

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR DECLARATORY RULING

Park Hardware Co., Inc. (“Park Hardware”) has filed a petition for declaratory ruling with the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities (“CHRO”) on the following issues:

1. Whether the “Brokers and Brokering Activity” policy of CHRO currently on the CHRO website, was lawfully promulgated by CHRO, in accordance with Chapter 54 of the Connecticut General Statutes, and if so, under what authority? If not, how was it promulgated and under what authority?
2. Whether Alvin Bingham’s assertions that Park Hardware is a “broker” and the subsequent “deficiency” assignment to a Park Hardware customer (Ferguson) were lawfully founded in CHRO regulations to be given the full force and effect of law; and if so, under what authority?

Any person seeking to become a party or intervene in the proceedings shall apply in accordance with the requirements of Regs. Conn. State Agencies § 46a-54-124 no later than August 31, 2017.