

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
BEFORE THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

In the Matter of)	
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Teon Sumpter,)	FINDINGS OF FACT,
NPN 18976724,)	CONCLUSIONS OF LAW,
)	AND DEFAULT ORDER
)	
Respondent.)	CASE NO. AG-19-805

TO: Teon Sumpter, 286 W Bay Ave, Norfolk, VA 23503-4549

On January 6, 2020, a Complaint for Revocation of License was filed with the Insurance Commissioner by Greg Nelson, former Director of Producer Licensing for the North Dakota Insurance Department, alleging Teon Sumpter, NPN 18976724, committed various violations of North Dakota insurance statutes.

The Complaint was mailed to Respondent at the address on file with the Department by the United States Postal Service via certified mail, return receipt requested, on January 6, 2020. Respondent failed to answer the Complaint within 20 days as required under N.D.C.C. § 28-32-21 (1)(e). As such, on February 4th, 2020, an Application for Default Order was made deeming the allegations made in the Complaint to be admitted pursuant to N.D.C.C. § 28-32-30. Pursuant to N.D.C.C. § 26.1-26-22, a nonresident producer is served upon mailing.

Based on the allegations made in the Complaint and on the evidence presented in the Affidavits filed in support of the Complainant's Application for Default Order, the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Default Order are entered:

FINDINGS OF FACT

I

Respondent is presently, and has at all times pertinent to this action, been an licensed North Dakota nonresident insurance producer

II

The Complaint was mailed to Respondent at the address on file with the Department by the United States Postal Service via certified mail, return receipt requested, on January 6, 2020. Respondent failed to provide a written response to the Complaint.

III

Respondent has not answered the Complaint within 20 days as required under N.D.C.C. § 28-32-21(1)(e).

IV

On or about January 6, 2020, a certified letter was sent to the address on file.

V

As of February 4th, 2020, the Department has not received a response.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Respondent was properly served the Complaint in accordance with the North Dakota Rules of Civil Procedure.
2. Because of failure to answer the Complaint within 20 days of its proper service, Respondent is in default under N.D.C.C. § 28-32-30.
3. Because Respondent is in default, the allegations in the Complaint are deemed admitted pursuant to N.D.C.C. § 28-32-30.

4. Respondent's violations of N.D.C.C. §§ 26.1-26-15, 26.1-26-33, 26.1-26-42(6), and 26.1-26-42(14) are grounds for revocation of Respondent's insurance producer license.

5. Under N.D.C.C. § 26.1-26-42, the Commissioner of Insurance has authority to revoke Respondent's producer license for the violations cited above.

DEFAULT ORDER

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, IT IS ORDERED that the North Dakota insurance producer license of Teon Sumpter, NPN 18976724, be REVOKED effective after the time for filing a motion to vacate a Default Order pursuant to N.D.C.C. § 28-32-30 expires.

DATED at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 4th day of February, 2020.



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