

**BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
FOR THE STATE OF ARKANSAS**

ARKANSAS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,)
Petitioner)
)
vs.)
)
MICHAEL P. O'KEEFE,)
Respondent)
)

A.I.D. NO. 2012- 682

CONSENT ORDER

On this day, the matter of Michael P. O'Keefe ("Respondent"), came before Jay Bradford, Arkansas Insurance Commissioner ("Commissioner"). The Arkansas Insurance Department ("Department") is represented by Amanda J. Andrews, Associate Counsel, in this matter. From the facts and law before the Commissioner, he finds as follows:

1. The Commissioner has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated § 23-61-103.
2. Respondent is a resident of Kansas and holds Arkansas Non-Resident Producer License No. 380581.
3. On February 7, 2012, Respondent submitted an application to renew his Arkansas Non-resident Producer License.
4. Question 2 on the renewal application asks whether the applicant has "ever been involved in an administrative proceeding regarding any professional or occupational license or registration since the last renewal of this license[.]" Respondent answered "no" to question 2.

5. According to the Kansas Department of Insurance, in or about 1996, Respondent was disbarred in Kansas, Missouri and the United States Tax Court. Respondent failed to disclose these actions to the Kansas and Arkansas Departments of Insurance.

6. Respondent surrendered his resident producer license in Kansas, and on July 17, 2012, Kansas ordered that Respondent's resident producer license was terminated by surrender.

7. To date, Respondent has failed to disclose the administrative action against him by the Kansas Department of Insurance.

8. Respondent has voluntarily waived his right to counsel and his right to an administrative hearing.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

From the Findings of Fact contained herein, the Commissioner concludes as follows:

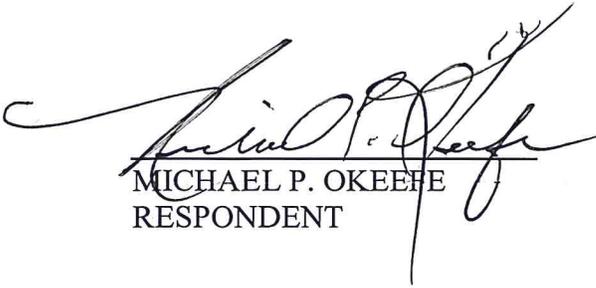
9. The Commissioner may revoke a producer's license for any one (1) or more of the following causes: providing incorrect, misleading, incomplete, or materially untrue information in the license application; having an insurance producer license or its equivalent denied, suspended, or revoked in any other state, province, district, or territory; and using fraudulent, coercive, or dishonest practices or demonstrating incompetence, untrustworthiness, lack of good personal or business reputation, or financial irresponsibility. Ark. Code Ann. § 23-65-512(a).

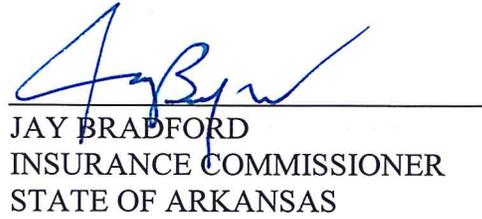
10. In the license renewal application, Respondent failed to disclose that he was disbarred in Kansas, Missouri and the United States Tax Court and the administrative action against him by the Kansas Department of Insurance.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

Based upon the foregoing, the parties hereto agree that the Respondent's Arkansas Non-Resident License No. 380581 should be and hereby is immediately revoked.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 5th **DAY OF** September, 2012.


MICHAEL P. O'KEEFE
RESPONDENT


JAY BRADFORD
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
STATE OF ARKANSAS