STATE OF OKLAHOMA STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel. GLEN MULREADY, Insurance Commissioner, Petitioner, Vs. PHILLIP DANIEL SHAW, a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma, AND DUSTIN CLINT PLETCHER, a multicounty

BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE

CONDITIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND NOTICE OF RIGHT TO BE HEARD

agent bondsman licensed in the state of Oklahoma,

Respondents.

COMES NOW the State of Oklahoma, ex rel. Glen Mulready, Insurance Commissioner, by and through counsel, Antuanya "Bo" DeBose, and alleges and states as follows:

JURISDICTION

- 1. Glen Mulready 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 Phillip Dustin Shaw ("Respondent Shaw") is a licensed bail bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 100262402. Respondent Shaw's address of record is 608 SW D Ave, Suite 6, Lawton, Oklahoma 73501-4560.
- 3. Respondent Dustin Clint Pletcher ("Respondent Pletcher") is a multicounty agent bondsman in the State of Oklahoma holding license number 40070339. Respondent Pletcher's address of record is 12844 Acme Road, Shawnee, Oklahoma 74804-9194.

- 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 Respondents 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 Respondents.
- 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.

FINDINGS OF FACT

8. On or about January 13, 2020, an appearance bond was executed as follows:

Defendant:

Lonzo Sharp III

Case Number(s):

CM-2020-7

City/County:

Comanche County

Surety:

Dustin Clint Pletcher

Bondsman:

Phillip Daniel Shaw

Power Number(s):

22775

Bond Amount(s):

\$1,000.00

9. On or about August 10, 2020 the Defendant failed to appear and the bond was declared forfeited. An Order and Judgment of Forfeiture was issued on or about August 12, 2020 by the Comanche County District Court. A true and correct copy of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture

was mailed to Respondent Shaw and Respondent Pletcher to their address of record with return receipt requested within thirty (30) days after the Order's filing.

- 10. Respondent Shaw's copy of the Order and Judgement of Forfeiture was delivered August 24, 2020.
- 11. Respondent Pletcher's copy of the Order and Judgement of Forfeiture was received August 14, 2020.
- 12. The ninety-first (91st) day after receipt of the Order and Judgment of Forfeiture, considered with the executed stays, was May 10, 2021.
- 13. The forfeiture was untimely paid May 11, 2021.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

14. Respondents have violated 59 O.S. 1310(A)(6) and (28), by failing to return the Defendant to custody within ninety (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.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Respondent Shaw and Respondent Pletcher are both FINED \$250.00. The fine shall be paid within 30 days of the date of this Conditional Administrative Order and made payable to the Oklahoma Insurance Department located at 400 NE 50th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112. Failure to comply with a proper order of the Commissioner will result in further administrative action.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED by the Insurance Commissioner that this Order is a Conditional Order. Unless Respondents request a hearing with

respect to the Findings 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 Antuanya "Bo" DeBose, Oklahoma Insurance Department, Legal Division, 400 NE 50th Street, 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 Insurance Code, 36 O.S. §§ 101 et seq., and the Oklahoma Administrative Procedures Act, 75 O.S. §§ 250 through 324. If Respondent Shaw or Respondent Pletcher serves 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 Findings of Fact, Conclusions 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 ______

his <u>'C'</u> day of <u>June</u> 2021.

GLEN MULREADY INSURANCE COMMISSIONER STATE QF QKLAHOMA

Antuanya "Bo" DeBose Assistant General Counsel Oklahoma Insurance Department 400 NE 50th Street

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73112

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 June, 2021, to:

Dustin Clint Pletcher 12844 Acme Road Shawnee, Oklahoma 74804-9194

CERTIFIED MAIL NO: 9214 8902 0982 7500 0380 25

Phillip Daniel Shaw 608 SW D Ave, Suite 6 Lawton, Oklahoma 73501-4560

CERTIFIED MAIL NO: 9214 8902 0982 7500 0380 32

and a copy was delivered to:

Bail Bonds Division

Antuanya "Bo" DeBose Assistant General Counsel



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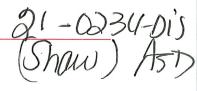
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