## BEFORE THE DIVISION OF INSURANCE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND REGULATION STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF NATIONAL INSURANCE NETWORK, INC.	)	CONSENT ORDER

In resolution of the above matter and in lieu of issuance of a Notice of Hearing and a formal hearing, the undersigned parties do hereby agree to the following:

NATIONAL INSURANCE NETWORK, INC. ("NATIONAL"), whose address of record is 7257 Bee Ridge Rd., Sarasota, Florida 34251, is a business entity holding a license to transact business in the State of South Dakota;

NATIONAL is aware that the South Dakota Division of Insurance ("Division") has conducted an investigation of its insurance-related activities in South Dakota;

The Division has alleged the following:

- 1) NATIONAL failed to report an Ohio administrative action to the Division within 30 days, a violation of SDCL § 58-30-193;
- 2) NATIONAL failed to respond to Division inquiries dated November 14, 2014 and December 16, 2014 within 20 days, a violation of SDCL §§ 58-33-66(1) and 58-33-68;
- 3) The above-cited conduct may be grounds to revoke NATIONAL's license pursuant to SDCL § 58-30-167(2) and (8).

NATIONAL is aware of and understands the nature of the charges and has been informed that it has the right to notice, hearing, and appeal, and that by agreeing to and signing this Consent Order waives these rights;

In return for NATIONAL agreeing to the provisions of this Consent Order, the Division agrees not to proceed to hearing and agrees that this Consent Order will constitute an informal disposition of this licensing matter pursuant to SDCL § 1-26-20;

NATIONAL agrees to a monetary penalty in the amount of \$1000 pursuant to SDCL § 58-4-28.1, in lieu of contesting this matter formally; and

NATIONAL further agrees to conduct itself in accordance with the insurance laws and regulations of the State of South Dakota;

NATIONAL agrees that this Consent Order may be considered for the purpose of determining the appropriate sanction in any future actions with the Division for any violations of the laws or regulations of the State of South Dakota or for failing to abide by any order of the Director;

Wherefore, good cause appearing from the foregoing, it is hereby ORDERED that NATIONAL pay a monetary penalty in the amount of \$1000 payable to "South Dakota Division of Insurance" for deposit in the general fund of the State of South Dakota; and it is further

ORDERED that should NATIONAL fail to comply with the provisions of this Order, the Division may seek the suspension or revocation of NATIONAL's license at hearing pursuant to SDCL § 58-6-46, or seek other remedies available at law; and it is further

ORDERED that the use of this Consent Order for competitive purposes by an insurance agent or thirdparty administrator holding a license in the State of South Dakota, or by any company holding a Certificate of Authority, or by anyone on their behalf, may be deemed unfair competition and be

grounds for suspension or revocation of said license or authority; and it is further
ORDERED that the provisions of this Consent Order shall be effective from the date the Director signs this Order.
Dated at Pierre, South Dakota this 8th day of May, 2015.
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Larry Deiter, Director South Dakota Division of Insurance
The undersigned, on behalf of NATIONAL, represents it understands the terms of this Consent Order and the waiver of its due process rights and voluntarily enter into this Consent Order.
Dated this day of
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