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STATE OF ARIZONA

DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

In the Matter of:	)	
	)	**No. 07A-048 - INS**
VALERIE SUE WESTRUM	)	
	)	**CONSENT ORDER**
Respondent.	)	
	)	
_____	)	

The State of Arizona Department of Insurance ("Department") has received evidence that Valerie Sue Westrum ("Respondent") violated provisions of Title 20, Arizona Revised Statutes. Respondent wishes to resolve this matter without the commencement of formal proceedings, and admits the following Findings of Fact are true and consents to entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is, and was at all material times licensed as a non-resident personal lines property and casualty insurance producer, Arizona license number 880741, which license expires May 31, 2010.

2. On or about December 19, 2002, The US District Court for the District of South Dakota, Southern Division, found Respondent guilty of felony Conversion of Public Money, False Entries in case No. CR02-40055-01.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Director has jurisdiction over this matter.

2. Respondent's conduct as described above constitutes having been convicted of a felony within the meaning of A.R.S. §20-295(A)(6).

3. Respondent's conduct as described above constitutes demonstrating incompetence, untrustworthiness or financial irresponsibility in the conduct of business in this state or elsewhere within the meaning of A.R.S. §20-295(A)(8).

4. Respondent's conduct as described above constitutes failure to notify the director of any criminal prosecution of the producer in any jurisdiction, a violation of A.R.S. § 20-301(B).

5. Respondent's conduct as described above constitutes a violation of any provision of Title 20, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(2).

6. Grounds exist for the Director to suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew Respondent's insurance license, impose a civil penalty and/or order restitution pursuant to A.R.S. §§20-295(A) & (F).

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT Respondent's license is revoked effective immediately upon entry of this Order.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE this 23rd day of February, 2007.

CHRISTINA URIAS
Director of Insurance

CONSENT TO ORDER

1. Respondent has reviewed the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

2. Respondent admits the jurisdiction of the Director of Insurance, State of Arizona, and admits the foregoing Findings of Fact and consents to the entry of the foregoing Conclusions of Law and Order.

3. Respondent is aware of her right to notice and a hearing at which she may be represented by counsel, present evidence and examine witnesses. Respondent irrevocably waives her right to such notice and hearing and to any court appeals relating to this Consent Order.

4. Respondent states that no promise of any kind or nature whatsoever, except as expressly contained in this Consent Order, was made to her to induce her to enter into this Consent Order and that she has entered into this Consent Order voluntarily.

5. Respondent acknowledges that the acceptance of this Consent Order by the Director is solely to settle this matter against her and does not preclude any other agency, officer, or subdivision of this state including this agency from instituting civil or criminal proceedings as may be appropriate now or in the future.

2/20/2007
Date

Valerie Sue Westrum
Valerie Sue Westrum, License Number 880741

COPIES of the foregoing mailed/delivered
this 23rd day of February, 2007, to:

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