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Under the authority granted by SDCL 49-7A-22, the Enforcement Committee of the South Dakota One Call Notification Board met on November 3, 2006 to determine whether there is probable cause to believe that a violation has occurred relative to Complaint Docket OC06-007 filed by City of Brandon against Jeremy Scadden Construction

By a unanimous vote of the Enforcement Committee, the recommended resolution to the alleged violation included in this complaint was determined to be as follows:

Complaint Docket OC06-007

Alleged Violation of SDCL 49-7A-5 Notification of Proposed Excavation

The Committee found there was probable cause that Jeremy Scadden Construction had violated SDCL 49-7A-5 by commencing excavation 101 Country Club Avenue in Brandon, SD without providing advance notification to the South Dakota One Call System as required by statute.

The committee recommends a penalty of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) with five hundred dollars (\$500.00) suspended on the following conditions:

1. Jeremy Scadden Construction fully complies with SDCL 49-7A and ARSD Article 20:25 for twelve months following acceptance of resolution of Complaint Docket OC06-007 by both parties.
2. Jeremy Scadden Construction fully complies with the resolution of Complaint Docket OC06-007 by making

payment of the five hundred dollars (\$500.00) within thirty (30) days of the issuance of the Order to close Complaint Docket OC06-007.

The findings and recommendation of the Enforcement Committee are summarized on the attached form.

Under SDCL 49-7A-27 either party may accept the recommendation of the Enforcement Committee or reject the recommendation of the Enforcement Committee by requesting a formal hearing on the violation alleged in this complaint. Your decision should be reflected on the third page of the attachment with the header "Acceptance or Rejection by Parties. **Please return the signed and dated form prior to the close of business on November 24, 2006 to:**

South Dakota One Call Notification Board
1012 N. Sycamore Avenue
Sioux Falls, SD 57110-5747

If both parties accept this resolution, the South Dakota One Call Notification Board is required to accept the resolution and close this complaint docket. If either party rejects the Enforcement Committee resolution of the alleged violation, the South Dakota One Call Notification Board will conduct a hearing as a contested case under Chapter 1-26 to resolve the allegation alleged in the rejected complaint docket. Following this hearing, the Board shall either render a decision dismissing the complaint for insufficient evidence or shall impose a penalty pursuant to SDCL 49-7A-18 or SDCL 49-7A-19.

Pursuant to SDCL 15-6-55, failure to answer this Complaint could result in a default judgment being issued against you. Appropriate liens and other legal collection actions could result. **You are strongly urged to reply to this Notice in the time frame described above and to obtain the advice of counsel should you have any legal questions.**

If you have any procedural questions relative to this complaint, please contact me at 605-339-0529 or by email at exedir@sdonecall.com. I would request that you do not contact any members of the South Dakota One Call Notification Board to discuss this complaint. Since they may be involved in the Chapter 1-26 hearing to resolve of the complaint docket, they have been advised by legal counsel to not discuss any pending complaint before the Board.

Sincerely,

Larry L. Englerth
Executive Director

ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE ACTION
Complaint Docket OC06-007
City of Brandon vs. Jeremy Scadden Construction

FINDINGS:

Complaint Docket OC06-007

Alleged Violation of SDCL 49-7A-5 Notification of Proposed Excavation

Allegation is made by City of Brandon that Jeremy Scadden Construction commenced excavation at 101 Country Club Avenue in Brandon, SD, without providing prior notification to the South Dakota One Call System as required by SDCL 49-7A-5.

Jeremy Scadden Construction submitted a response to Complaint Docket OC-06-007 identifying the following issues for consideration:

1. Acknowledge that he had performed excavation at 101 Country Club Avenue in Brandon, SD
2. Stated that he had provided the proper notification and received a ticket Docket from the South Dakota One Call System. The ticket Docket associated with this excavation was not included in the response.
3. Other factors that would not be relevant to determination of probable cause in this Complaint Docket

In reviewing the complaint filed by City of Brandon and the response from Jeremy Scadden Construction, the committee determined the following:

1. At the request of Committee, the Executive Director to the South Dakota One Call Board reviewed the ticket Dockets issued to Jeremy Scadden Construction from July 1, 2006 through November 1, 2006 and there were twelve tickets issued to him but none of the tickets reflected an excavation address of 101 Country Club Avenue in Brandon, SD.
2. In his response, Jeremy Scadden Construction acknowledges that he had conducted excavation activity at 101 Country Club Avenue as alleged in the Complaint.
3. Pictures submitted in the complaint clearly indicate that excavation activity had occurred at 101 Country Club Avenue.

Based on the information noted above, the Committee found that there was probable cause that Jeremy Scadden Construction had violated SDCL 49-7A-5 without providing advance notice to the South Dakota One Call System.

RECOMMENDATION

Complaint Docket OC06-007

VIOLATION OF SOUTH DAKOTA SDCL 49-7A-5:

The Committee found there was probable cause that Jeremy Scadden Construction had violated SDCL 49-7A-5 by commencing excavation at 101 Country Club Avenue in Brandon, SD, without providing advance notification to the South Dakota One Call System as required by statute.

The Committee also noted that probable cause was found against Jeremy Scadden Construction on Complaint Docket OC04-004 which was closed on October 6, 2004.

PROPOSED PENALTY FOR THIS VIOLATION AUTHORIZED UNDER SDCL 49-7A-18:

The committee recommends a penalty of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) with five hundred dollars (\$500) suspended on the following conditions:

3. Jeremy Scadden Construction fully complies with SDCL 49-7A and ARSD Article 20:25 for twelve months following acceptance of resolution of Complaint Docket OC06-007 by both parties.
4. Jeremy Scadden Construction fully complies with the resolution of Complaint OC06-007 by making payment of the five hundred dollars (\$500) within thirty (30) days of the issuance of the Order to close Complaint Docket OC06-007.

