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# BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF UTAH

COMPLAINANT: : NOTICE OF INFORMAL : AGENCY ACTION

UTAH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT : AND ORDER

RESPONDENT:

: Docket No. 2014-067 PC

AFFORDABLE INSURANCE AGENCY

635 W 5300 S 301

MURRAY UT 84123

License No. 104663

Enf. Case No. 3502

Judge Mark Kleinfield

Administrative Law Judge

The Utah Insurance Department has commenced this informal adjudicative proceeding pursuant to Utah Code Ann. §§ 31A-2-201 and 63G-4-201 and Utah Admin. Code R590-160. Based upon information contained in agency files or known to the Commissioner, the Commissioner makes the following:

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 1. Respondent is an insurance agent authorized to do the business of insurance in the State of Utah holding License number 104663.
- Respondent failed to properly respond to an inquiry of the Commissioner dated March
   28, 2014.
- 3. Thereafter, Respondent was required, by certified letter dated April 22, 2014, to provide a substantive response to the Commissioner's initial inquiry on or before May 2, 2014.

- 4. The certified letter was returned by the U.S. Postal Service with a different address of 1036 BLOCK ROCK RD, LAKE POINT UT 84074-5541. Thereafter, the certified letter was resent to this address on April 29, 2014.
- 5. As of the date of this Notice of Informal Adjudicative Proceeding and Order, no response has been received and the time for response and any extensions granted has expired.

Having entered his Findings of Fact, the Commissioner now enters his:

### **CONCLUSION OF LAW**

1. In failing to submit a timely response to an inquiry from the Commissioner, the Respondent violated Utah Code Ann. § 31A-2-202(4).

Based upon the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Commissioner now enters the following:

#### **ORDER**

#### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- 1. Respondent is assessed an administrative forfeiture in the amount of \$500.00. Said forfeiture shall be paid no later than ten (10) days after the date this Order becomes final.
- 2. Respondent shall provide a substantive response to the Commissioner's inquiries to be received in the offices of the Utah Insurance Department no later than ten (10) days after the date this Order becomes final.
- 3. This Order shall become final fifteen (15) days after the date of mailing unless a written request for a hearing is received from the Respondent in the offices of the department prior to that date. A written request for a hearing shall be signed by the person making the

request and shall state the basis for the relief requested.

DATED THIS 3rd day of June , 2013.

TODD E. KISER INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

MARK KLEINFIELD

Administrative Law Judge Utah Insurance Department

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## **NOTIFICATION**

If you request a hearing regarding this matter, please contact Linda Hardy, at 801-538-3860. Failure to request a hearing will be considered a failure to exhaust administrative remedies and will preclude any further administrative or judicial review or appeal of this matter.

You are further notified that a failure to obey an Order of the commissioner may subject you to further penalties, including forfeitures of up to \$2,500.00 per violation and the suspension or revocation of your license and the filing of an action to enforce this Order in District Court, which may impose forfeitures of up to \$10,000.00 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.

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