

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER**

<b>In the Matter of</b>	)	
	)	<b>CONSENT ORDER</b>
<b>Judy Meier,</b>	)	
<b>NPN 5739782,</b>	)	<b>CASE NO. AG-13-398</b>
	)	
<b>Respondent.</b>	)	

Insurance Commissioner Adam Hamm (“Commissioner”) has determined as follows:

1. As a result of information obtained by the North Dakota Insurance Department (“Department”) regarding the conduct of Judy Meier, NPN 5739782 (“Respondent”), the Commissioner has considered scheduling a formal hearing to determine whether Respondent’s conduct as alleged constitutes a basis for imposition of a civil penalty or any other action the Commissioner deems necessary. As more fully described below, Respondent’s conduct is alleged to be in violation of N.D.C.C. §§ 26.1-26-15 and 26.1-26-42(5) and (6).

2. N.D.C.C. § 26.1-26-15 requires that an applicant for a license must be deemed by the Commissioner to be competent, trustworthy, financially responsible, and of good personal and business reputation.

3. N.D.C.C. § 26.1-26-42 states, in part:

The commissioner may suspend, revoke, place on probation, or refuse to continue or refuse to issue any license issued under this chapter if, after notice to the licensee and hearing, the commissioner finds as to the licensee any of the following conditions:



5. The applicant or licensee has been convicted of a felony or convicted of an offense, as defined by section 12.1-01-04, determined by the commissioner to have a direct bearing upon a person's ability to serve the public as an insurance producer, insurance consultant, or surplus lines insurance producer, or the commissioner finds, after conviction of an offense, that the person is not sufficiently rehabilitated under section 12.1-33-02.1.
6. In the conduct of affairs under the license, the licensee has used fraudulent, coercive, or dishonest practices, or has shown oneself to be incompetent, untrustworthy, or financially irresponsible.

4. On March 1, 2013, Respondent pled guilty in Burleigh County District Court, Bismarck, North Dakota, to a Class C felony of Theft – Possession – Prescription Drug. Respondent was placed on probation and imposition of sentence was deferred for a period of three years. During the three-year probation period, Respondent shall be on supervised probation subject to supervision by the North Dakota Parole/Probation Division and subject to the rules and conditions of the Criminal Judgment.

5. On or about March 21, 2013, Respondent notified the Department of her felony conviction as is required by N.D.C.C. § 26.1-26-45.1.

6. On April 19, 2013, Respondent was arrested and a Petition for Revocation of Probation was filed due to Respondent's violation of one or more of the conditions of her probation.

7. Respondent's actions constitute violations of N.D.C.C. §§ 26.1-26-15 and 26.1-26-42(5) and (6) and are grounds for revocation of Respondent's insurance agent license.



8. Respondent acknowledges that at the time of signing the Consent to Entry of Order, she was aware of or had been advised of the right to a hearing in this matter, to consult an attorney, to present argument to the Commissioner, to appeal from any adverse determination after a hearing, and Respondent expressly waives those rights.

9. Respondent has agreed to informal disposition of *this matter*, without a hearing, as provided under N.D.C.C. § 28-32-22.

10. For purposes of resolving this matter without further administrative proceedings, Judy Meier has agreed to enter into the following order.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent's resident insurance producer license is hereby **REVOKED** effective upon the Commissioner's execution of this Order.
2. No administrative fine or other civil penalty is imposed.
3. The use of this Consent Order for competitive purposes by an insurance producer or agency holding a license in the State of North Dakota, or by any company holding a Certificate of Authority, or by anyone on their behalf, may be deemed unfair competition and be grounds for suspension or revocation of said license or authority.

DATED at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2013.

  
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Adam Hamm  
Insurance Commissioner  
State of North Dakota

### CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER

The undersigned, **Judy Meier**, states that she has read the foregoing Consent Order, that she knows and fully understands its contents and effect; that she has been



advised of the right to a hearing in this matter, the right to be represented by legal counsel, the right to present evidence and arguments to the Commissioner, and the right to appeal from an adverse determination after hearing; and that by the signing of this Consent to Entry of Order she waives those rights in their entirety, and consents to entry of this Order by the Commissioner. It is further expressly *understood that this* Order constitutes the entire settlement agreement between the parties, there being no other promises or agreements, either expressed or implied.

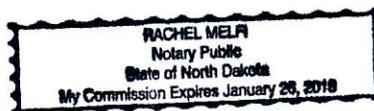
DATED this 31 day of May, 2013.

  
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Judy Meier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of may, 2013.

  
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Notary Public

County of Burleigh  
State of North Dakota



My commission expires:

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Commissioner of Insurance  
State of North Dakota