

## **DIVISION OF INSURANCE**

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## SENT VIA CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST-CLASS MAIL

John Tyler 2280 N. Greenville Ave Richardson, TX 75082

RE: Application for Insurance Producer License/Denial

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

You submitted three applications for an individual nonresident insurance producer license to the South Dakota Division of Insurance ("Division") on January 17, 2022, January 25, 2022, and March 23, 2022. On your first and second application, you answered "YES" to question 1B, indicating you have previously been convicted of a felony. On your third application you answered "NO" to all questions but did indicate that you are at least 12 months in arrears regarding your child support obligations. You provided documentation that showed that you were charged with or found guilty of the following:

- 2017—Felony Present false/fraud claim for payment of Insurance
- 2017—Felony Present false/fraud claim for theft of vehicle
- 2017—Felony Hit and run injury
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Due to the discrepancy with your applications, the Division wrote to you April 27, 2022, asking for a full explanation. Having failed to receive a response on September 23, 2022, the Division again wrote you via certified mail. In a final attempt to contact you, on November 30, 2022, the Division called your number of record and left a voicemail stating your license would be denied if you did not respond to the Division. As of the date of this letter, the Division still has not had any contact from you regarding your applications.

Based on the above information, your application is denied because you have been determined not to be in good standing under ARSD 20:06:01:03 and for violating SDCL 58-30-167(2),(6), & (8), for violating the insurance laws or rules of South Dakota or any other state; and for having been convicted of a felony; and for using fraudulent, coercive, or dishonest practices, or demonstrating



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incompetence, untrustworthiness, or financial irresponsibility in the conduct of business in this state or elsewhere.

Please note 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 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 (30) days of the date of this denial for a hearing to determine the reasonableness of this decision to deny your application for licensure.

Sincerely,

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