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Dear Patricia Petersen:

Today I received the notice of order from your office to suspend and revoke my insurance license effective December 10, 2012. I am respectfully asking in writing for a hearing to have that order changed. I would please ask that if there is any way to have the order changed to a later date? I am in the final stage of the sale of the business with a closing date of December 31st 2012 already in place. I am in no way profiting from the sale of this business, but would like to close the office properly and make sure that the previous owner, Mr. Warner is taken care of. The proceeds of the sale are going to him as for I still have an outstanding loan with him for the purchase of the business. He is retired and lives in Mexico.

I am enclosing in this request copies of current bank statements from my trust account that show I have and am in good standing. I am willing to cooperate in any way to show you that I am complying.

I have had a very rough time maintaining and have had a malicious things done to me in the past, by an abusive now ex-husband, that started this downfall of events and this in no way excuses what has happens, but I am trying very hard to correct and make it right. Besides the accounting problem, I have enjoyed my job as an insurance agent and have very many clients that are extremely happy to have me as there agent and are not at all looking forward to seeing me go. I know that you in no way can contest for that, but only see what you see on paper. I have operated Mr. Warner's office since May of 2012 literally all by myself with hardly any training and purchased it in December of 2008. I am 35 years old and a single mother of two boys honestly trying to make it in today's economy. I truly am regretful that this had led to my suspension of my license, but would like to make something right of this and close this office properly. I would like to ensure that my clients are notified of my closing as planned and transferred correctly over to the new agency owner. I would be truly grateful and appreciative if you would extend the suspension. Thank you for taking the time to hear my request.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Michelle Simmons". The signature is fluid and connected, with a prominent initial "M".

Michelle Simmons
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