

STATE OF INDIANA)
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COUNTY OF MARION)

BEFORE THE INDIANA
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

CAUSE NUMBER: 16569-AG17-1019-176

IN THE MATTER OF:)

Jerome D. Dennis)
Respondent)

1009 Sunrise Lane)
Belle Plaine, MN 56011)

Type of Agency Action: Enforcement)

License Number: 1031430)

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STATE OF INDIANA
DEPT. OF INSURANCE

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NOTICE OF NONRENEWAL OF LICENSE

The Indiana Department of Insurance, pursuant to Indiana Code § 4-21.5-1 *et seq.*, and Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12, hereby gives notice to Jerome D. Dennis, (“Respondent”) of the following Administrative Order:

1. Respondent is a licensed nonresident insurance producer holding license number 1031430 since April 28, 2015 (“Respondent’s license”). Respondent’s home state is Minnesota.
2. Respondent’s license expired on September 30, 2017.
3. On or about October 18, 2017 the Enforcement Division of the Indiana Department of Insurance (“Enforcement Division”) received notification that on January 23, 2017 Respondent was convicted in Minnesota of Prostitution (Hire Reasonably Believes to be Under 18 Years Old), a Gross Misdemeanor. Respondent attended the first pretrial hearing on January 22, 2016.
4. Respondent failed to timely disclose his criminal proceedings to the Department.

5. Pursuant to Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(8), the Commissioner may refuse to 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.

6. Pursuant to Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(2)(A), the Commissioner may refuse to renew an insurance producer's license for violating an insurance law. Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-17(b) is an insurance law which states not more than thirty (30) days after an initial pretrial hearing date, a producer shall report to the Commissioner any criminal prosecution of the producer initiated in any jurisdiction.

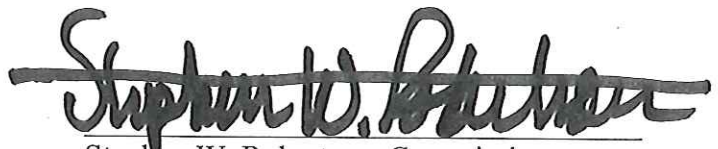
7. Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(d) requires the Commissioner to notify a licensee of the reason for the nonrenewal of his license. This Order serves as that notice.

8. The Commissioner further notifies Respondent that, pursuant to Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(d), Respondent may, within sixty-three (63) days of the mailing of this Order, make a written demand upon the Commissioner for a hearing to determine the reasonableness of this action. Such a hearing shall be held within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of Respondent's written demand.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, the Commissioner of Insurance hereby notifies Respondent that **his license shall not be renewed** due his criminal conviction and his failure to timely report his criminal proceedings to the Department.

October 27, 2017

Date Signed



Stephen W. Robertson, Commissioner
Indiana Department of Insurance

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