

**BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. JOHN D. DOAK, Insurance Commissioner, Petitioner,  
 vs.  
 JEFFREY JUDGE, a formerly licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma,  
 And  
 DEBORAH JUDGE, a licensed professional bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma, Respondents.

**FILED**  
 JUN 22 2012  
 INSURANCE COMMISSIONER  
 OKLAHOMA

Case No. 11-0122-DIS

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**

On June 13, 2012, the above-captioned case came on for hearing at the office of the Oklahoma Insurance Department, 3625 N.W. 56<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 100, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112, and was concluded on the same date. Oklahoma Insurance Commissioner John D. Doak appointed the undersigned independent hearing examiner to preside at the hearing as a quasi-judicial officer. The hearing was recorded electronically by employees of the Oklahoma Insurance Department. Petitioner was represented by Assistant General Counsel William G. Combs. Deborah Judge appeared in person and was represented by Larry W. Tedder, Esq. Jeffrey Judge did not request the hearing and was not present. Testimony was taken and arguments were heard. The hearing examiner finds as follows:

**JURISDICTION**

1. John D. Doak is the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oklahoma and as such is charged with the duty of administering and enforcing all provisions of the Oklahoma Insurance Code, 36 O.S. §§ 101-7301, and the Oklahoma Bail Bond Act, 59 O. S. §§ 1301-1340.

2. Respondent Jeffrey Judge was a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 200207. Jeffrey Judge failed to renew his license before September 30, 2010, thus is no longer licensed as a bail bondsman. The Commissioner retains jurisdiction over Jeffrey Judge in this matter pursuant to 59 O.S. § 1310(E).

3. Respondent Deborah Judge is a licensed professional bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 199438.

### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On or about October 5, 2009, an appearance bond was executed as follows:

Defendant:	Anthony Rowe
Case Number(s):	CF-2009-2683
City/County:	Oklahoma County
Bondsman:	Jeffrey Judge
Surety:	Deborah Judge
Power Number(s):	3489
Bond Amount(s):	\$10,000.00

2. On June 18, 2010, the Defendant failed to appear and the bond was declared forfeited. An Order and Judgment of Forfeiture was issued by the district court on July 12, 2010, and filed in the case. A true and correct copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture was mailed to Respondents with return receipt requested within thirty (30) days after the forfeiture.

3. Jeffrey Judge received a copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture on July 13, 2010. Deborah Judge received a copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture on July 13, 2010.

4. The ninety-first (91<sup>st</sup>) day after receipt of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture by Respondents was October 12, 2010.

5. On October 8, 2010, the district court entered an order staying payment of the bond forfeiture until November 1, 2010.

6. On October 29, 2010, the district court entered an order staying payment of the bond forfeiture until November 21, 2010.

7. The Defendant was not returned to custody by November 21, 2010, nor were sums due on the forfeiture deposited with the court clerk on November 21, 2010.

8. The forfeiture has not been paid or otherwise exonerated.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The allegations are found to be true and correct and Respondents have violated 59 O.S. § 1332 by failing to return the Defendant to custody or remit payment of the bond forfeiture on November 21, 2010.

### ORDER


**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Deborah Judge is FINED in the amount of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), due and payable to the Oklahoma Insurance Department within sixty (60) days of receipt of this Order.**

**The Conditional Order issued against Respondents on April 8, 2011 was final against Jeffrey Judge on May 12, 2011, as no hearing was requested. Pursuant to 59 O.S. § 1310(E), a note shall be placed in his file to be used if he ever applies for another bail bondsman license.**

WITNESS My Hand and Official Seal this 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2012.




JOHN D. DOAK  
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

  
STEPHAN MATHIS  
HEARING EXAMINER

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William G. "Buddy" Combs  
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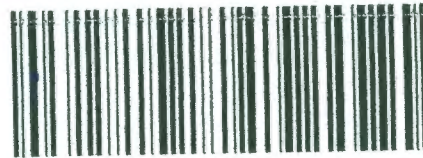
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