

BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
FOR THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,)
PETITIONER)
)
VS.)
)
TAMMY SAVAGE) A.I.D. NO. 2017-75
RESPONDENT)
NPN 1653422)

REVOCATION ORDER

On this day, the matter of the producer's license of Tammy Savage ("Respondent") came before Allen Kerr, Arkansas Insurance Commissioner ("Commissioner"). A hearing was held on September 21, 2017, in the First Floor Hearing Room of the Arkansas Insurance Department ("Department") pursuant to the Notice of Hearing dated August 28, 2017. The hearing was held before Chief Deputy Commissioner Russ Galbraith ("Hearing Officer") pursuant to his appointment by the Commissioner in accordance with Ark. Code Ann. § 23-61-103(e)(1). The Department was represented by Gray Allen Turner, Associate Counsel. The Respondent did not appear.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Commissioner has jurisdiction pursuant to the Arkansas Insurance Code, specifically Ark. Code Ann. §§ 23-60-101, *et seq.*

2. Respondent resides in Lonoke County, Arkansas.
3. Respondent holds an Arkansas resident insurance producer license, National Producer Number 1653422.
4. Respondent was sent notice of hearing by regular and certified mail on August 28, 2017.
5. On April 24, 2017, Respondent entered a plea of guilty to a charge of Possession of an Instrument of a Crime, a misdemeanor, in Pulaski County Circuit Court.
6. Respondent failed to respond to an official inquiry from the Arkansas Insurance Department and failed to cooperate with the investigation concerning her arrest and later conviction of a misdemeanor offense. On July 20, 2017, Arkansas Insurance Department Investigator Lillie Miller requested Respondent to attend an investigative conference on August 3, 2017, via regular and certified mail. Respondent did not attend the conference nor did she respond to the conference notice.
7. Respondent's Arkansas resident insurance producer license was suspended on August 29, 2017, in AID 2017-62.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Ark. Code Ann. § 23-64-512(a)(17) authorizes the Department to revoke an insurance producer's license for: "Failing to cooperate with the commissioner in an investigation when required by the commissioner."

Respondent's actions were a violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 23-64-512(a)(17).

RECOMMENDATION OF HEARING OFFICER

WHEREFORE, upon consideration of the evidence of record and the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Hearing officer recommends the following:

1. That the Arkansas non-resident insurance producer license of Respondent Tammy Savage, NPN 1653422, be revoked.



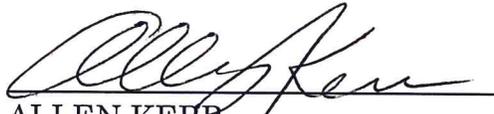
Russ Galbraith
Chief Deputy Commissioner

CERTIFICATION

I, Allen Kerr, Insurance Commissioner for the State of Arkansas, do hereby certify that the above Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Recommendation of the Hearing Officer were made by and under my authority and supervision by Russ Galbraith, Chief Deputy Commissioner and Hearing Officer in this proceeding. I hereby adopt the Hearing Officer's Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Recommendation in full, as set forth herein.

THEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that the Arkansas resident producer license of Tammy Savage, NPN 1653422, is revoked.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 31st DAY OF October, 2017.


ALLEN KERR
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
STATE OF ARKANSAS