STATE OF OHIO:

SS:

STARK COUNTY:

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS STARK COUNTY, OHIO

STATE OF OHIO, EX REL.

-VS-

: CA

CASE NO. 86-1573-OT

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Plaintiff

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JUDGMENT ENTRY

CHEM-I, INC., ET. AL.

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Defendants :

Rabbit's motion for summary judgment. Defendant bases his motion on the fact that he was the officer acting in his corporate capacity and therefore can not be held individually liable for violation of a state statute. Plaintiff contends that a corporate officer can be held personally liable.

The Court finds that there exists a genuine issue of material fact in that under Ohio law a corporate officer can be personally liable for a criminal law violation if he actively engaged in or knew of the violation. Therefore, Defendant Rabbit's motion for summary judgment is denied.

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