STATE OF INDIANA )	BEFORE THE INDIANA
) SS:	COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE
COUNTY OF MARION )	
·	CAUSE NO.: 20173-AD21-0401-065
IN THE MATTER OF:	)
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Cierra K. Childs	)
23109 Tidewater Trail,	) FILED
Port Royal, VA 22535	····)
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Applicant.	) STATE OF INDIANA
	DEPT. OF INSURANCE
Type of Agency Action: Enforcement	)
License Application #: 832357	)

## PRELIMINARY ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND NOTICE OF LICENSE DENIAL

The Indiana Department of Insurance, pursuant to the Indiana Administrative Orders and Procedures Act, Indiana Code § 4-21.5-1 *et seq.* and Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12, hereby gives notice to Cierra K. Childs ("Applicant") of the following Administrative Order:

- 1. Applicant submitted an application for a nonresident producer licensure with the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance ("Commissioner") on December 9, 2020.
- 2. Before approving an application, the Commissioner must find that the Applicant has met specific requirements under Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-8 and Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12.
- 3. Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(1) provides that the Commissioner may refuse to issue an insurance producer license for providing incorrect, misleading, incomplete, or materially untrue information in a license application.
- 4. Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(8) provides that the Commissioner may refuse to issue 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.
- 5. Following a review of public records, the Commissioner being fully advised, now hereby notifies Applicant that she has not fully met the requirements of licensure as stated by Indiana Codes §§ 27-1-15.6-12(b)(1) & 27-1-15.6-12(b)(8) due to Applicant failing to disclose her March 14, 2017 conviction for Fail to Stop/Accident, a Class 1 Misdemeanor.
- 6. Following a review of public records and the materials submitted by Applicant in support of her application, the Commissioner being fully advised, now hereby notifies Applicant that she has not fully met the requirements of licensure as stated by Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(8) due to her criminal history, which includes a June 16, 2011 conviction for Shoplifting, a Class 1 Misdemeanor; and October 18, 2012 conviction for Possess Paraphernalia, a Class 1 Misdemeanor.
- 7. Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(d) provides that the applicant may, not more than sixty-three (63) days after notice of denial of the application is mailed, make written demand to the Commissioner for a hearing before the Commissioner to determine the reasonableness of the Commissioner's action.
- 8. This is considered an agency action. This action has been initiated by the aforementioned authority. If you choose to appeal this agency action, the State of Indiana Office of Administrative Law Proceedings ("OALP") will assign an administrative law judge to preside over this matter, and subsequently you will be contacted by the OALP with more information to begin the administrative process.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Applicant's request for licensure is hereby DENIED pursuant to Indiana Codes §§ 27-1-15.6-12(b)(1) & 27-1-15.6-12(b)(8) due to her criminal history and for failing to fully disclose her criminal history. Applicant may reapply for licensure not less than one (1) year from the date of this order.

4/19/21

Date Signed

Amy L. Beard, Commissioner Indiana Department of Insurance

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