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# STATE OF ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

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In the Matter of:

GROSHONG, EMILY MAY

(National Producer No. 18958864)

Respondent.

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No. 19A- 058 -INS CONSENT ORDER

The State of Arizona Department of Insurance ("Department") has received evidence that Emily May Groshong ("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 Finding of Fact are true, and consents to the entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent is, and was at all material times, licensed as an Arizona resident insurance producer, National Producer Number 18958864. Respondent's license expires on September 30, 2022.
- 2. Respondent's addresses of record with the Department are: 1115 E. Florence Blvd., Ste G, Casa Grande, AZ 85122 (business), 301 N. Casa Grande Ave., Casa Grande, AZ 85122 (mailing) and emilygroshong@allstate.com (business e-mail).
- 3. On or about October 30, 2018, Respondent submitted an application for an Arizona insurance producer license ("Application") to the Department.
- 4. In the Application, the Background Questions, Respondent answered "No" to question 1.A. which asks:
  - 1.B. "Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor, had a judgment withheld or deferred, or are you currently charged with committing a

misdemeanor? You may exclude the following misdemeanor charges: traffic citations, driving under the influence (DUI), driving while intoxicated (DWI), driving without a license, reckless driving, or driving with a suspended or revoked license. You may also exclude juvenile adjudications (offenses where you were adjudicated delinquent in a juvenile court).

- 6. The Federal Bureau of Investigations conducted a criminal history check of Respondent's fingerprint card and notified the Department that Respondent had the following conviction:
  - a. May 14, 2013, Endangerment, a class 6 undesignated felony, in The State of Arizona vs. Emily May Groshong; S1100CR201200173.
  - Respondent responded "Yes" to the Attestation section of the Application.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. The Director has jurisdiction over this matter.
- 2. Respondent's conduct, as described above, constitutes providing incorrect, misleading, incomplete or materially untrue information in the license application, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-295(A)(1).
- 3. Grounds exist for the Interim Director to suspend for not more than twelve months or revoke Respondent's insurance producer license, pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-295(A).
- 4. Grounds exist, in addition to or instead of any suspension, revocation or refusal to renew a license, for the Director to impose a civil penalty of not more than \$250.00 for each unintentional failure or violation, up to an aggregate civil penalty of \$2,500.00, or impose a civil penalty of not more than \$2,500.00 for each intentional

failure or violation, up to an aggregate penalty of \$15,000.00, pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-295(F).

#### **ORDER**

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. **Emily May Groshong**, National Producer Number 18958864, shall immediately pay a civil money penalty of \$100.00 for deposit into the State General Fund.

Effective this 3rd day of April

Keith A. Schraad Director of Insurance

### **CONSENT TO ORDER**

- Respondent has reviewed the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.
- Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of the Interim 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.
- Respondent is aware of her right to notice and a hearing at which she may be represented by counsel, present evidence and examine witnesses.
- 4. Respondent irrevocably waives her right to such notice and hearing and to any court appeals relating to this Consent Order.
- 5. Respondent states that no promise of any kind or nature whatsoever, except as expressly contained in this Consent Order, was made to induce her to enter into this Consent Order and that she has entered into this Consent Order voluntarily.

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6. 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 the Department from instituting civil or criminal proceedings as may be appropriate now or in the future not related to this matter.

7. 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 she must report this administrative action to any and all states in which she holds an insurance license and must disclose this administrative action on any license application.

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Emily May Grostlong, NPN 18958864

COPY of the foregoing delivered by regular mail this \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2019, to:

Emily May Groshong 301 N. Casa Grande Ave. Casa Grande, AZ 85122 Respondent

COPY delivered same date to:

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