STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY AND MOTOR VEHICLES

DOAH CASE NO.: 15-4413, 15-4427 DMS CASE NO.: 15-1279, 15-1280 FINAL ORDER #: HSMV-15-1282 -S-MS

GMVT MOTORS, LLC, d/b/a DAVID MAUS CHEVROLET,

Petitioner,
vs.
GENERAL MOTORS, LLC AND STARLING CHEVROLET-CADILLAC, LLC,
Respondents.
SAI ORLANDO CS, LLC
Petitioner,
vs.
GENERAL MOTORS, LLC AND STARLING CHEVROLET-CADILLAC, LLC,
Respondents.

FINAL ORDER

This matter came before the Department for entry of a Final Order upon submission of an Order Closing File by the Honorable G.W. Chisenhall, Administrative Law Judge of the Division of Administrative Hearings, pursuant to Respondent's Motion to Dismiss for Mootness Based Upon Withdrawal of Relocation Request, a copy of which is attached and incorporated by reference in this order. The Department hereby adopts the Order Closing File as its Final Order in this matter.

Accordingly, it is hereby

ORDERED and **ADJUDGED** that Respondent, Starling Chevrolet-Cadillac, LLC, shall not be permitted to relocate its dealership from 2800 South Highway 17 92, Deland, Florida 32720 to the corner of Graves and Interstate 4, Deltona, Florida 32720.

DONE AND ORDERED this day of October, 2015, in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

Julie W. Gentry, Chief
Bureau of Dealer Services
Department of Highway Safety
and Motor Vehicles
Neil Kirkman Building, Room B372
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Filed with the Clerk of the Division of Motorist Services this day of October, 2015.

NOTICE OF APPEAL RIGHTS

Judicial review of this order may be had pursuant to section 120.68, Florida Statutes, in the District Court of Appeal for the First District, State of Florida, or in any other district court of appeal of this state in an appellate district where a party resides. In order to initiate such review, one copy of the notice of appeal must be filed with the Department and the other copy of the notice of appeal, together with the filing fee, must be filed with the court within thirty days of the filing date of this order as set out above, pursuant to Rules of Appellate Procedure.

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ORDER CLOSING FILES

This cause comes before the undersigned on Respondent's Motion to Dismiss Based on Mootness, filed on September 1, 2015. The undersigned being fully advised in the premises, it is, therefore,

ORDERED that:

- 1. The motion is granted.
- 2. The final hearing scheduled for March 21 through 25 and 28 through 31, 2016, is canceled.
- 3. The files of the Division of Administrative Hearings are closed.

DONE AND ORDERED this 2nd day of September, 2015, in Tallahassee, Leon County, Florida.

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G. W. CHISENHALL

Administrative Law Judge
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RESPONDENT GENERAL MOTORS LLC'S MOTION TO DISMISS FOR MOOTNESS BASED UPON WITHDRAWAL OF RELOCATION REQUEST

Respondent General Motors LLC ("General Motors"), through its counsel, files this Motion to Dismiss on the basis that this matter is moot and states:

1. This matter involves protests asserted by GMVT Motors LLC d/b/a David Maus Chevrolet and SAI Orlando CS, LLC regarding the proposed relocation of Starling Chevrolet-Cadillac, LLC's dealership from 2800 S Hwy 17 92, Deland, FL 32720-8682 to the corner of Graves and Interstate 4, Deltona, FL 32725.

- 2. On August 28, 2015, Starling Chevrolet-Cadillac, LLC provided General Motors with written confirmation that it was withdrawing the relocation request that is the subject of this matter. See letter from Jack Starling to General Motors LLC attached as Exhibit "A."
- 3. Accordingly, on August 31, 2015, General Motors notified the Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, that GM was rescinding the approval of the relocation request and withdrawing the relocation request. See letter to DHSMV attached as Exhibit "B."
- 4. As a result of the withdrawal of the relocation request at issue in this case, the matter pending before the Division is moot and should be dismissed.
- 5. The undersigned has spoken with counsel for Petitioners and they have no objection to the dismissal with each party to bear its own fees and costs.

WHEREFORE, Respondent General Motors LLC respectfully requests that this matter be dismissed with each party to bear its own fees and costs.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true copy of the foregoing has been furnished by e-mail to Frank H. Killgore, Jr. (fhkillgore@kpsos.com) and Mark L. Ornstein (mlornstein@kpsos.com), Killgore, Pearlman, Stamp, Ornstein & Squires, P.A., 2 South Orange Avenue, 5th Floor, Orlando, Florida 32801 and William Van Cott (willamvancott@flhsmv.gov), Room A-432, 2900

Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee FL 32399; and via U.S. Mail only to John Starling, 2800 South Highway 17-92 Deland FL 32720, this 1st day of September, 2015:

s/ Steven I. Klein

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August 28, 2015

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Re: Request #63065 – Relocation

Dear Ms. Zawol:

I hereby withdraw Change Request #63065 and therefore will not be completing the relocation that was approved in Site Approval Letter, dated June 16, 2015.

Very truly yours,

Jack Starling



August 31, 2015

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SAI Orlando CS, LLC vs. General Motors LLC & Starling Chevrolet-Cadillac,

LLC (Case No. 15-4427) Our File No.: 123653

Dear Ms. Vinayak:

This letter is to advise you that my client General Motors LLC, rescinds its letters dated July 30, 2015, which approved the relocation of Starling Chevrolet-Cadillac, LLC, which proposed the move of Chevrolet and Cadillac operations from 2800 S Hwy 17 92, Deland, FL 32720-8682 to the corner of Graves and Interstate 4, Deltona, FL 32725 at the latitude/longitude of 28.949255 / -81.246471. General Motors hereby withdrawals the approval for relocation without prejudice.

Should you require any further information, please feel free to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Steven I. Klein

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