

BEFORE THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF

ROBERT BLAKE

HEARING # 08-019

FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER

The Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission (hereinafter the “Commission”) held a hearing on September 17, 2008, to determine whether Robert Blake should be issued a new motor vehicle dealer’s license in accordance with the provisions of the Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission Act, Ark. Code Ann. § 23-112-101 et seq., and Commission Rule 2 regarding hearings and appeals.

The Respondent, Robert Blake, after receiving proper notification, did not attend.

After hearing testimony from Vicki Wright, License Supervisor, and reviewing documents received in evidence, the Commission makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- F1. Mr. Blake notified the Commission’s license supervisor, Vicki Wright, on August 4, 2008, of his desire to become a licensed new motor vehicle dealer.
- F2. Mr. Blake first sent the Commission photograph’s of his proposed facility. Upon review of these photographs, Mrs. Wright notified Mr. Blake about some concerns the Commission had regarding his facilities, and requested Mr. Blake provide further explanation on his plans for a dealership.
- F3. In the attached explanation marked Exhibit 1, Mr. Blake stated, “construction of (a) permanent facility would begin in the spring of 2009, upon the determination of adequate sales. Should sales not go as predicted, the dealership would be

brought to a close, closing its doors upon fulfilling any warranty or service issues.”

CONCLUSION OF LAW

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact, the Commission makes the following Conclusion of Law:

- C1. Robert Blake’s request for a new motor vehicle dealer’s was found to be inadequate and does not meet the requirements of Ark. Code Ann. §23-112-302 due to improper facilities and business plan not in the public interest.

ORDER

The Commission finds that the request for a new motor vehicle dealer’s license is hereby denied.

This is a final Order of the Commission and as such is subject to judicial review pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 25-15-212.

ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION

By _____
F. S. Stroope, Chairman

Date: _____