# BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. GLEN MULREADY, Insurance Commissioner,	) INSURANCE COMMISS OKLAHOMA	SIONER
Petitioner,	) )	
v.	) Case No. 20-0107-DIS	
NALICO GENERAL AGENCY, INC. an insurance agency,	) ) )	
Respondent.	) ) )	

# CONDITIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER <u>AND NOTICE OF RIGHT TO BE HEARD</u>

**COMES NOW** the State of Oklahoma, ex rel. Glen Mulready, Insurance Commissioner, by and through his attorney, Sara A. Worten, and alleges and states as follows:

### **JURISDICTION**

- 1. Glen Mulready 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. Respondent NALICO General Agency, Inc. ("Respondent") is a non-resident insurance agency holding Oklahoma license number 10004810. Its address of record is P.O. Box 2650, Waco, TX 76702-2650.
- 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. Oklahoma Insurance Department's records show that Respondent's license became inactive on March 31, 2018, for failing to renew.
- 2. Respondent submitted an application to reinstate its non-resident producer license on January 1, 2020.
- 3. 36 O.S. § 1435.7(B) requires business entity producers to maintain an insurance producer license. Respondent failed to maintain an active license while conducting insurance business during the period of April 1, 2018 through January 16, 2020. During this time, 534 insurance policies were solicited, negotiated or sold.

# **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. Pursuant to 36 O.S. § 1435.7(B), a business entity acting as an insurance producer is required to maintain an insurance producer license.
- 2. 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  $36 \, O.S. \, S$  1435.13(A)(2) and as a result Respondent is FINED in the amount of \$1,000.00. The Fine is to be paid within 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 30 days of the date of mailing of this

Order, this Order and the penalties set forth above will 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 Sara A. Worten, Oklahoma Insurance Department, Legal Division, 400 NE 50<sup>th</sup> Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102. 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 will 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 day of March, 2020.



GLEN MULREADY INSURANCE COMMISSIONER STATE OF OKLAHOMA

/s/Sara A. Worten
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# **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I, Sara A. Worten, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Conditional Administrative Order and Notice of Right to be Heard was sent by certified mail with postage prepaid and return receipt requested and by electronic on this day of March 2020 to:

NALICO General Agency, Inc. P.O. Box 2650 Waco, TX 76702-2650 lpirtle@natlilcogeneral.com

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Sara Worten



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