#### SECOND PUBLIC HEARING SCRIPT

Time Release Properties, LLC and/or Individual(s) or Affiliate(s), Subsidiary(ies), or Entity(ies) formed or to be formed on its behalf Project

Public Hearing to be held on February 16, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. via Virtual Conference Software

## **ATTENDANCE:**

Robert Laughlin – Time Release Properties Kirk Dorn – Time Release Properties Karen Fiala – ECIDA Carrie Hocieniec – ECIDA Brian Krygier – ECIDA

**<u>1. WELCOME:** Call to Order and Identity of Hearing Officer.</u>

*Hearing Officer:* Welcome. This public hearing is now open; it is 9:00 a.m. My name is Grant Lesswing. I am the Business Development Officer of the Erie County Industrial Development Agency, and I have been designated by the Agency to be the hearing officer to conduct this virtual public hearing. This public hearing is being live-streamed and made accessible on the Agency's website at www.ecidany.com. Pre-registration for anyone wishing to speak at today's public hearing was required through our website. Today I am joined by Brian Krygier, ECIDA Systems Analyst who will be the Hearing Moderator and he will be managing the public comment portion of this hearing.

2. PURPOSE: Purpose of the Hearing.

<u>Hearing Officer:</u> We are here to hold the public hearing on the Time Release Properties, LLC and/or Individual(s) or Affiliate(s), Subsidiary(ies), or Entity(ies) formed or to be formed on its behalf. The transcript of this hearing will be reviewed and considered by the Agency in determination of this project. Notice of this hearing appeared in <u>The Buffalo News</u> on Friday, February 5, 2021.

### 3. PROJECT SUMMARY: Description of Project and Contemplated Agency Benefits.

<u>Hearing Officer:</u> The proposed project (the "Project") consists of: (i) a 26+/- acre portion of land located at 2303 Hamburg Turnpike, City of Lackawanna, Erie County, New York (the "Land") known as Parcels II-9 and II-10 in the Bethlehem Redevelopment Area Light Industrial District; (ii) the

construction of a 290,000+/- SF light industrial building comprised of 190,000+/- SF of manufacturing/processing space, 90,000+/- SF of warehouse space, and 8,000+/- SF of office space, and the installation of certain infrastructure improvements on the Land (collectively, the "Improvements") to be utilized by Time Release Sciences, Inc. (the "Tenant"), and (iii) the acquisition and installation by the Company of certain items of machinery, equipment and other tangible personal property (the "Equipment"; and, collectively with the Land and the Improvements, the "Facility").

The proposed financial assistance contemplated by the Agency includes New York State and local sales and use tax exemption benefits, mortgage recording tax exemption benefits, and real property tax abatement benefits (in compliance with Agency's uniform tax exemption policy).

#### 4. FORMAT OF HEARING: Review rules and manner in which the hearing will proceed.

<u>*Hearing Officer:*</u> All those who have joined this conference call were required to preregister through our website (www.ecidany.com). Everyone who has preregistered will be given an opportunity to make statements and/or comments on the Project.

If you have a written statement or comment to submit for the record, please submit it on the Agency's website or mail to the Agency at 95 Perry Street, Suite 403, Buffalo, New York 14203. The comment period closes on February 23, 2021. There are no limitations on written statements or comments.

### **<u>5. PUBLIC COMMENT: Hearing Officer gives the Public an opportunity to speak.</u>**

*Hearing Officer:* Those interested in making a statement or comment will be called upon by Brian in the order that they registered for this meeting. Please begin by stating your name and address; if you are representing a company, please identify the company. I request that speakers keep statements and/or comments to 5 minutes, and if possible, 3 minutes.

# The Hearing Moderator introduces each participate in the order they registered for this meeting.

Robert Laughlin, President Time Release Properties. We're in the process of building our 290,000 sq. ft. facility at the Bethlehem site and the project has exceeded the original projection we had in the application and at this time we're seeking additional sales tax benefit.

# **<u>6. ADJOURNMENT:</u>**

As there were no further statements and/or comments, the Hearing Officer closed the public hearing at 9:05 a.m.

### SIGN IN SHEET PUBLIC HEARING

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Project Location: 2303 Hamburg Turnpike, City of Lackawanna, New York 14218

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