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In the Matter of:

Docket No. 6041 ORDER

SHARON F. AUKER,

Respondent.

This matter regularly came on for hearing at the Department of Insurance before JEFFREY P. LARSON, Chief Hearing Officer for the Department on January 31, 1986. The Department was represented by Susan Gallinger, Assistant Attorney General. Notice of the hearing was mailed to the Respondent at her last known address of record in the Department of Insurance, but the Respondent failed to appear and the matter was heard in her absence. Evidence and testimony was submitted and it is found as follows:

- 1. The Respondent is a licensed agent.
- Notice to the Respondent is adequate and 2. sufficient.
- 3. The Respondent received money as premiums for insurance policies from Richard Kehart. The Respondent failed to remit that money to any insurance company, did not notify Mr. Kehart that she had not remitted the premium, and she has failed to refund any portion of the premiums received. Mr. Kehart has also suffered a loss under a workers' compensation policy, which claim he has had to pay himself.
- The Respondent also received premium from Jeannne E. Martin for an automobile insurance policy. The Respondent

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failed to remit the premium and the application to any insurance company and subsequently refunded the premium to Ms. Martin.

IT IS CONCLUDED as a matter of law that the Respondent has misappropriated or converted to her own use money belonging to policyholders which she received during the course of her business as an insurance agent. Grounds therefore exist to suspend or revoke the Respondent's license, impose a monetary forfeiture, or both pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-316.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that any and all licenses of the Respondent are revoked effective February 15, 1986.

The Respondent may request a review or a rehearing of this matter by making such request in writing setting forth the grounds therefor and the relief requested within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order.

EFFECTIVE this 6th day of February, 1986.

S. DAVID CHILDERS Director of Insurance

Deputy Director

hief Hearing Officer

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