STATE OF INDIANA )	BEFORE THE INDIANA
) SS:	COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE
COUNTY OF MARION )	Y <sup>20</sup> V
	CAUSE NO.: 18836-AD20-0113-022
IN THE MATTER OF:	)
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Gregg D. Scheppler	)
1262 Peacock Ln.,	) FILED
Bradley, IL 60915	)
	) JUL 1 6 2020
Applicant.	)
	STATE OF INDIANA DEPT. OF INSURANCE
Type of Agency Action: Enforcement	)
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License Application #: 749250	)

## AMENDED PRELIMINARY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND NOTICE OF LICENSE DENIAL

The Indiana Department of Insurance ("Department"), pursuant to the Indiana Administrative Orders and Procedures Act, Indiana Code § 4-21.5-1 *et seq*. and Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18, hereby gives notice to Gregg Scheppler ("Applicant") of the following Administrative Order:

- Applicant submitted an application for nonresident independent adjuster licensure with the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance ("Commissioner") on November 3, 2019.
- 2. There was a clerical error in the January 24, 2020, Preliminary Administrative Order and Notice of License Denial in that it cited to Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12 as the basis for denial, which pertains to insurance producers, instead of citing to Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18, which pertains to independent adjusters.
- 3. Before approving an application, the Commissioner must find that the applicant has met specific requirements under Indiana Code § 27-1-28-17 and Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18.

- 4. Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18(b)(8) provides, in part, that the Commissioner may refuse to issue an independent adjuster's license for using fraudulent, coercive, or dishonest practices, or demonstrating incompetence, untrustworthiness, or financial irresponsibility in the conduct of business in Indiana, or elsewhere.
- 5. Following a review of materials submitted by the Applicant and a review of public records, the Commissioner, being fully advised, now hereby notifies Applicant that he has not fully met the requirements of licensure, as stated by Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18(b)(8), due to Applicant's May 3, 1994, conviction for Domestic Battery, a Class A Misdemeanor.
- 6. Indiana Code § 27-1-28-18(c) provides that the Applicant may, not more than thirty (30) days after notice of denial of the applicant's application is received, 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 § 27-1-28-18(b)(8), due to Applicant's criminal history. Applicant may reapply for licensure not less than one (1) year from the date of this order.

7-16-2020

Date Signed

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