

## **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE & INSURANCE**

P.O. Box 690, Jefferson City, Mo. 65102-0690

IN RE: RICHARD ALLEN BEDORE 31101 POMME DE TERRE LAKE ST LOUIS, MO 63367 TRACKING ID: 400201E

## **VOLUNTARY FORFEITURE AGREEMENT**

It is hereby agreed by Richard Allen Bedore and the Division of Consumer Affairs ("Division") of the Department of Commerce and Insurance, as follows:

WHEREAS, Chlora Lindley-Myers, is the duly appointed Director of the Department of Commerce and Insurance, State of Missouri (hereinafter, "Director" of the "Department"), whose duties, pursuant to Chapters 374, 375 and 385, RSMo, include the supervision and regulation of the business of Motor Vehicle Extended Service Contract ("MVESC");

WHEREAS, the Division is charged with investigating producers and companies engaged in the business of Motor Vehicle Extended Service Contracts ("MVESC") pursuant to Sections 374.085, 374.190 and 385.216, RSMo and is authorized by the Director to recommend enforcement action under the laws relating to MVESC;

WHEREAS, Richard Allen Bedore ("Bedore") has applied to renew a MVESC producer license with the Department, pursuant to Chapter 385, RSMo;

WHEREAS, the Division has received information concerning Bedore's misstatement on his application, which is a violation of Section 374.210.1(1), RSMo, and subjects Bedore to enforcement action by the Director;

WHEREAS, Bedore has been informed of his right to counsel and of his right to contest any attempt by the Department to refuse to issue his MVESC producer license, and states that he understands his rights to contest any such actions;

AND WHEREAS, Bedore acknowledges and admits for purposes of this Agreement and for purposes of any future action by the Director or the Division based on an additional violation of the insurance laws, MVESC laws or regulations by Bedore, in which action the Director or the Division alleges that the violations described herein form part of a course of conduct, a business practice, or other such series of similar violations, or that future violations by Bedore are committed knowingly, intentionally or in conscious disregard of the law, by a misstatement on his application, and that such conduct violated Section 374.210.1(1), RSMo;

NOW, THEREFORE, in lieu of any recommendation or initiation by the Division of any action based on the violation cited in this Agreement, and after being afforded the opportunity to consult legal counsel, Bedore does hereby voluntarily and knowingly surrender and forfeit the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00), such sum to be paid into the State School Moneys Fund pursuant to Sections 374.046 and 374.280, RSMo.

Bedore shall submit this sum to the Department by cashier's check or money order made payable to the State School Moneys Fund no later than August 2, 2022.

The parties agree that, should the Director or the Division in the future allege an additional violation of the insurance laws or regulations by Bedore, nothing in this Agreement shall preclude the Director or the Division from introducing Bedore's admissions contained in this Agreement as evidence that the acts described herein form part of a course of conduct, a business practice, or other such series of similar violations, or for purposes of showing that such later alleged acts are committed knowingly, intentionally or in conscious disregard of the law.

DATED:

DATED: July 20, 2022

DATED: July 20, 2622

Richard Allen Bedore MVESC Producer

VIN 17083066

Carrie Couch, Director

Division of Consumer Affairs

Chlora Lindley-Myers, Director

Department of Commerce and Insurance

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