

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Banking Department
53 Regional Drive, Suite 200
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

In the Matter of:
National Loan Restructuring, LLC,
(Fictitious name for Atlas Financial, Incorporated),
Robert Ready and Charlie Stevens
(the "Respondents")

Docket No. 10-165

ORDER RE HEARING RESCHEDULED

Following the service of a Complaint, Order to Show Cause and Cease and Desist Order ("Order") by the Banking Department ("Department"), and a waiver of the 10-day hearing requirement by the Respondents, a Notice of Hearing ("Notice") for December 6, 2011 was served. The deadline for filing exhibits and witness lists is November 29, 2011.

On November 28, 2011, the Department filed a Request for Motion to Continue Adjudicative Hearing ("Request") to allow additional notice to be sent to the Respondents. Accompanying the Request is an Amended Notice of Hearing ("Amended Notice") that appears to be the same as the initial Notice with the exception that the hearing date has been changed, the deadline for submission of hearing materials has been extended, and the Certificate of Service in the initial Notice is one page and the Certificate of Service in the Amended Notice is four pages.

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The Request raises a number of issues, not the least of which is that on the face of the pleading the Respondents have not had an opportunity to respond.¹ These issues are moot based on matters beyond the control of the Parties.

The Presiding Officer represents a client with an oral argument before the First Circuit Court of Appeals on December 7, 2011. I was mindful of the argument when the hearing in this matter was scheduled for December 6, 2011 but anticipated that I would have sufficient time to handle both matters. The reality is that I have no control over the scheduling of the oral argument. As a result, I HEREBY ORDER *SUA SPONTE* that the hearing scheduled for December 6, 2011 and the deadline for filing materials on November 29, 2011 are CONTINUED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Respondents have until December 15, 2011 to respond to the Department's Request. Once I have the response, I will determine how to proceed. Rebekah Becker, Paralegal, is authorized to communicate the substance of this Order to the Parties prior to its issuance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Department is to provide Mrs. Becker with e-mail or phone numbers for the Respondents to the extent the Department has such information.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that as otherwise amended herein, the provisions within the Notice of Hearing shall remain in effect.

SO ORDERED,

/s/
Stephen J. Judge
Presiding Officer

Date: 12/2/11

¹ Administrative Rule JUS 806 allows 30 days to object to a written motion. The Presiding Officer acts after full consideration of all objections.