

STATE OF INDIANA)
) SS:
COUNTY OF MARION)

BEFORE THE INDIANA
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

CAUSE NO.: 21645-AG22-0803-137

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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GWN Marketing Inc.)
247 Jefferson St.)
PO Box 526)
Afton, WY 83310)
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Applicant.)
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Type of Agency Action: Enforcement)
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License Application #: 963635)

FILED

OCT 26 2022

STATE OF INDIANA
DEPT. OF INSURANCE

FINAL ORDER

The Enforcement Division of the Indiana Department of Insurance (“Department”), by counsel, Victoria Hastings, and GWN Marketing Inc. (“Applicant”), a nonresident producer organization applicant, signed an Agreed Entry which purports to resolve all issues involved in the above-captioned cause number, and which has been submitted to the Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance (“Commissioner”) for approval.

The Commissioner, after reviewing the Agreed Entry, which levies a Two Hundred Fifty Dollar (\$250) civil penalty against Applicant for failing to disclose an administration action on their application for licensure, finds it has been entered into fairly and without fraud, duress or undue influence, and is fair and equitable between the parties. The Commissioner hereby incorporates the Agreed Entry, attached, as if fully set forth herein, and approves and adopts in full the Agreed Entry as a resolution of this matter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Commissioner as follows:

1. Applicant's nonresident producer organization license shall be granted contingent upon Applicant timely paying the civil penalty. Applicant shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250) to the Department within thirty (30) days after the date of this Final Order. Failure to timely pay the civil penalty, may result in the Department denying Applicant's nonresident producer organization license.

10-25-2022
Date Signed


Amy L. Beard, Commissioner
Indiana Department of Insurance

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AGREED ENTRY

This Agreed Entry is executed by and between the Enforcement Division of the Indiana Department of Insurance ("Department"), by counsel, Victoria Hastings, and GWN Marketing Inc. ("Applicant"), to resolve all issues in the above-captioned cause number. This Agreed Entry is subject to the review and approval of Amy L. Beard, Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Insurance ("Commissioner").

WHEREAS, On April 20, 2022 Applicant submitted an application for a nonresident producer organization license;

WHEREAS, On said application, Applicant failed to disclose a June 21, 2017 license revocation issued by the Virginia Bureau of Insurance;

WHEREAS, Applicant's conduct is a violation of Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12(b)(1), which states, in part, that the Commissioner may levy a civil penalty for providing incorrect, misleading, incomplete, or materially untrue information in a license application.;

WHEREAS, Jessica Torres, Team Leader of Licensing of GWN Marketing Inc., is authorized to act on behalf of Applicant and obligate it to perform in accordance with this agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Department and Applicant (collectively, the "Parties") desire to resolve this matter without the necessity of a hearing.

IT IS, THEREFORE, NOW AGREED by and between the Parties as follows:

1. The Commissioner has jurisdiction over the subject matter and the Parties to this Agreed Entry.
2. In order to avoid formal litigation in this matter, Applicant has determined that it is in their best interest to enter into this Agreed Entry. As such, Applicant acknowledges that they execute this Agreed Entry with full realization of its contents and effects.
3. This Agreed Entry is executed knowingly, voluntarily, and freely by the Parties. The Parties agree that the terms of this Agreed Entry constitute final resolution of this matter.
4. Applicant knowingly, voluntarily and freely waives the right to a public hearing on this matter, including the right to appear in person before the Commissioner, present evidence, cross-examine witnesses, and present arguments.
5. Applicant knowingly, voluntarily and freely waives the right to judicial review of this matter or otherwise appeal or challenge the validity of this Agreed Entry.
6. Applicant knowingly, voluntarily, and freely waives, releases, and forever discharges all claims or challenges, known or unknown, against the Department,

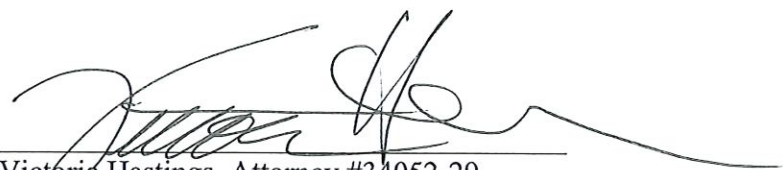
its Commissioner, employees, agents, and representatives, in their individual and official capacities, that arise out of or are related to the Agreed Entry or Final Order, including but not limited to any act or omission as part of the underlying audit, investigation, negotiation, or approval process.

