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BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF UTAH

**COMPLAINANT:** 

UTAH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

**RESPONDENT:** 

JEFFREY K. JOHANNESSEN 4051 Aquarius Cir. Kearns, UT 84118 License No. 331906 STIPULATION AND ORDER

Docket No. 2011-117 LC

Enf. Case No. 2873

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INSURANCE DEPT.

## **STIPULATION**

- 1. Respondent, Jeffrey K. Johannessen is an active resident insurance producer licensee in the State of Utah, holding License No. 331906.
- 2. Respondent stipulates with the Complainant, Utah Insurance Department, as follows:
  - a. If a hearing were held, witnesses called by the Complainant could offer and introduce evidence that would support the Findings of Fact herein;
  - b. Respondent admits the Findings of fact and Conclusions made therefrom;
  - c. Respondent stipulates to the Summary entry of the Order herein which

shall be in lieu of other administrative proceedings by Complainant in this matter; and

- d. Respondent and Complainant have negotiated the terms of the Order entered herein and Respondent agrees to its entry and further agrees to be bound by all its terms.
- 3. Respondent is aware of his right to a hearing at which he may be represented by counsel, present evidence and cross-examine witnesses. Respondent has irrevocably waived his right to such hearing and to any appeal related thereto.
- 4. Respondent admits the jurisdiction of the State of Utah Insurance Commissioner as to all matters herein.
- 5. Respondent is acting herein free from any duress or coercion of any kind or nature, having been advised fully as to his rights set forth herein.
- 6. Respondent acknowledges that the issuance of this Order by the Commissioner is solely for purpose of disposition of the matter entitled herein.

DATED this ZZ day of June , 2011.

JEFFREY K. JOHANNESSEN, Licensee

UTAH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

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Based upon the foregoing Stipulation and information in the file, the Presiding Office makes the following Findings of Fact:

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- Respondent Jeffrey K. Johannessen was convicted of Theft, a 2<sup>nd</sup> degree felony in the 3<sup>rd</sup> District Court, West Jordan, State of Utah, on June 17, 2010.
  - 2. Respondent failed to notify the Department of the prosecution and his conviction.
- 3. On April 6, 2011, a check of SIRCON revealed that all of Respondent's contact information was no longer valid, and had failed to notify the Department of a change in address or telephone number within 30 days following the change.

Based upon the foregoing Stipulation and Findings of Fact, the Presiding Officer enters the following Conclusions of Law:

# **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. In committing theft, Respondent demonstrated that he no longer meets the character requirements to hold an insurance license under Utah Code Ann. § 31A-23a-107.
- 2. In failing to report a criminal prosecution to the Department within 30 days following his initial appearance in court and in failing to report his criminal conviction, Respondent violated Utah Code Ann. § 31A-23a-105(2).
- 3. In failing to report a change in address or telephone number to the Department within 30 days of that change, Respondent violated Utah Code Ann. § 31A-23a-412(1)(c).
- 4. Respondent's Utah insurance producer's license should be revoked pursuant to Utah Code Ann. § 31A-23a-111(5)(b)(i) is not qualified for a license; -111(5)(b)(ii)A, has violated an insurance statute; and -111(5)(b)(xiv), has been convicted of a felony.

Based upon the foregoing Stipulation, Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Presiding Officer herewith enters the following Order:

### **ORDER**

#### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- 1. Respondent Jeffrey K. Johannessen's insurance producer's license is hereby revoked forthwith.
- 2. Respondent shall immediately cease doing any insurance business in the State of Utah and shall not be an owner, officer, director, member, manager, employee, or agent of any person doing the business of insurance in the State of Utah.

DATED this 29 day of Jone, 2011.

NEAL T. GOOCH Insurance Commissioner

MARK E. KLEINFIELD

Administrative Law Judge Utah Insurance Department

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# **NOTIFICATION**

You are hereby notified that a failure to obey an Order of the Commissioner may subject you to further penalties, including forfeitures of up to \$5,000 per violation and the filing of an action in district court, which may impose forfeitures of up to \$10,000 per day for continued violation. You are further notified that other jurisdictions in which you may be licensed may require that you report this action to them.