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BEFORE THE UTAH INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

UTAH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT, Complainant, vs. SHONN M. RICKS, Respondent.	CORRECTED NOTICE OF AGENCY ACTION AND ORDER Docket No. 2024-4586 Donald H. Hansen Administrative Law Judge/Presiding Officer
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NOTICE OF AGENCY ACTION

The Utah Insurance Department (“the Department”) commences this agency action as an informal adjudicative proceeding against Respondent Shonn M. Ricks (“Respondent”) pursuant to Utah Code §§ 31A-2-201 and 63G-4-201 through -203 and to 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 application for a Utah resident producer individual insurance license is denied.

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 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 uidadmincases@utah.gov 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 18th day of January 2024.

JONATHAN T. PIKE
Utah Insurance Commissioner

/s/ Donald H. Hansen
DONALD H. HANSEN
Administrative Law Judge/Presiding Officer
Utah Insurance Department
4315 S. 2700 W., Suite 2300
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NOTICE REGARDING ENFORCEMENT OF THE ORDER

Failure to obey the 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 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 judgement 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, Randy Overstreet, declare the following:

1. I am currently employed as Manager of Producer Licensing in the Financial Regulation & Licensing Division with 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 Shonn M. Ricks (“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. Respondent applied for a Utah resident producer individual insurance license on December 26, 2023.

c. On or about April 13, 2013, a monetary judgment was entered against Respondent in the amount of \$3,074.61. The judgment was renewed on January 29, 2021. Based upon the court documents that I reviewed, this judgment remains outstanding. *See Capital One Bank (USA), N.A., vs. Shonn Ricks*, case no. 139903279, Third District Court – Salt Lake, Salt Lake County, State of Utah.

4. The above declared facts demonstrate that the following Utah insurance laws were not complied with:

a. Utah Code § 31A-23a-111(5)(b)(iv), failing to pay a final judgment rendered against Respondent within 60 days after the day on which the judgment became final.

5. Based on the facts and law set forth above, Respondent’s application to for a resident producer individual insurance license should be denied.

Signed on this 17th day of January 2024 in Salt Lake City, Salt Lake County, State of
Utah.

/s/ Randy Overstreet
Randy Overstreet, Manager, Producer Licensing
Financial Regulation & Licensing Division
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:

Shonn M. Ricks

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Randy Overstreet

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DATED this 18th day of January 2024.

/s/ Jeanine Couser _____

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