

STATE OF MISSOURI



DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

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

IN RE: BARRY S. BLOCK
711 OLD BALLAS RD
CREVE COEUR MO 63141

Our File Number 114674 E

VOLUNTARY FORFEITURE

It is hereby agreed by Barry S. Block 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 bail bond agents and general bail agents in the bail bond business 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, Barry S. Block is licensed as a general bail bond agent by the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, pursuant to Chapter 374, RSMo;

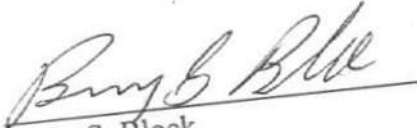
WHEREAS, information has been received by the Consumer Affairs Division concerning Barry S. Block's violation of **Section 374.719.1 RSMo (Supp. 2009)** – by not providing a prenumbered collateral receipt at the time a Quit Claim Deed was obtained and **Section 374.755.1(5) RSMo (Supp. 2009)** incompetency, misconduct, gross negligence, fraud or misrepresentation in the performance of the functions or duties of the profession by allowing or permitting a client sign a blank Quit Claim Deed; which subjects him to enforcement action by the Director;

WHEREAS, Barry Block has been informed of the nature of his violation, of his right to counsel and of his right to contest any attempt by the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, to discipline his general bail bond agent license, or to recover whatever penalties or other monetary relief as may be provided for by statute, and states that he understands his 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 revoke or suspend the general bail bond agent license of Barry S. Block or to impose any other penalties provided for by statute for the above-described violations, after being afforded the opportunity to consult legal counsel, Barry S. Block, does hereby voluntarily and knowingly surrender and forfeit the sum of \$500.00, such sum to be paid into the Missouri State School Fund pursuant to Sections 374.046 and 374.280, RSMo.

Barry S. Block 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 December 31, 2010.

DATED: _____


Barry S. Block
General Bail Bond Agent

DATED: 1/10/2011


Angela L. Nelson
Consumer Affairs Division Director

DATED: 1-10-11


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

Please submit this form along with payment to:

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