BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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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, Buddy Combs, 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.
- Michael Cleve Jackson ("Respondent") is a licensed bail bondsman in the
 State of Oklahoma holding license number 40004872.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- On May 17, 2013, American Surety Company ("ASC") filed with the Oklahoma Insurance Department ("the Department") an appointment request for Respondent.
- 2. On May 16, 2013, Respondent filed a certified copy of his appointment by power of attorney with the Court Clerk of Craig County.

- Respondent's May 2013 ASC report indicates that he wrote bonds by power of attorney on behalf of ASC in Craig County District Court and Ketchum Municipal Court on May 17 and May 19, 2013.
- 4. On May 20, 2013, the Department approved Respondent's appointment with ASC, and notified the Craig County District Court Clerk that day.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The allegations are found to be true and correct and Respondent has violated 59 O.S. §§ 1303(A) and 1320(A) by executing bail bonds in Oklahoma by power of attorney without a valid appointment.
- 2. Oklahoma Administrative Code 365:25-5-43 states that "[t]he effective date of the bondsman appointment described in 59 O.S. § 1317 shall be the date the Commissioner approves the completed appointment and notifies the bail bondsman's resident county court clerk."

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Michael Cleve Jackson is hereby CENSURED and FINED 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 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 St., Suite 100, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112, and <u>provide an explanation of Respondent's actions described herein and any defenses thereto</u>.

If Respondent does 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.

WITNESS My Hand and Official Seal this day of July, 2013.



JOHN D. DOAK INSURANCE COMMISSIONER STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, Buddy Combs, 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 via certified mail with return receipt requested on this day of July, 2013, to:

Michael Cleve Jackson PO BOX 255 VINITA, OK 74301-0255



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