BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. JOHN D.)
DOAK, Insurance Commissioner,	
Petitioner,)
vs.)
STACY FRENCH, a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma,))
AND) CASE NO. 15-1212-DIS
SENECA INSURANCE COMPANY, INC., an insurance company licensed to act as bail surety 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 Stacy French ("French") is a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 40087375. French's license was suspended on September 23, 2015.
- 3. Respondent Seneca Insurance Company, Inc. ("SICI") is an insurance company licensed to act as bail surety in the State of Oklahoma holding NAIC number 10936.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On or about March 9, 2015, appearance bonds were executed as follows:

Defendant:

Gabriel Piertro Giovanni Birnay

Case Number(s):

127597480(1) and F27597480(1)

City/County:

Oklahoma City Municipal Court Clerk

Surety:

SICI

Bondsman:

Stacy French

Power Number(s):

S06 02339264 and S06 02339265

Bond Amount(s):

\$352, \$182 = \$534

2. On May 21, 2015, the Defendant failed to appear, and the bonds were orally declared forfeited. Orders and Judgments of Forfeitures were filed by the court on June 9, 2015. True and correct copies of the Orders and Judgments of Forfeitures were mailed to Respondents with return receipt requested within thirty (30) days after the Order's filing.

- 3. French received copies of the Orders and Judgments of Forfeitures on June 11, 2015.
- 4. SICI received copies of the Orders and Judgments of Forfeitures on June 15, 2015.
- 5. The ninety-first (91st) day after receipt of the Orders and Judgments of Forfeitures by Respondents was Thursday, September 10, 2015.
- 6. As of the date of this Order, the bond forfeitures have not been paid or otherwise set aside or the bonds exonerated.
- 7. The Defendant was not returned to custody within 90 days, nor was the face amounts of the forfeited bonds deposited with the Court Clerk within 91 days, after receipt of the Orders and Judgments of Forfeitures by Respondents.

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 amounts

of the bond forfeitures within ninety-one (91) days from receipt of the Orders and Judgments of Forfeitures.

2. Pursuant to 59 O.S. § 1310(B), any bondsman or company violating a provision of the Bail Bond Act, 59 O.S. §§ 1301-1340, may be subject to a fine of not less than \$250 but not more than \$2,500.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Stacy French and Seneca Insurance Company, Inc. are each CENSURED and FINED Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the face amounts of the bond forfeitures shall be deposited with the Oklahoma City Municipal Court Clerk (or the bond forfeitures otherwise set aside or the bonds exonerated) within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Order. Failure to do so shall result in the CANCELLATION of Seneca Insurance Company, Inc.'s license privilege and authorization to do business within the State of Oklahoma and CANCELLATION of the surety appointment of all surety bondsman agents of Seneca Insurance Company, Inc.

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 fines ordered herein shall be due.

WITNESS My Hand and Official Seal this day of October, 2015.



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 October, 2015, to:

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Seneca Insurance Company, Inc. 157 Main Street P.O. Box 806 Greenville, Pennsylvania 16125

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