BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. JOHN D. DOAK, Insurance Commissioner, Petitioner, Vs. Petitioner, The State of Oklahoma, CASE NO. 18-0343-DIS CURTIS PLETCHER, a professional bail bondsman licensed in the state of Oklahoma, Date of Oklahoma, D

CONDITIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND NOTICE OF RIGHT TO BE HEARD

Respondents.

COMES NOW the State of Oklahoma, ex rel. John D. Doak, Insurance Commissioner, by and through counsel, Sara A. Worten, 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. §§ 101-7401, and the Oklahoma Bail Bond Act, 59 O. S. §§ 1301-1340.
- 2. Respondent Ryan Manuel ("Manuel") is a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 166908. Manuel's address of record is 2828 57th, # 205, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
- 3. Respondent Curtis Pletcher ("Pletcher") is a professional bail bondsman in the state of Oklahoma holding license number 199574. Pletcher's Address of record is Post Office

Box 66, Springer, Oklahoma.

4. The Insurance Commissioner has jurisdiction over the subject matter raised in this dispute and may issue penalties pursuant to 59 O.S. §§ 1310 and 1332.

5. Pursuant to 59 O.S. § 1310(B), in addition to any potential denial, censure,

suspension, or revocation, any person violating any provision of the Oklahoma Bail Bond Act

may be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$250.00 nor more than \$2,500.00 for each

occurrence.

6. If Manuel or Pletcher request a hearing in writing in this matter, pursuant to OAC

365:1-7-1, the Insurance Commissioner, pursuant to 59 O.S. § 1311.1, will appoint an

independent hearing examiner who shall sit as a quasi-judicial officer and preside over the

hearing requested by Respondent(s).

7. The Insurance Commissioner, pursuant to OAC 365:1-7-5, upon written request

reasonably made by a person affected by the hearing and at such person's expense, shall cause a

full stenographic record of the proceedings to be made by a competent court reporter.

ALLEGATIONS OF FACT

8. On or about May 10, 2017, appearance bonds were executed as follows:

Defendant:

Julian Dior Moore

Case Number(s):

CF-2017-2570

City/County:

Oklahoma County

Surety:

Curtis Pletcher

Bondsman: Power Number(s): Rvan Manuel 100182

Bond Amount(s):

\$3,500.00

9. On or about December 12, 2017, the Defendant left court prior to the hearing and the bond was declared forfeited. An Order and Judgment of Forfeiture was issued on or about December 18, 2017, by the Oklahoma County Court. A true and correct copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture was mailed to Manuel and Pletcher with return receipt requested within 30 days after the Order's filing.

- Manuel received a copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture on January 11, 2018.
- 11. Pletcher received a copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture on December 21, 2017.
- 12. The 91st day after receipt of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture was April 12,2018.
- 13. Manuel issued a check for the forfeiture on April 12, 2018. The check was returned as insufficient funds on April 24, 2018.
- 14. The forfeiture was untimely paid on April 30, 2018 and the defendant was not timely returned to custody.

ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF LAW

- 15. Respondents have violated 59 O.S. 1310(A)(2) and (28), by failing to return the Defendant to custody within 90 days or remit payment in the face amount of the bond forfeiture within 91 days from receipt of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture in accordance with the provisions of 59 O.S. § 1332 and OAC 365:25-5-40 and 365:25-5-41.
- 16. Respondents have violated 59 O.S. 1310(A)(6), (9) and (28) by failing to comply with Order of Judgement & Forfeiture.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Manuel and Pletcher are collectively fined

\$250.00. The fine is to be paid within 30 days of the date of this Conditional Administrative Order and made payable to the Oklahoma Insurance Department. If the fine is not paid within 30 days, Respondents' respective licenses will be suspended and shall remain suspended until the fines are paid in full.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Insurance Commissioner that this Order is a Conditional Order. Unless either Manuel or Pletcher request a hearing with respect to the Allegations of Fact set forth above within 30 days of the date of this Conditional Order, the penalties set forth above will become a Final Order on the 31st day following the date of mailing this Order. A request for hearing should be in writing and addressed to Sara Worten, Oklahoma Insurance Department, Legal Division, 3625 NW 56th St., Suite 100, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112. The request for hearing must state the grounds for the request to set aside or modify the Order and must be served on the Oklahoma Insurance Department within the 30 days allotted. The proceedings on such requested hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Oklahoma Bail Bond Code, 59 O.S. §§ 1301 through 1341 and the Oklahoma Administrative Procedures Act, 75 O.S. §§ 250 through 324. If either Manuel or Pletcher serve a timely request for hearing on the Oklahoma Insurance Department, this Conditional Order will act as a notice of the matters to be reviewed at the hearing and the Allegations of Fact, Alleged Violations of Law, and penalties imposed in this Conditional Order will be considered withdrawn, pending final resolution at the hearing.





JOHN D. DOAK INSURANCE COMMISSIONER STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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Tel. (405) 521-2746 Fax (405) 522-0125

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 by regular mail and by certified mail, with postage prepaid and return receipt requested, on this ______ day of May 2018, to:

Ryan Manuel 2828 NW 57th # 205 Oklahoma City, OK 73112

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Curtis Pletcher P.O. Box 66 Springer, OK 73458

Bar Code NO.

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and a copy was delivered to:

Renonda Stogsdill Lewis Garrison Bail Bonds Division

Sara A. Worten

Assistant General Counsel



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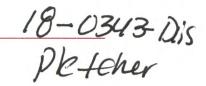
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