STATE OF INDIANA ) ) SS:	BEFORE THE INDIANA
COUNTY OF MARION )	COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE
6 E	Cause No.: 14473-AD15-0916-035
IN THE MATTER OF:	)
INSURANCE PRODUCER LICENSE	) FILED
APPLICATION OF:	
	) SEP 1.7 2015
Damon R. Smith,	)
10337 Bronze Dr	) STATE OF INDIANA
Noblesville, IN 46060	DEPT. OF INSURANCE

## PRELIMINARY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND NOTICE OF LICENSE DENIAL

The Indiana Department of Insurance, pursuant to the Indiana Administrative Act, Indiana Code §4-21.5-1 et seq. and Indiana Code §27-1-15.6-12, hereby gives notice to Damon R. Smith ("Applicant") of the following Administrative Order:

- 1. Applicant filed an application for licensure with the Commissioner of the Indiana

  Department of Insurance ("Commissioner") on August 11, 2015.
- 2. Before approving an application, the Commissioner must find that the applicant has met specific requirements under Indiana Code §27-1-15.6-6 and Indiana Code §27-1-15.6-12.
- 3. Indiana Code §27-1-15.6-12(b) provides, in part, that the Commissioner may refuse to issue or renew an insurance producer license for using fraudulent, coercive, or dishonest practices, or demonstrating incompetence, untrustworthiness, or financial irresponsibility in the conduct of business in Indiana or elsewhere.
- 4. Following a review of materials submitted by Applicant in support of his application, the Commissioner being fully advised, now hereby notifies Applicant that he has not fully met the requirements of licensure as stated by Indiana Code §27-1-15.6-12 due his 2007

Indiana misdemeanor conviction for domestic battery and his 2012 Indiana misdemeanor conviction for perjury.

6. Indiana Code §27-1-15.6-12(d) provides that the applicant or licensee may, not more than sixty-three (63) days after notice of denial of the applicant's application or non renewal of the licensee's license is mailed, make written demand to the commissioner for a hearing before the commissioner to determine the reasonableness of the commissioner's action.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Applicant's request for licensure is hereby DENIED pursuant to Indiana Code §27-1-15.6-12 (b).

Date Signed

Stephen W. Robertson, Commissioner Indiana Department of Insurance

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