

# DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION

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

IN RE:	)	
	)	MDI Case No. 041213679C
GEORGE R. LANE, JR.	)	AHC Case No. 06-0831DI

# FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER OF DISCIPLINE

DOUGLAS M. OMMEN, Director of the Missouri Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, hereby makes the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and order.

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 1. Douglas M. Ommen is the Director of the Missouri Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions, and Professional Registration (hereinafter, "Director") whose duties, pursuant to RSMo Chapter 375, include the supervision, regulation, and discipline of insurance producers.
- 2. George R. Lane, Jr. (hereinafter, "Lane") was issued an insurance producer's license by the Director number PR228209, which license expired on December 31, 2004.
- 3. The Director filed his Complaint with the Administrative Hearing Commission on June 8, 2006, seeking a finding that sufficient cause existed for disciplining Lane's insurance producer license, based on information and allegations that he violated §§ 375.141.1(4) and (8),

RSMo (Cum. Supp. 2005) and §§ 375.141.1(5) and (4), RSMo (2000).

- 4. On October 23, 2006, a hearing was held on the Director's Complaint before the Administrative Hearing Commission. Lane did not appear.
- 5. On January 18, 2007, the Administrative Hearing Commission issued its "Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law", finding cause to discipline the producer license of Lane pursuant to §§ 375.141.1(4), RSMo (Cum. Supp. 2005) and §§ 375.141.1 (5), RSMo (2000).
- 6. On February 21, 2007, the Administrative Hearing Commission certified the record of its proceeding to the Director pursuant to § 621.110, RSMo.
- 7. The Director mailed to Lane a notice of disciplinary hearing to be held at 10:00 a.m. on March 29, 2007, in the offices of the Director of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration, 301 West High Street, Room 530, Jefferson City, Missouri.
- 8. Lane did not appear at the disciplinary hearing. At the hearing, counsel for the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration presented the decision and order of the Administrative Hearing Commission and based on Lane's conduct, recommended to the Director that Lane's insurance producer license be revoked.
- 9. The Department hereby adopts and incorporates the January 18, 2007, "Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law" of the Administrative Hearing Commission referenced herein and does hereby find in accordance with the same.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 10. Pursuant to RSMo § 375.141 and RSMo § 621.110, the Director has the discretion to discipline Lane's producer license, including revocation of such license.
  - 11. Based on the nature and severity of the aforementioned conduct sufficient grounds

exist for revoking the insurance producer license of Lane pursuant to §§ 375.141.1(4), RSMo (Cum. Supp. 2005) and §§ 375.141.1 (5), RSMo (2000).

## **ORDER OF REVOCATION**

Based on the evidence presented and the recommendation of the Department to revoke, the insurance producer license of Lane is hereby revoked.

SO ORDERED, SIGNED AND OFFICIAL SEAL AFFIXED THIS 35 DAY OF March, 2007.



DOUGLAS M. OMMEN, Director Missouri Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a certified copy of the foregoing document was forwarded by pre-paid first class mail this <u>and</u> day of <u>april</u> 2007, to:

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