# BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. Insurance Commissioner,	JOHN D. DOAK,	)	INSURANCE COMMISS OKLAHOMA
	Petitioner,	)	ONLAHOMA
vs.		)	CASE NO. 11-0874-DIS
		)	
JAMES MANUEL, JR., a licensed	d bail bondsman in	)	
the State of Oklahoma,		)	
	Respondent.	)	

# CONDITIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND NOTICE OF RIGHT TO BE HEARD

COMES NOW the State of Oklahoma, ex rel., John D. Doak, Insurance Commissioner, by and through counsel and alleges and states 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. §§ 101-7004 and the Oklahoma Bail Bond Act 59 O. S. §§ 1301-1340.
- 2. James Manuel ("Respondent") is a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 200341.

#### FINDINGS OF FACTS

- 1. On or about July 15, 2011, Respondent submitted check number 2600 to the Oklahoma Insurance Department ("Department") in the amount of \$436.33 for payment of May 2011 reviewal fees. (Exhibit "A").
- 2. The check was returned to the Department by the Oklahoma State Treasurer as a charge back to the Department's account because there were insufficient funds in the account upon which the check was drawn. (Exhibit "B").

- 3. On July 11, 2011, the Department mailed a letter to Respondent, via certified mail with return receipt requested, informing him of the unpaid check and the \$25.00 service fee being assessed. (Exhibit "C"). Respondent received the letter on July 13, 2011. The letter also instructed that \$436.33 for the amount of the check and \$25.00 for the service fee, for a total of \$461.33, be paid to the Department by cashier's check or money order within five (5) days of receipt of the letter.
  - 4. Respondent submitted a money order in the amount of \$461.33 on August 18, 2011.

### CONCLUSION OF LAW

Respondent acted in violation of 59 O.S. § 1310(A)(27) by uttering an insufficient check to the Insurance Commissioner.

#### ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Respondent is fined in the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00).

Respondent is further notified that he may request a hearing within 30 days of the receipt of this Order concerning this action, and upon such request, the Insurance Department shall conduct a hearing before an independent hearing examiner. A request for hearing shall be made in writing to Natasha M. Scott, Oklahoma Insurance Department, Legal Division, 3625 NW 56<sup>th</sup> Suite 100, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112 and state the basis for requesting the hearing. Such written request shall include an explanation of Respondent's actions described herein and any defenses thereof.

If Respondent does not request a hearing within the 30 days allotted, this Order shall be a FINAL ORDER on the 31<sup>st</sup> day following the receipt of the Order, and the fine ordered herein shall be due to the Oklahoma Insurance Department.

WITNESS My Hand and Official Seal this 13th day of September, 2011.



JOHN D. DOAK INSURANCE COMMISSIONER STATE OF OKLAHOMA

Natasha M. Scott

Assistant General Counsel 3625 NW 56<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 100 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73112

Tel. (405) 521-2746 Fax (405-521-0125

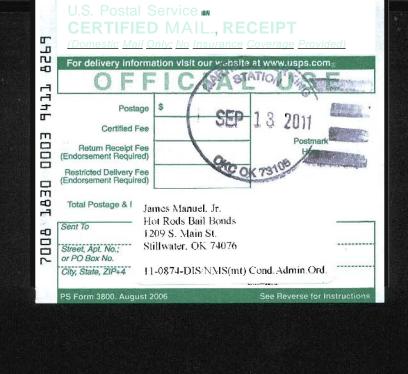
#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing *Conditional Administrative Order and Notice of Right to be Heard* was mailed certified, return receipt requested on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2011, to:

James Manuel, Jr. Hot Rod Bail Bonds 1209 S. Main Stillwater, OK 74076 CERTIFIED MAIL NO: 7008 1830 0003 9411 8269

Natasha M. Scott

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Complete items 1, 2, and 3. Also complete item 4 if Restricted Delivery is desired.  Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.  Attach this card to the back of the mail piece, or the front if space permits.  1. Article Addressed to:  OKLAHOMA INSUITABLE.		A. Signature  A. Agent  Addressee  B. Deceived by (Printed Name)  C. Date of Delivery  D. Is delivery address different from item 1?  Yes  If YES, enter delivery address below:  DEPARTMENT
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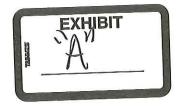
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Please sign, date and return your envelope to this office.

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2300 North Lincoln Blvd., Room 217, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105-4895 Phone: (405)521-3191 Fax: (405)522-4508

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## Oklahoma Insurance Department

Licensing Division
Five Corporate Plaza
3625 NW 56th Street, Suite 100
Oklahoma City, OK 73112

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Phone: (405) 521-3916 Fax (405) 522-3642 www.oid.ok.gov

Mary Fallin Governor John "Okie" Doak Insurance Commissioner

July 11, 2011

JAMES MANUEL 1209 S MAIN ST STILLWATER OK 74074-5846

RE: License Number 0000200341, Insufficient Funds Check

Check Number: 2600 Check Amount: \$436.33 Check Date: June 15, 2011 Amount Due: \$461.33

Dear James Manuel,

The above check was returned by your bank as insufficient. Submitting an insufficient check to the Oklahoma Insurance Department is a violation of the Bail Bond Code. See 59 O.S. §1310(A)(27). The Oklahoma Insurance Department charges a twenty five dollar (\$25.00) service fee on all insufficient funds checks. You must submit a money order or cashier's check for the amount of the check and the twenty-five dollar (\$25.00) service fee within five days from receipt of this letter.

You must submit a copy of this letter with your payment. Also, because this check paid for reviewal fees, you must remit your payment to the attention of Joy Jones, Bail Bond Division.

Sincerely,

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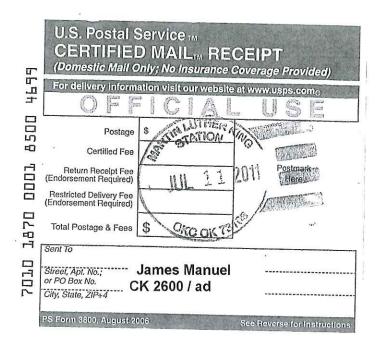
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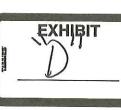
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