

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

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OKLAHOMA INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. JOHN D. DOAK, )  
Insurance Commissioner, )  
  ) Petitioner, )  
vs. )  
  ) Case No. 13-0626-DIS  
PATRICIA THATCHER, a licensed bail bondsman )  
in the State of Oklahoma, )  
  ) Respondent. )

**JUL 05 2013**

Legal Division

**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. Patricia Thatcher (“Respondent”) is a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 40053191.

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. On April 26, 2013, Respondent submitted to the Oklahoma Insurance Department (“the Department”) her Amended March 2013 United States Fire Insurance Company surety report.

2. With the report, Respondent submitted an Electronic Funds Transfer (“EFT”) of three dollars (\$3.00). The Oklahoma State Treasurer charged the EFT back to the Department as “R01 - Not Sufficient Funds.”

3. On May 24, 2013, Department staff sent Respondent a letter by email and certified mail, with return receipt requested, requesting that the funds be replaced and a service fee of \$25.00

be paid within five days of receipt of the letter. The letter was sent to 1209 S. Main St., Stillwater, OK 74074, which was then—and is currently—her mailing address on file with the Department.

4. On May 30, 2013, “Claudette Petties” signed for the certified letter.

5. As of the date of this Order, Respondent has not replaced the funds or responded to the Department’s certified letter.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Respondent has violated 59 O.S. § 1310(A)(27) by uttering insufficient funds to the Commissioner.

2. Respondent has violated 59 O.S. § 1310(A)(21) by failing to respond to a properly mailed notification within a reasonable amount of time.

#### ORDER

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Patricia Thatcher is CENSURED and FINED Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00).**

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Patricia Thatcher shall replace the insufficient EFT and pay the service fee owed. The total amount owed to the Department, independent of the fine ordered above, is Twenty-Eight Dollars (\$28.00). If Respondent fails to replace the funds, her license shall be SUSPENDED upon this Order becoming a Final Order, which will occur on the 31<sup>st</sup> day following his receipt of this Order if no request for hearing is made.**

Respondent is further notified that she 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 56<sup>th</sup> Suite

100, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112 and give an explanation of Respondent's actions described herein and any defenses thereto.

Any fine ordered herein is due and payable to the Oklahoma Insurance Department within 30 days after the date this Order becomes a Final Order.

WITNESS My Hand and Official Seal this 5<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2013.



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 5<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2013, to:

Patricia Thatcher  
1209 S. Main St.  
Stillwater, OK 74074-5846

Buddy Combs  
Buddy Combs

**U.S. Postal Service**  
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City, State, Zip	Stillwater, Ok 74074-5846
	<b>sms/13-0626-DIS/Cond Ord</b>

PS Form 3800, January 2001 See Reverse for Instructions

**SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION**

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- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
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1. Article Addressed to:

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 Stillwater, Ok 74074-5846  
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A. Signature  Agent  
 Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name) **Jamie Manvel**

C. Date of Delivery

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