

# NEWS

### **Illinois Department of Insurance**

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## Illinois Department of Insurance Disciplinary Report for June 2014

**SPRINGFIELD – August 25, 2014.** The Illinois Department of Insurance today announced the following disciplinary actions:

**Cornelius N. Anyere, Blue Island** - Insurance producer license revoked effective June 10, 2014. Mr. Anyere had been licensed to sell life, health, fire and casualty lines of insurance since 2008. The license was revoked pursuant to a Director's Order from Hearing No. 14-HR-0031 after an investigation which revealed he instructed a non-licensed associate to apply for an auto insurance policy that resulted in backdated coverage to cover a claim and misrepresented the terms of a proposed insurance contract and insurance application. The Order of Revocation also included \$3,000 civil penalty and required he pay \$524.50 in hearing costs.

**David Brewer, Belleville** - Insurance producer license voluntarily revoked effective June 6, 2014. Mr. Brewer had been licensed to sell life and health lines of insurance since 2005. He accepted the Voluntary Revocation Order to avoid a continued investigation of his insurance related practices. Mr. Brewer is no longer able to effect insurance transactions, without violating Illinois Insurance Code and facing felony charges.

**Joseph S. Brown, Bolingbrook** - Insurance producer license suspended effective June 11, 2014. Mr. Brown has been licensed to sell life, health and variable lines of insurance since 2002. The license was suspended based on certification from the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) he was more than 30 days delinquent in complying with a child support order. The suspension will remain in effect until Mr. Brown proves he has paid the delinquency or has entered into a payment arrangement with HFS.

**Michael S. Campbell, Peoria** - Insurance producer license revoked effective June 11, 2014. Mr. Campbell had been licensed to sell life, fire and casualty lines of insurance since 2006. The license was revoked based on allegations that Mr. Campbell provided fraudulent insurance policy information to consumers and intentionally misrepresented the terms of an actual insurance contract. The Order of Revocation included a \$4,000 civil penalty.

**Randy Carson, Chicago** - Insurance producer license revoked effective June 28, 2014. Mr. Carson had been licensed to sell life, health fire, casualty and variable lines of insurance since 2007. The license was revoked based on an investigation that alleged he falsified a policy declarations page of an insurance policy by backdating the contract for a client. The Order of Revocation included a \$5,000 civil penalty.

**Katherine Louise Cook, San Diego, CA** - Insurance producer license voluntarily revoked effective June 20, 2014. Ms. Cook had been licensed to sell life and health lines of insurance since 2011. She accepted the Voluntary Revocation Order to avoid a continued investigation of her insurance related practices. Ms. Cook is no longer able to effect insurance transactions, without violating Illinois Insurance Code and facing felony charges.

**Tony Graham, Hazel Crest** - Insurance producer license denied effective June 17, 2014. Mr. Graham's application for license was denied pursuant to a Director's Order regarding Hearing No. 14-HR-0027 after an investigation which revealed he pled guilty and was convicted of a felony (Theft) in 1987. The Order, which sustained a previous letter of denial, also required he pay \$282.15 in hearing costs.

**Ronald J. Phillips, Mattoon** - Insurance producer license denied effective June 20, 2014. Mr. Phillips' application for license was denied as a result of an investigation that revealed he failed to disclose the fact his insurance producer license was revoked in 2010 for selling insurance without a license. As part of that Order of Revocation, Mr. Phillips was assessed a \$5,600 civil penalty which has not been paid.

Rasheed Ventar Reeves, Oak Park - Insurance producer license suspended effective June 30, 2014. Mr. Reeves has been licensed to sell life, health, fire and casualty lines of insurance since 2010. The license was suspended pursuant to a Director's Order regarding Hearing No. 14-HR-0238 after an investigation, based on certification from the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS), revealed he was more than 30 days delinquent in complying with a child support order. The suspension will remain in effect until Mr. Reeves proves he has paid the delinquency or has entered into a payment arrangement with HFS. The Order, which sustained the suspension, waived Mr. Reeves from paying \$237.30 in hearing costs.

**Gary C. Steciuk, Buffalo Grove** - Insurance producer license revoked effective June 26, 2014. Mr. Steciuk had been licensed to sell life, health and variable lines of insurance since 2009. The license was revoked based on an investigation that revealed he (1) submitted applications to an insurer that were unauthorized by the consumers and contained non-genuine signatures, (2) solicited risk and transmitted applications for policies of insurance in a state where he was not licensed to do business, and (3) submitted Illinois policy applications to an insurer with incorrect information. The Order of Revocation included an \$11,000 civil penalty.

**Jason R. Warr, Chicago** - Insurance producer license suspended effective June 30, 2014. Mr. Warr has been licensed to sell life and health lines of insurance since 2009. The license was suspended pursuant to a Director's Order regarding Hearing No. 14-HR-0230 after an investigation, based on certification from the Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS), revealed he was more than 30 days delinquent in complying with a child support order. The suspension will remain in effect until Mr. Warr proves he has paid the delinquency or has entered into a payment arrangement with HFS. The Order, which sustained the suspension, also ordered Mr. War pays \$191.00 in hearing costs.

**Daniel Wiegman, Wheaton** - Insurance producer license denied effective June 3, 2014. Mr. Wiegman's application for license was denied pursuant to a Director's Order regarding Hearing No. 14-HR-0161 after an investigation which revealed he was convicted of two felonies (Unlawful Possession of a Controlled Substance and Burglary of a Habitation) in 2000. The Order, which sustained a previous letter of denial, also required he pay \$243.50 in hearing costs.

**Terrell F. Williams, Lockport** - Insurance producer license denied effective June 28, 2014. Mr. Williams' application for license was denied as a result of an investigation that revealed he was convicted of a felony (Possession of More Than 15 and Less Than 100 Grams of Cocaine) in 2007.

### More Information

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