

BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
FOR THE STATE OF ARKANSAS

IN THE MATTER OF
David Allen Bedell

A.I.D. NO. 2007- 014

CONSENT ORDER

On this day, Julie Benafield Bowman, Arkansas Insurance Commissioner ("Commissioner") and David Allen Bedell ("Respondent") agree to enter into this Consent Order for the reasons stated below. From the facts and law before the Commissioner, she finds:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The Commissioner has jurisdiction over the parties and subject matter pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. §23-61-103.
2. On January 8, 2007, Respondent submitted to the Arkansas Insurance Department an application for licensure as a resident insurance producer. A question on the application required Respondent to state whether Respondent had ever been convicted of a crime. Respondent answered "no."
3. Pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. 23-64-506(c), the Commissioner conducted an investigation of Respondent's background and found that Respondent has been convicted of a crime. Arkansas State Police records indicate Respondent was convicted in 2003 for disorderly conduct, terroristic threatening and attempting to influence a public servant.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. Respondent's criminal conviction is a violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 23-64-512(a) (8). Respondent's failure to provide correct information on Respondent's resident producer license application is a violation of Ark. Code Ann. §§ 23-64-512(a)(1) and (3).

THE PARTIES HAVE AGREED THAT:

A. Respondent may sit for the producer license exam and upon passing the exam and becoming licensed; the Respondent is placed on probation for a term of one (1) year from the date of this Order;

B. Respondent understands that Respondent's conviction information will be open to the public pursuant to the Arkansas Freedom of Information Act of 1967, Ark Code Ann. §§ 25-19-101, *et. seq.*

C. Respondent understands that this Consent Order will be provided to the National Association of Insurance Commissioner and will be accessible by other states.

D. Respondent understands that this Consent Order may be used any future administrative proceedings brought against Respondent by the Commissioner.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 26th day of March, 2007.


Name


JULIE BENAFIELD BOWMAN
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER
STATE OF ARKANSAS