BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. JOHN D.)	
DOAK, Insurance Commissioner,)	JUL 1 2 2012
Petitioner,)	INSURANCE
VS.)	INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OKLAHOMA
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CURTIS PLETCHER, a licensed professional bail	1)	
bondsman in the State of Oklahoma,) CASE NO. 1	2-0628-DIS
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AND) ,	
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HOWARD BARNETT, a licensed bail bondsman)	
in the State of Oklahoma,)	
Respondents.)	

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. §§ 101-7301, and the Oklahoma Bail Bond Act, 59 O. S. §§ 1301-1340.
- 2. Respondent Howard Barnett ("Barnett") is a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 96288.
- 3. Respondent Curtis Pletcher ("Pletcher") is a licensed professional bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 199574.

FINDINGS

1. On or about November 9, 2011, an appearance bond was executed as follows:

Defendant:

David Alejandro Carillo

Case Number(s):

CF-2011-6714

City/County:

Oklahoma County

Surety: Bondsman: Curtis Pletcher Howard Barnett

Power Number(s):

33426

Bond Amount(s):

\$3,500

2. On January 11, 2012, the Defendant failed to appear, and the bond was declared forfeited. An Order and Judgment of Forfeiture was issued by the court on February 7, 2012, 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.

- Barnett received a copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture on February 21,
 2012.
- Pletcher received a copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture on February 13,
 2012.
- 5. The ninety-first (91st) day after receipt of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture by Respondents was Tuesday, May 22, 2012. On May 18, 2012, the Oklahoma County District Court entered an Order staying payment of the bond forfeiture until June 21, 2012.
 - 6. The Defendant was not returned to custody by June 21, 2012.
 - 7. Barnett paid the forfeiture on June 22, 2012—one day late.

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 within ninety (90) days or remit payment in the face amount of the bond forfeiture within ninety-one (91) days from receipt of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture.

2. Pursuant to 59 O.S. § 1310(B), any bondsman violating a provision of the Bail Bond Act may be subject to a civil penalty ranging from \$250 to \$2,500.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Howard Barnett and Curtis Pletcher are <u>each</u> FINED Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00).

Respondents are further notified that they may request a hearing within 30 days of the receipt of this Order concerning this action, and upon such request, the Oklahoma Insurance Department shall conduct a hearing before an independent hearing examiner. A request for hearing shall be made in writing to Buddy Combs, Oklahoma Insurance Department, Legal Division, 3625 NW 56th Suite 100, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112 and give an explanation of Respondents' actions alleged herein and any defenses thereto.

If Respondents do not request a hearing within the 30 days allotted, this Order shall become a FINAL ORDER on the 31st day following the receipt of the Order and the fine ordered herein shall be due.

WITNESS My Hand and Official Seal this day of July, 2012.

JOHN D. DOAK INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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 _______ day of July, 2012, to:

Howard Barnett P.O. Box 2652 Oklahoma City, OK 73101-2652

Curt Pletcher 121 N. Denver Ave. Tulsa, OK 74103-1819

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