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

IN THE MATTER OF ARIEL PERKINS) ,)	CONSENT ORDER	

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

ARIEL PERKINS ("PERKINS"), whose address of record is 47 Bobbys Way Apt 304, Staunton VA 24401-4179, is an individual holding a non-resident insurance producer license in the State of South Dakota.

PERKINS is aware that the South Dakota Division of Insurance ("Division") has conducted an investigation;

The Division alleges the following:

- 1) PERKINS was subject to administrative actions in the state of Kansas;
- 2) On August 25, 2023, the State of Kansas denied Perkins' application for licensure, in violation of SDCL 58-30-167(9);
- 3) PERKINS failed to report the Kansas administrative action to the Division, in violation of SDCL 58-30-193;
- 4) PERKINS failed to respond within 20 days the Division's requests for an explanation dated April 22, 2024, May 15, 2024, and June 24, 2024, in violation of SDCL 58-33-66(1);
- 5) Pursuant to SDCL 58-30-167(9), 58-30-193, and 58-33-66(1), the Director of the Division may revoke PERKINS's insurance producer license for any of the above-cited reasons.

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

In return for PERKINS agreeing to the provisions of this Consent Order, the Division agrees not to proceed to administrative hearing and agrees that this Consent Order will constitute the final disposition pursuant to SDCL 1-26-20;

PERKINS agrees, in lieu of contesting this matter formally, to the revocation of his nonresident insurance producer's license and to cease the transaction of insurance business in this state;

PERKINS further agrees that this Consent Order may be considered in any future licensing procedures with the South Dakota Division of Insurance and 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;

By the execution of this Consent Order, PERKINS waives his right to contest the allegations contained in this Consent Order in any future licensing proceedings;

Wherefore, good cause appearing from the foregoing, it is hereby ORDERED that the nonresident insurance producer's license of PERKINS is hereby revoked; and it is further

ORDERED that the use of this Consent Order for competitive purposes by an insurance agent or third-party 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

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Order.	er shall be effective from the date the Director signs this
Dated at Pierre, South Dakota this day of	JANUAY, 2025.
	Lafry Deiter, Director South Dakota Division of Insurance
I have read and understand the terms of this Conse voluntarily enter into this Consent Order.	ent Order and the waiver of my due process rights and
Dated this14day ofJanuary	, 2025.

Signature

Ariel Perkins
Name (Print)