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**BEFORE THE UTAH INSURANCE COMMISSIONER**

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UTAH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,	<b>FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER</b>
Complainant,	
v.	Docket No. 2018-4059
SIMON R. TANNAHILL	
Respondent.	Lisa Watts Baskin Presiding Officer

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Complainant Utah Insurance Department ("the Department") and Respondent Simon R. Tannahill have stipulated to entry of the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order. Based on that stipulation, and good cause appearing, the Presiding Officer makes and enters the following:

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Respondent is an Individual Resident Producer authorized to do insurance business in the State of Utah. Respondent's License No. is 146280.
2. On or about July 31, 2018, Respondent's appointment with Regence BlueCross BlueShield of Utah was terminated for cause.

3. On October 11, 2018, Market Conduct Examiner Bill Stimpson sent a request for information letter to the Respondent via email to [tannahillins@msn.com](mailto:tannahillins@msn.com).

4. The Respondent did not respond to the email. The email was not returned as undeliverable.

5. On October 11, 2018, Mr. Stimpson also attempted to call Respondent at his home phone, [REDACTED] and business phone, (801) 451-2859. The home phone was disconnected and the business phone sounded like a fax line.

6. On December 5, 2018, the Department issued a Notice of Agency Action and Order revoking Respondent's license.

7. Respondent requested a hearing. A prehearing conference was held on December 14, 2019 and a hearing was scheduled for January 10, 2019.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. The Utah Insurance Commissioner has jurisdiction over the parties and this formal proceeding pursuant to Utah Code §§ 31A-1-105, 31A-2-201 and 31A-2-308.

2. The Utah Insurance Commissioner has legal authority to impose penalties on the Department's licensees who violate the Utah Insurance Code. Utah Code § 31A-2-308.

3. Respondent violated Utah Code § 31A-2-202(4) by failing to reply promptly in writing to a reasonable written inquiry from the Commissioner.

4. Respondent violated Utah Code § 31A-23a-412 (1) by failing to maintain a valid telephone number.

#### **ORDER**

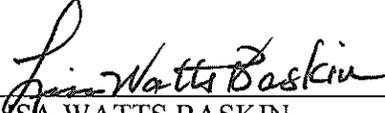
Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, it is ordered:

1. Simon R. Tannahill is ordered not to commit the violations described in the Conclusions of Law in the future.

2. Simon R. Tannahill shall pay a forfeiture of \$500.00 for the violations described in the Conclusions of Law.

DATED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2019.

TODD E. KISER  
Insurance Commissioner

  
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LISA WATTS BASKIN  
Presiding Officer  
Utah Insurance Department