STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

In the Matter of)
) CONSENT ORDER
Ronald R. Dickson,)
NPN 9840263,) CASE NO. AG-15-531
·)
Respondent.	<u>,</u>

TO: Ronald R. Dickson, 13921 Mississinewa Drive, Carmel, IN 46033

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 Ronald R. Dickson, NPN 9840263
 ("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 26.1-26-45.1.
- 2. N.D.C.C. § 26.1-26-15 requires that an applicant for any 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. § 26.1-26-45.1 states, in part:

26.1-26-45.1. Reporting of actions.

. . .

- 2. Within thirty days after a criminal conviction, an insurance producer shall report to the commissioner any criminal conviction of the insurance producer taken in any jurisdiction. The report must include a copy of the initial complaint, the order issued by the court, and any other relevant legal documents.
- 4. Respondent has been licensed as a nonresident insurance producer in North Dakota since September 20, 2013.
- 5. On or about March 10, 2015, the Department received information that Respondent submitted documentation to the National Insurance Producer Registry Attachments Warehouse regarding an arrest for Operating a Motor Vehicle While Intoxicated and a plea agreement from September 9, 2013. The conviction should have been reported to the Department within 30 days. Respondent failed to report the conviction within 30 days in violation of N.D.C.C. §§ 26.1-26-15 and 26.1-26-45.1.
- 6. Respondent's actions constitute a violation of N.D.C.C. §§ 26.1-26-15 and 26.1-26-45.1.
- 7. Respondent acknowledges that at the time of signing the Consent to Entry of Order, he 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.
- 8. Respondent has agreed to informal disposition of this matter, without a hearing, as provided under N.D.C.C. § 28-32-22.

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

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Respondent agrees to pay a fine in the amount of \$100 payable by money order, cashier's check, or credit card to the North Dakota Insurance Department within 20 days of the effective date of this Order.
- 2. 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 29th day of April, 2015.

Adam Hamm

Insurance Commissioner State of North Dakota

CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER

The undersigned, **Ronald R. Dickson**, states that he has read the foregoing Consent Order, that he knows and fully understands its contents and effect; that he 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 he 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 20 day of APRIL , 2015.
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Ronald R. Dickson
County of HAMICTON State of /NDIANA Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of APRIC , 2015. Notary Public
My commission expires: 3/31/20
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