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STATE OF ARIZONA
Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions

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DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

In the Matter of Unlicensed Activity of:

No. 23A-057-INS

OPULENT MARKETING INC D/B/A INFINITE AUTO PROTECTION

ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST

Respondent.

The Arizona Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions ("Department") received evidence that **Opulent Marketing Inc dba Infinite Auto Protection** ("**Respondent**") has unlawfully offered and/or issued service contract(s) in the state of Arizona without obtaining a service company permit. Accordingly, the Director of the Department ("Director") makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and enters the following Order pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-1095.09(B).

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a Michigan entity originally established in 2008 as a limited liability company. In 2019, Respondent converted to a corporation. According to the Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs website, from May 11, 2018 to July 15, 2022, Respondent assumed the name INFINITEAUTOPROTECTION.COM.

¹ Opulent Marketing, LLC

² https://cofs.lara.state.mi.us/CorpWeb/UAA/UAAAssumedNames.aspx?CID=QK2F33&PageType=VIEW (last visited 08/16/2023).

- 2. On or about May 8, 2022, S.S. filed a complaint with the Department alleging that Respondent failed to honor the vehicle service contract terms that he purchased from Respondent. The purchase date of the service contract is January 17, 2019, and is effective until August 1, 2025, or 110,00 miles. In April of 2022, S.S. filed a claim for repair of his car's A/C unit. However, Respondent failed to pay for the repair.
- 3. On or about July 31, 2023, D.W. filed a complaint with the Department alleging that Respondent failed to refund a premium payment in the amount of \$1,498.80, calculated on a pro-rata basis. On or about December 5, 2019, D.W. purchased a vehicle service contract from Respondent. The expiration date of the contract is January 4, 2025, or 160,700 miles. After Respondent denied D.W.'s claims in April 2020 and March 2021, on or about April 28, 2021, D.W. canceled her service contract with Respondent. However, Respondent failed to refund the premium payment (or any pro-rata amount) to D.W.
- 4. The Department commenced an investigation into this matter. The Department's investigation concluded the following:
 - a) Respondent does not currently hold, nor did it ever hold, a license or permit issued by the Department.
 - b) Respondent is not registered with the Arizona Corporation Commission in order to transact business or conduct affairs in Arizona.
 - c) Respondent sold vehicle service contacts in Arizona without being authorized to do so. Both S.S.'s and D.W.'s contracts list Infinite Auto Protection as the party obligated under the vehicle service contracts.

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d) On or about November 10, 2021, the California Department of Insurance issued an Order to Cease and Desist against Respondent and the individual controlling persons of Respondent, directing them to immediately cease and desist from soliciting, negotiating, issuing or renewing any vehicle service contracts in California.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 5. The Director has jurisdiction over this matter.
- 6. Respondent's conduct, as described above, constitutes offering and issuing service contracts without a permit. A.R.S. § 20-1095.01(A).
 - 7. Respondent is not exempt from the permit requirement. A.R.S. § 20-1095.02.
- 8. Service company contracts issued by Respondent are enforceable and valid contracts, which Respondent failed to fulfill. A.R.S. § 20-1095.05.
- 9. Respondent's conduct, as described above, constitutes a failure to perform the services promised under the service contract within a reasonable time and in a competent or workmanlike manner. A.R.S. § 20-1095.09(A)(4)
- 10. Grounds exist for the Director to order Respondent to cease and desist from offering and issuing service contracts without a permit. A.R.S. § 20-1095.09(B).

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent shall immediately cease and desist from offering or issuing service contracts in Arizona without a permit.

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- 2. Respondent shall continue to investigate and pay all claims arising out of acts covered by Respondent's service contracts issued to Arizona residents for so long as such claims may legally be brought.
- 3. Respondent shall, within forty-five (45) days of receipt of this Order, furnish the Department with a complete listing, including contact information, of all Arizona residents and businesses who have purchased service contracts sold by Respondent and a corresponding report of all premiums collected or charged for policies sold covering Arizona risks.

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

Pursuant to Title 20 of the Arizona Revised Statutes, Respondent is hereby notified that it may request a hearing pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-161 to contest the order to cease and desist. Such a request must be in writing and received at the following address within thirty (30) days from the date hereof:

Arizona Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions
Attn: Gio Espinosa, Regulatory Legal Affairs Officer
100 North 15th Avenue, Suite 261
Phoenix, Arizona 85007-2630

Upon receipt of a timely written request for a hearing, the Department will issue an order setting the time and place of the hearing.

Effective this __30th __ day of __August ___, 2023.

Barbara D. Richardson

Barbara D. Richardson, Director Arizona Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions

1	COPY of the foregoing mailed by U.S. First Class and
2	Certified Mail, Delivery Receipt requested, this 30th day of August, 2023, to:
3	Onulant Marketing Inc
4	Opulent Marketing, Inc. dba Infinite Auto Protection
5	10000 Wayne Rd, Suite 202 Romulus, MI 48174
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7	Opulent Marketing, Inc. dba Infinite Auto Protection
8	C/O Northwest Registered Agent Service Inc. 2222 W. Grand River Ave., Ste. A
9	Okemos, MI 48864 Respondent
10	COPY of the foregoing delivered/emailed same date, to:
11	Deian Ousounov, Assistant Director
12	Gio Espinosa, Regulatory Legal Affairs Officer Ana Starcevic, Paralegal Project Specialist
13	Catherine O'Neil, Consumer Legal Affairs Officer Steven Fromholtz, Licensing Manager
14	Linda Lutz, Legal Assistant Wendy Greenwood, Supervisor/Investigator
15	Arizona Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions 100 North 15th Avenue, Suite 261
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