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BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE
STATE OF NEBRASKA

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STATE OF NEBRASKA)	
DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE,)	
)	CONSENT ORDER
PETITIONER,)	
)	CAUSE NO. A-1968
VS.)	
)	
CHRISTOPHER DEAN HITTNER)	
(NAIC National Producer #10036172),)	
)	
RESPONDENT.)	

In order to resolve this matter, the Nebraska Department of Insurance (“Department”), by and through its attorney, Matthew W. Holman, and Christopher Dean Hittner (“Respondent”), mutually stipulate and agree as follows:

JURISDICTION

1. The Department has jurisdiction over the subject matter and Respondent pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 44-101.01, and 44-4047 to 44-4067 (Reissue 2010). Said jurisdiction and control have been present at all times material hereto.

2. Respondent is and was a Nebraska domiciled insurance producer under the Laws of Nebraska at all times material hereto.

STIPULATIONS OF FACT

1. The Department initiated this administrative proceeding by filing a petition styled State of Nebraska Department of Insurance vs. Christopher Dean Hittner (NAIC National Producer #10036172), Cause Number A-1968 on December 4, 2012.

2. A copy of the petition was served upon Respondent at Respondent’s registered addresses with the Department by certified mail, return receipt requested, and by regular U.S. mail.

3. Respondent is alleged to have violated Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 44-4059(1)(b) and 44-4065(1) (Reissue 2010) as a result of the following conduct:

- a. On or about May 9, 2011, the Nebraska Department of Banking and Finance issued an order denying Respondent's renewal application for his mortgage loan originator license.
- b. On or about October 14, 2011, following an administrative hearing on the matter, the Nebraska Department of Banking and Finance issued an order affirming the May 9, 2011 order and denial of Respondent's renewal application for his mortgage loan originator license. This order also assessed Respondent a fee of \$500 for costs in the matter.
- c. Respondent did not report this administrative action to the Department of Insurance within thirty days of the final disposition of the matter.

4. Respondent is alleged to have violated Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 44-4059(1)(b) and 44-1525(11) (Reissue 2010) as a result of the following conduct:

- a. On or about January 24, 2012, Scott Zager ("Zager"), Insurance Investigator for Petitioner, sent a written inquiry to Respondent at his registered business address, via regular U.S. mail, requesting information regarding potentially reportable actions. The letter specifically stated, "Nebraska Revised Statute 44-1525(11) requires response within fifteen working days. Your cooperation is appreciated."
- b. On or about February 21, 2012, Zager sent a follow-up letter to Respondent's registered business address, via certified mail, return receipt requested. This letter included a copy of the January 24, 2012 letter.
- c. On or about February 27, 2012, the February 21 certified letter was returned to Petitioner marked "return to sender, not deliverable as addressed, unable to forward."
- d. On or about February 27, 2012, Zager sent another follow-up letter, via certified mail, return receipt requested, to Respondent's registered home address. This letter included copies of the previous correspondence.
- e. On or about March 1, 2012, Petitioner received the domestic return receipt card from the February 27, 2012 letter. This card indicated that the letter was received by Respondent on February 29, 2012.
- f. To date, Respondent has not provided Petitioner a response to these inquiries.

5. Respondent was informed of his right to a public hearing. Respondent waives that right, and enters into this Consent Order freely and voluntarily. Respondent understands and acknowledges that by waiving the right to a public hearing, Respondent also waives the right to confrontation of witnesses, production of evidence, and judicial review.

6. Respondent admits the allegations stated in Paragraphs 3 and 4.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Respondent's conduct as alleged above constitutes violations of Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 44-4059(1)(b), 44-4065(1), and 44-1525(11) (Reissue 2010).

CONSENT ORDER

It is therefore ordered by the Director of Insurance and agreed by Respondent, Christopher D. Hittner, that Respondent's insurance producer license shall be immediately revoked. Additionally, Respondent is required to return his license to the Department of Insurance within ten (10) business days from the date the Director of the Department of Insurance affixes his signature to this document and approves this consent agreement. In witness of their intention to be bound by this Consent Order, each party has executed this document by subscribing his signature below.



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Date



Christopher D. Hittner,
Respondent

1/7/2013
Date

State of Nebraska)
County of Douglas) ss.
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On this 7th day of January, 2013 Christopher D. Hittner personally appeared before me and read this Consent Order, executed the same and acknowledged the same to be his voluntary act and deed.



[Signature]
Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Consent Order is adopted as the Final Order of the Nebraska Department of Insurance in the matter of State of Nebraska Department of Insurance vs. Christopher Dean Hittner (NAIC National Producer #10036172), Cause No. A-1968.

STATE OF NEBRASKA
DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE
[Signature]
Bruce Ramage
Director of Insurance
1-23-2012
Date

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the executed Consent Order was served upon Respondent by mailing a copy to his registered home address at 8211 S. 162nd Street, Omaha, Nebraska, 68136, by certified mail, return receipt requested, on this 23 day of January, 2013.

[Signature]