of Private For-Hire Transportation Driver Permit determination is denied.

This order has been mailed to the parties on June 18, 2012.

This order may be appealed to a court of competent jurisdiction pursuant to ORS 34.010 et seq.

Dated: June 18, 2012

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Enclosure

Gregory J. Frank, Hearings Officer

<b>Exhibit #</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Submitted by</b>	<b>Disposition</b>
1	Appeal form page 1	Butler, Kathleen	
1a	Letter	Butler, Kathleen	
2	Appeal form page 2	Butler, Kathleen	
3	6/8/12 Staff Report	Butler, Kathleen	
4	4/17/12 Denial of Private For-Hire Transportation Driver		
	Permit letter, Frank Dufay to Blystone	Butler, Kathleen	
5	Driver Permit Application	Butler, Kathleen	