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BEFORE THE UTAH INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

UTAH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,	NOTICE OF AGENCY ACTION AND ORDER
Complainant,	
VS.	
	Docket No. 2023-4553
ALEXANDRIA DANNIELLE GELROD,	
	Donald H. Hansen
Respondent.	Administrative Law Judge/Presiding Officer

NOTICE OF AGENCY ACTION

The Utah Insurance Department (the "Department") commences this agency action as an

informal adjudicative proceeding against Respondent Alexandria Dannielle Gelrod

("Respondent") pursuant to Utah Code §§ 31A-2-201 and 63G-4-201 through -203 and Utah

Admin. Code R590-160.

This agency action is based on the facts and law set forth in the attached Declaration and is designated as an informal adjudicative proceeding pursuant to Utah Code § 63G-4-202(1) and Utah Admin. Code R590-160-4 and -7.

ORDER

Based on the facts and the law set forth in the attached Declaration, and good cause appearing, the Utah Insurance Commissioner orders as follows:

1. Respondent's Utah nonresident producer individual insurance license number 734866 is revoked.

2. Pursuant to Utah Code § 63G-4-203(1)(i) and Utah Admin. Code R590-160-7(1), this informal adjudicative proceeding shall be closed, and this Order shall become final and take full effect, 15 days after this Notice of Agency Action and Order is emailed to Respondent unless a written request for a hearing on this matter is received from Respondent prior to that date.

3. A request for a hearing shall be in writing and sent by email to <u>uidadmincases@utah.gov</u> or by U.S. mail to Office of the Administrative Law Judge, Utah Insurance Department, 4315 S. 2700 W., Taylorsville, UT 84129.

4. The request for hearing shall state the basis for the relief requested.

5. If you fail to request a hearing you will be bound by this Order. Failure to request a hearing is a failure to exhaust administrative remedies and precludes any further administrative or judicial review or appeal of this matter.

DATED this 4th day of October 2023.

JONATHAN T. PIKE Utah Insurance Commissioner

<u>/s/ Donald H. Hansen</u> DONALD H. HANSEN Administrative Law Judge/Presiding Officer Utah Insurance Department 4315 S. 2700 W., Suite 2300 Taylorsville, UT 84129 Telephone: 801-957-9321 Email: uidadmincases@utah.gov

NOTICE REGARDING ENFORCEMENT OF THIS ORDER

Failure to obey this Order may subject you to further penalties that include a forfeiture of up to \$2,500 per violation, with each day of the violation constituting a separate violation. Other penalties for failing to obey this Order may include license suspension, probation, refusal to renew, or revocation. Failure to obey this Order may also result in an action taken against you in a court of competent jurisdiction where forfeitures of up to \$10,000 for each day the failure to comply continues until judgment is rendered. If you are licensed in other jurisdictions, you may be required to report this proceeding to those jurisdictions.

DECLARATION

Under criminal penalty of Utah law, I, Carrie Backus, declare the following:

I am currently employed as a Market Conduct Examiner by the Utah Insurance
Department ("Department") where my responsibilities include investigating and enforcing Utah
insurance laws.

2. I submit this Declaration as the basis for issuing the Notice of Agency Action and Order against Alexandria Dannielle Gelrod ("Respondent") to which this Declaration is attached.

3. Based on my personal knowledge and/or based on the facts appearing in the Department's records and files, the following facts are true:

a. The Department issued Utah nonresident producer individual insurance license number 734866 to Respondent on August 9, 2019.

b. On May 8, 2023, Respondent's home state of Florida revoked her insurance license.

c. Respondent did not report the Florida revocation to the Department.

d. Respondent's nonresident licenses were also revoked in Louisiana on February9, 2023, Idaho on May 10, 2023, and Mississippi on August 11, 2023.

e. Respondent did not report any of these revocations to the Department.

f. Respondent's applications for nonresident licenses were denied in North

Dakota on March 21, 2022, Wisconsin on August 19, 2022, South Dakota on September

19, 2022, Kansas on December 16, 2022, and New York on December 19, 2022.

g. Respondent did not report any of these denials to the Department.

h. The Department attempted to contact Respondent by email and telephone in

June 2023. She did not respond.

4. The above declared facts demonstrate that the following Utah insurance law(s) were not complied with:

a. Respondent violated Utah Code §§ 31A-23a-105(1)(b)(viii)(B) and 31A-23a-111(5)(b)(i) when she failed to maintain a license in her home state of Florida;

b. Respondent violated Utah Code § 31A-23a-105(2)(b) and (c) by failing to report a final action taken against her insurance license within 30 days;

c. Respondent violated Utah Code § 31A-23a-111(5)(b)(xvii) by having her insurance license revoked in multiple states;

d. Respondent is not eligible to maintain her nonresident license under Utah Code § 31A-23a-109(1) because her insurance license in her home state of Florida was revoked and is no longer valid; and

e. Respondent violated Utah Code § 31A-2-202(4)(a) by failing to respond to a reasonable written inquiry from the commissioner.

5. Based on Utah Code §§ 31A-2-308, 31A-23a-111 and other similar enforcement cases, Respondent's nonresident producer individual insurance license number 734866 should be revoked.

Signed on this 3rd day of October, 2023, at Salt Lake City, Utah.

<u>/s/ Carrie Backus</u> Carrie Backus Market Conduct Examiner Utah Insurance Department

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on this date a true and correct copy of the foregoing

Notice of Agency Action and Order, with the Declaration attached to it, was emailed to:

Alexandria Dannielle Gelrod



and

Carrie Backus

Utah Insurance Department 4315 S. 2700 W., Suite 2300 Taylorsville, UT 84129

DATED this 4th day of October 2023.

/s/ Jeanine Couser Jeanine Couser Utah Insurance Department 4315 S. 2700 W., Suite 2300 Taylorsville, UT 84129 801-957-9321