

OCCC CASE NO. L21-00100

IN THE MATTER OF:	§	BEFORE THE
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MASTER FILE NO.:1400031570	§	OFFICE OF CONSUMER
MINEOLA TEXAS STAR, LLC	§	
6420 S. STATE HWY. 37, SUITE 1	§	CREDIT COMMISSIONER
MINEOLA, TEXAS 75773	§	
	§	STATE OF TEXAS

**ORDER TO FILE TIMELY AND ACCURATE
QUARTERLY AND ANNUAL REPORTS**

The Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner (“OCCC”) issues this Order to File Timely and Accurate Quarterly and Annual Reports against Mineola Texas Star, LLC (“Mineola Texas Star”).¹

Statement of Facts and Law

Mineola Texas Star is a credit services organization licensed to act as a credit access business under Chapter 393 of the Texas Finance Code. Mineola Texas Star operates under master file number 1400031570 at six licensed locations, under license numbers 150237, 152231, 153006, 153350, 15773, and 158749. Mineola Texas Star’s compliance officer is Jonathan Pruett, and its designated contact address is 6420 S. State Hwy. 37, Suite 1, Mineola, Texas 75773.

A credit access business must file quarterly and annual reports with the Consumer Credit Commissioner (“Commissioner”).² A credit access business must submit for each of its licensed locations its 2020 3rd quarter reports on or before October 31, 2020.³ All information provided on the quarterly and annual reports must be accurate and calculated in accordance with the OCCC’s instructions.⁴

Mineola Texas Star did not file its 2020 3rd quarter reports with the Commissioner on or before October 31, 2020.

¹ Tex. Fin. Code § 14.208.

² Tex. Fin. Code §§ 393.622, 393.627; 7 Tex. Admin. Code § 83.5001(a).

³ 7 Tex. Admin. Code § 83.5001 (b)(1).

⁴ 7 Tex. Admin. Code § 83.5001(a).

The Commissioner may issue an injunction ordering a credit access business to file one or more complete, accurate, and timely quarterly or annual reports if the Commissioner has reasonable cause to believe that the credit access business is violating Chapter 393 of the Texas Finance Code.⁵

The Commissioner has reasonable cause to believe that Mineola Texas Star is violating Chapter 393 of the Texas Finance Code, and therefore issues this Order, because Mineola Texas Star failed to timely file its 2020 3rd quarter reports.

Order

IT IS ORDERED that Mineola Texas Star, LLC:

1. comply with, and cease and desist from violating, the reporting requirements set forth in Section 393.627 of the Texas Finance Code and Title 7, Section 83.5001 of the Texas Administrative Code;
2. file its 2020 3rd quarter report within 30 days of service of this Order, if it has not already done so; and
3. timely file complete and accurate future quarterly and annual reports.

Credit access business quarterly and annual reports must be submitted through the OCCC's Application Licensing Examination and Compliance System (ALECS): alecs.occ.texas.gov. Instructions are available by clicking the "File Annual Report" button on the OCCC's home page, occ.texas.gov.

Violation of Order

You may be assessed an administrative penalty of up to \$1,000 for each day of violation of this Order.⁶ Multiple violations may also result in the suspension or revocation of your license.⁷

⁵ Tex. Fin. Code § 14.208; 7 Tex. Admin. Code § 83.5001(e)(1).

⁶ Tex. Fin. Code § 14.208(c); 7 Tex. Admin. Code § 83.5001(e)(2).

⁷ Tex. Fin. Code § 393.614; 7 Tex. Admin. Code § 83.5001(e)(4).

Right to Request Hearing

You have the right to request a hearing regarding this Order.⁸ Your request must be made in writing and sent to the OCCC not later than 30 days after you receive this Order. You must send your request to:

Audrey Spalding
Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner
2601 N. Lamar Blvd.
Austin, Texas 78705

If you request a hearing, a hearing on this matter will be set and conducted in accordance with Chapter 2001 of the Texas Government Code.⁹ If you fail to request a hearing by this deadline, this Order is considered final and enforceable.¹⁰

All communications with the OCCC concerning this matter must be through Audrey Spalding, Assistant General Counsel, who may be contacted by mail at 2601 N. Lamar Blvd., Austin, Texas 78705, by telephone at (512) 936-7659, or by email to audrey.spalding@occc.texas.gov.

Signed this 24 day of November, 2020.

/s/ Leslie L. Pettijohn
Leslie L. Pettijohn
Consumer Credit Commissioner
State of Texas

⁸ Tex. Fin. Code § 14.208(b).

⁹ Tex. Fin. Code § 14.208(b).

¹⁰ Tex. Fin. Code § 14.208(c).

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on November 24, 2020, a true and correct copy of this Order Imposing Administrative Penalty has been sent to Mineola Texas Star, LLC by regular mail and certified mail, return receipt requested, at:

CMRRR # 9214 8901 9403 8300 0025 5156 70
Mineola Texas Star, LLC
Attn: Jonathan Pruett, Compliance Officer
6420 S. State Hwy. 37, Suite 1
Mineola, TX 75773

CMRRR # 9214 8901 9403 8300 0025 5156 87
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Attn: Jonathan Pruett, Registered Agent
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