

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

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. JOHN)
D. DOAK, Insurance Commissioner,)
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Petitioner,)
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v.)
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THOMAS CARNES,)
a licensed insurance producer,)
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Respondent.)

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**INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
OKLAHOMA**

Case No. 18-0559-DEN

**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 his attorney and alleges and states as follows:

JURISDICTION

1. John D. Doak is the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oklahoma and is charged with the duty of administering and enforcing all provisions of the Oklahoma Insurance Code, 36 O.S. §§ 101 et seq.

2. Thomas Carnes is an Oklahoma licensed insurance producer holding license 40007534. His address of record is 25346 S. 540 Road, Afton, Oklahoma 74331.

3. The Insurance Commissioner may place on probation, censure, suspend, revoke or refuse to issue or renew a license issued pursuant to the Oklahoma Producer Licensing Act and/or may levy a fine up to \$1,000.00 for each occurrence of a violation of the Oklahoma Insurance Code, 36 O.S. § 1435.13(A) and (D).

ALLEGATIONS OF FACT

1. Respondent Thomas Carnes submitted an application to reinstate his producer license on August 3, 2018.
2. Oklahoma Insurance Department records show that Respondent's license expired on August 31, 2017 for failing to renew.
3. During the time Respondent's license was expired, approximately fifty-three (53) Oklahoma policies were sold in the state of Oklahoma.
4. Respondent is required to maintain an active license while conducting an insurance business in Oklahoma.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Respondent violated 36 O.S. § 1435.4(A) in failing to maintain an active producer license while conducting an insurance-related business, thereby in violation of 36 O.S. § 1435.13(A)(2).

ORDER

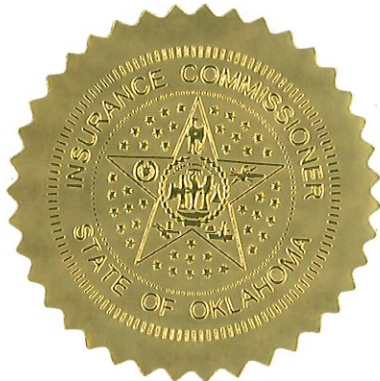
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Insurance Commissioner, subject to the following paragraph, that the Respondent violated 36 O.S. § 1435.13(A)(2) and as a result **Respondent is FINED** in the amount of **TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00)**. **License will be reinstated upon payment of this fine. The fine is to be paid within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Order.**

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Insurance Commissioner that this Order is a Conditional Order. Unless the Respondent requests a hearing with respect to the Allegations of Fact set forth above within thirty (30) days of the date of mailing of this Order, this Order and the penalties set forth above shall become a Final Order on

the thirty-first day following the date of mailing this Order. A request for hearing should be in writing addressed to Julie Meaders, Oklahoma Insurance Department, Legal Division, 3625 NW 56th Street, Suite 100 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112. The request for hearing must state the grounds for the request to set aside or modify the Order.

Any such hearing shall be conducted according to the procedures for contested cases under the Insurance Code and 75 O.S. §§ 250-323. If the Respondent serves a timely request for hearing on the Oklahoma Insurance Department, this Conditional Order shall act as 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 shall be considered withdrawn, pending final resolution at the hearing.

WITNESS My Hand and Official Seal this 8th day of August 2018.



JOHN D. DOAK
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, Julie Meaders, 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 certified mail with postage prepaid and return receipt requested on this 8th day of August to:

Thomas Carnes
25346 S. 540 Road
Afton, Oklahoma 74331.

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Julie Meaders



August 29, 2018

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