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RICHARD F. GRANT. JR...
No. 07A-179-INS

Respondent.

CONSENT ORDER

The State of Arizona Department of Insurance ("Department") has received evidence that **Richard F. Grant, Jr.,** ("Respondent") violated provisions of Title 20, Arizona Revised Statutes ("A.R.S."). 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. On or about April 28, 2003, Respondent submitted a Uniform Application for Non-Resident Individual Insurance Producer License to the Arizona Department of Insurance ("Department"). Respondent listed a Vancouver, Washington, address as his residence address, and a P.O. Box in Carlsbad, California, as his mailing address.
- 2. On or about June 10, 2003, the Department issued Respondent a non-resident life producer, variable life, and variable annuities insurance producer's license, license number 154939, which expired on June 30, 2005.
- 3. On or about January 11, 2005, Respondent submitted an application ("2005 AZ application") for an Individual Resident Insurance License to the Department. Respondent listed 4140 E. Sundance Avenue, Gilbert, AZ 85297 as his business address and 8490 S. Power Rd, Suite 105206, Gilbert, AZ 85297 as his mailing address.
- 4. In the "Insurance License History" portion of the 2005 AZ application, Respondent indicated he held non-resident insurance producer licenses in Arizona and

California¹, and also an insurance producer's license in Washington.

- 5. On or about January 11, 2005, the Department issued Respondent a resident insurance producer's license, number 191354, with license authority for: accident/health producer, life producer, variable life and variable annuities. This license expired on February 29, 2008.
- 6. On or about August 5, 2006, Respondent notified the Department of a change of address: c/o RFG Capital Management², 4542 South Roy Rogers Way, Gilbert, AZ 85297 (business and resident address); and P.O. Box 1386, Higley, AZ 85236 (mailing address).

REVOCATION OF WASHINGTON INSURANCE PRODUCER'S LICENSE

7. On or about February 26, 2006, the Washington Insurance Commissioner, in the Order Revoking License, matter number D 06-80 ("2006 Order"), revoked Respondent's Washington non-resident insurance license pursuant to Revised Code of Washington ("RCW") 48.17.530 and RCW 48.17.540(2). The Washington Insurance Commissioner ordered revocation of Respondent's license because of Respondent's violations of the following provisions of the Washington Insurance Code: engaging in unfair or deceptive acts or practices in the conduct of business, in violation of RCW 48.30.010; making, publishing, and disseminating false, deceptive and misleading representations in the conduct of the business of insurance, in violation of RCW 48.30.040; making, issuing and circulating misrepresentations of the terms of insurance policies, in violation of RCW48.30.090; and making false or misleading statements or impersonations in or relative to applications for insurance, in violation of RCW 48.30.210.

Grant's California non residence insurance producer's license, number 0716642, will expire on August 31, 2008.

² On February 13, 2008, Grant filed Articles of Organization with the Arizona Corporation Commission pertaining to incorporation of RFG Capital Management LLC. The outcome of this request is still pending.

8. Respondent failed to notify the Department that his Washington non-resident insurance producer license was revoked within thirty days after final disposition of the matter.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Director has jurisdiction over this matter.
- 2. Respondent's conduct, as described above, constitutes violating any provision of Title 20, or any rule, subpoena, or order of the Director, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(2).
- 3. Respondent's conduct, as described in the 2006 Order and alleged above, constitutes intentionally misrepresenting the terms of an actual or proposed insurance contract or application for insurance, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(5).
- 4. Respondent's conduct, as described in the 2006 Order and alleged above, constitutes having been found by the state of Washington to have committed any insurance unfair trade practice or fraud, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(7).
- 5. Respondent's conduct, as described in the 2006 Order and alleged above, constitutes having an insurance producer's license, or its equivalent, denied, suspended, or revoked in any other state, province, district, or territory, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(9).
- 6. Respondent's conduct, as alleged above, constitutes a failure to report to the Director, within thirty days after final disposition of the matter, any administrative action taken against him in another jurisdiction or by another governmental agency in this state, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-301(A).
- 7. The Director retains authority to enforce Title 20 and impose any penalty or remedy authorized by Title 20 against any person who is under investigation for or charged with a violation of Title 20 even if the person's license has been surrendered or has lapsed

by operation of law, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-295(H).

8. Grounds exist to revoke Respondent's insurance license, pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 20-295(A)(2), (5), (7), (8) and (9) and A.R.S. § 20-301(A).

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT

- 1. Respondent is assessed a civil penalty in the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100) due and payable upon return of this Consent Order as a result of his failure to report to the Director, within thirty days after final disposition of the matter, the administrative action taken against him in the state of Washington, in violation of A.R.S. § 20-301(A).
- 2. Respondent's license, Arizona license number 191354, is suspended for a period of thirty (30) days effective thirty (30) days after the renewal and reinstatement of his license.

CHISTINA URIAS
Director of Insurance

CONSENT TO ORDER

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

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- 3. Respondent is aware of his right to notice and a hearing at which he may be represented by counsel, present evidence and examine witnesses. Respondent irrevocably waives his 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 him to induce him to enter into this Consent Order and that he 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 him and does not preclude any other agency, including the Department, officer, or subdivision of this state or this agency from instituting civil or criminal proceedings as may be appropriate now or in the future.
- 6. Respondent acknowledges that this Consent Order is an administrative action that the Department will report to the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC). Respondent further acknowledges that he must report this administrative action to any and all states in which he holds an insurance license and must disclose this administrative action on any license application.

4/15/08 Date

Richard F. Grant, Jr., Arizona license #191354

COPY of the foregoing mailed this

18th day of April, 2008 to:

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