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SENT VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL & CERTIFIED MAIL

Dinishia Philips
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RE: Application for Insurance Producer License

Dinishia Philips,

This letter is to notify you that your application for licensure as an insurance producer in South Dakota has been denied. The reason for the denial is as follows:

You submitted an application for an individual insurance producer license to the South Dakota Division of Insurance ("Division") on June 2, 2022. You answered "yes" regarding questions about criminal history and felonies. The Division conducted an investigation of your application. On a 2016 felony charge for possession of a controlled substance, you had adjudication withheld and completed probation. On August 3 and August 8, the Division requested copies of charging documents and further clarification of the 2016 case. Despite various correspondences, the requested information was never provided. A final phone call was made on September 23, 2022 to discuss the matter, but no response was received.

Based on the above information, your application is denied under SDCL 58-30-167(1) for providing incorrect, misleading, incomplete, or materially untrue information in the license application.

Please note that this denial is considered an administrative action which will be reported to the database maintained by the National Association of Insurance Commissioners. If an administrative action occurs, an insurance producer may be required to report the action to any and all states in which an insurance license is held and in accordance with the timeframes and requirements of each state.

Pursuant to SDCL 58-30-168, you may make a written request to the Division of Insurance within thirty days of the date of this denial for a hearing to determine the reasonableness of this decision to deny your application for licensure.

Sincerely,

Tony Dorschner
Assistant Director Producer Licensing
South Dakota Division of Insurance