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1 STATE OF ARIZONA DEC 1 2 2019 DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE In the Matter of: 2 **DEPT OF INSURANCE** No. 19A-171-INS 3 **NUNEZ, GABINO** ORDER SUMMARILY SUSPENDING (National Producer Number 17183396) 4 BAIL BOND AGENT LICENSE AND NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR Respondent. **HEARING** 5 6 7 The Arizona Department of Insurance (the "Department") alleges that Gabino Nunez 8 has violated provisions of Arizona Revised Statutes ("A.R.S."), Title 20. In light of the serious 9 nature of these allegations, the Director of the Arizona Department of Insurance ("Director") finds that the public health, safety and welfare imperatively require emergency action, within 10 11 the meaning of A.R.S. §41-1092.11(B). 12 **FINDINGS OF FACT** 13 Gabino Nunez ("Respondent") is licensed as an Arizona resident bail bond agent, 1. 14 National Producer Number 17183396. Respondent's license is scheduled to expire on October 15 31, 2021. 16 2. Respondent's address of record with the Department is 6721 North Black Canyon Highway, #C, Phoenix, AZ 85015, and his business email address is gabino@sbbaz.com. 17 18 3. On or after May 21, 2019, the Department received a Notice of Cancellation (the 19 "Notice") from Bankers Insurance Company. The Notice informed the Department that the 20 License & Permit (Surety) Bond, associated with Gabino Nunez "is hereby canceled ... due to

the company's request. ... effective as of June 20, 2019."

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- 4. On or about September 24, 2019, the Department sent a letter, with a copy of the Notice enclosed, to Respondent requiring him to replace the cancelled bond if he wished to maintain his Arizona license. In the same letter, the Department informed Respondent that an administrative action will be taken against his bail bond agent license unless he submitted to the Department within the required time frame either (a) a license surrender form or (b) a Form L-195: Bond of Bail Bond Agent.
 - 5. Respondent failed to respond to the Department's letter.
- Therefore, as of June 20, 2019, Respondent has not maintained a bond in favor of 6. this State executed by a surety insurer authorized to do business in this State.
 - 7. The public health, safety and welfare imperatively require emergency action.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Director has jurisdiction over this matter.
- 2. Respondent's conduct constitutes a violation of the requirement that each bail bond agent maintain in force while licensed a bond in favor of this State executed by a surety insurer authorized to do business in this State, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-340.02.
- 3. Grounds exist to order a summary suspension within the meaning of A.R.S. § 41-1092.11(B).

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1 **ORDER** 2 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT: Respondent's bail bond agent license, National Producer Number 17183396 is 3 1. summarily suspended, effective immediately. 4 DATED AND EFFECTIVE this 12th day of Deanha, 2019. 5 6 7 Keith A. Schraad, Director Arizona Department of Insurance 8 9 **NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING** Pursuant to Title 20 of the Arizona Revised Statutes, Respondent is hereby notified that 10 Respondent may request a hearing pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-161 to contest the summary 11 suspension. Such request must be in writing and received at the following address within thirty 12 13 (30) days from the date hereof: 14 Arizona Department of Insurance 100 North 15th Avenue, Suite 102 15 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 Upon receipt of a timely written request for hearing, the Interim Director will issue an 16 17 order setting the time and place of the hearing. 18 COPY of the foregoing Mailed by U.S. First-Class Mail and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested this 13th day of December, 2019, to: 19 20 Gabino Nunez 6721 North Black Canyon Highway, #C 21 Phoenix, AZ 85015 Respondent

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