7. Applicant's nonresident producer organization license shall be granted contingent upon Applicant timely paying the civil penalty. Applicant shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250) to the Department within thirty (30) days after the Commissioner signs the Final Order adopting this Agreed Entry. Failure to timely pay the civil penalty may result in another administrative action against Applicant's license.
8. Applicant has carefully read and examined this Agreed Entry and fully understands its terms.
9. Applicant has had the opportunity to have this Agreed Entry reviewed by legal counsel of its choosing, at its own expense, and is aware of the benefits gained and obligations incurred by the execution of this Agreed Entry. Applicant understands and agrees that the Department cannot give it legal advice.
10. Applicant has entered into this Agreed Entry knowingly, voluntarily, and freely, and has not been subject to duress, coercion, threat, or undue influence.
11. This Agreed Entry constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties, and no other promises or agreements, express or implied, have been made by the Department or by any employee, director, agent or other representative thereof to induce Applicant to enter this Agreed Entry.


12. The Department agrees to accept Applicant's compliance with the terms of this Agreed Entry as full satisfaction of this matter, and warrants and represents that so long as Applicant complies with the terms of this Agreed Entry, the Department will not bring any further action against Applicant based on the facts that gave rise to this Agreed Entry.
13. In the event the Department finds there has been a breach of any of the provisions of this Agreed Entry, the Department may reopen this matter and pursue alternative action pursuant to Indiana Code § 27-1-15.6-12.
14. Applicant waives any applicable statute of limitations for purposes of any enforcement of the terms and conditions of this Agreed Entry.
15. Applicant acknowledges that this Agreed Entry may be admitted into evidence in any judicial or administrative proceeding against Applicant to enforce the terms and conditions contained herein.
16. Applicant understands that this Agreed Entry resolves only the matter pending with the Department and does not affect any criminal prosecution or civil litigation that may be pending or hereinafter commence against Applicant.
17. This Agreed Entry does not in any way affect the Department's authority in future audits, investigations, examinations, negotiations, or other complaints involving Applicant.
18. It is expressly understood that this Agreed Entry is subject to the Commissioner's acceptance and has no force or effect until such acceptance is evidenced by the entry of a Final Order by the Commissioner.

19. Should this Agreed Entry not be accepted by the Commissioner, it is agreed that presentation to, and consideration of this Agreed Entry by the Commissioner, shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Commissioner or Applicant from further participation in or resolution of these proceedings.
20. If this Agreed Entry is accepted by the Commissioner, it will become part of Applicant's permanent record and may be considered in future actions brought by the Department or any other regulator against Applicant. It is further understood that, if accepted by the Commissioner, this Agreed Entry and resulting Final Order are public records pursuant to Indiana Code § 4-21.5-3-32 that may not be sealed or otherwise withheld from the public, and may be reported to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners and published on the Department's website as required.
21. Applicant acknowledges that this is an Administrative Action they may be required to report to other jurisdictions in which they are licensed and on future licensing applications.

10/11/2022
Date Signed


Victoria Hastings, Attorney #34052-29
Indiana Department of Insurance

9/29/22
Date Signed


Jessica Torres, Team Leader of Licensing
GWN Marketing Inc., Applicant

Florida or
STATE OF ~~WYOMING~~)
COUNTY OF Palm Beach) SS:

Before me a Notary Public for Palm Beach County, State of ~~Wyoming~~ Florida or,
personally appeared Jessica Torres, Team Leader of Licensing, on behalf of GWN Marketing Inc.,
and being first duly sworn by me upon their oath, says that the facts alleged in the foregoing
instrument are true.

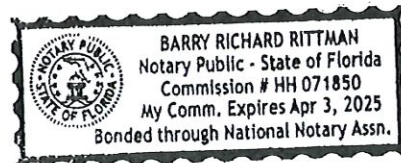
Signed and sealed this 30th day of September, 2022.

Barry Rittman
Signature

Barry Rittman
Printed

My Commission expires: April 3, 2025

County of Residence: Broward



Return executed originals to:
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