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In Re: Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. Tracking ID 165964
100 Pine Street Ste. 2500
San Francisco, CA 94111

VOLUNTARY FORFEITURE

It is hereby agreed by Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. and the Consumer Affairs Division of the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, as follows:

WHEREAS, John M. Huff is the duly appointed Director of the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, State of Missouri, (hereinafter, Director) whose duties, pursuant to Chapters 374 and 375, RSMo, include the supervision and regulation of the business of insurance;

WHEREAS, the Consumer Affairs Division of the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration is charged with investigating producers and companies engaged in the business of insurance pursuant to Sections 374.085 and 374.190, RSMo 2000 and

is authorized by the Director to recommend enforcement action under the laws relating to insurance;

WHEREAS, Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. has applied for its license as a nonresident business entity producer with the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, pursuant to Chapters 374 and 375, RSMo;

WHEREAS, information has been received by the Consumer Affairs Division that Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. failed to correctly answer on the license application that it was the subject of an administrative action from the state of Florida, which is grounds for discipline under Section 375.141.1(1), RSMo (Supp. 2011), subjecting Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. to enforcement action by the Director;

WHEREAS, Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. has been informed of the nature of the violation, of its right to counsel and of its right to contest any attempt by the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, to refuse its license, or to recover whatever penalties or other monetary relief as may be provided for by statute, and states that it understands its rights to contest any such actions;

NOW, THEREFORE, in lieu of the institution by the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration of any action to deny the license of Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc., or to impose any other penalties provided for by statute for the above-described violations, after being afforded the opportunity to consult legal counsel, Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. does hereby voluntarily and knowingly surrender and forfeit the sum of $250.00, such sum to be paid into the Missouri State School Fund pursuant to Sections 374.046 and 374.280, RSMo.

Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc. shall submit this sum to the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, by cashier's check or money order made payable to the Missouri State School Fund no later than June 4, 2012.

DATED: 5/21/12

Lennaine Moran
By:
On behalf of Crouse and Assoc Ins Services of Northern California, Inc.

DATED: 5-24-12

Matt Barton,
Director, Division of Consumer Affairs

DATED: 6-4-12

John M. Huff, Director
Department of Insurance,
Financial Institutions and
Professional Registration

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