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BEFORE THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
OFFICE OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

In the Matter of:)	
)	No. D09-0153
STEFAN E. JOHANSSON)	
)	NOTICE OF HEARING
)	
Licensee)	
_____)	

TO: Stefan E. Johannsson
1302 180th St. Ct. E
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COPY TO: Mike Kreidler, Insurance Commissioner
Mike Watson, Chief Deputy Insurance Commissioner
Carol Sureau, Deputy Commissioner, Legal Affairs Division
Charles D. Brown, Staff Attorney, Legal Affairs Division
John F. Hamje, Deputy Commissioner, Consumer Protection Division
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On March 10, 2010 the Insurance Commissioner (Commissioner) received a letter from Stefan E. Johannsson in the matter of Stefan E. Johannsson (Licensee), which letter shall be considered a Demand for Hearing. The purpose of said Demand for Hearing is to contest the Commissioner's Order Revoking License, No. D09-0153, dated December 11, 2009 (Order).



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The Licensee asserts that the Commissioner's actions are too severe given the circumstances and that the Order ends his career and ability to make a living in the industry. While he admits that he failed to replace an NSF check for his non-resident license, he believes that he was actively working toward resolution when the stipulation offer was withdrawn. The Commissioner's position is as set forth in the abovereferenced Order Revoking License.

In response to the Licensee's Demand for Hearing, on April 8, 2010, the undersigned held a first prehearing teleconference in this matter. Mr. Johannsson appeared pro se. The Commissioner appeared pro se, by and through Charles D. Brown, Staff Attorney in the Commissioner's Legal Affairs Division.

During said prehearing conference, the undersigned reviewed administrative procedure and addressed all questions and concerns of the parties. A hearing was scheduled, but later rescheduled to accommodate a witness' schedule that both parties intend to rely upon. By agreement of the parties, the hearing will commence **on Monday, May 3, 2010, at 9 a.m., P.S.T.**

Finally, the parties were informed if they had any future questions or concerns, or requests for additional prehearing conferences, they should contact Nicole Kelly, Paralegal to the undersigned, who can be reached by telephone at (360) 725-7002, e-mail at nicolek@oic.wa.gov, or at the above address.

The hearing will be held under the authority of Title 48 RCW and specifically RCW 48.04, Title 34 RCW and regulations applicable thereto. Pursuant thereto, the Commissioner has delegated to the undersigned the authority to conduct all activities preliminary to the hearing, the hearing and any activities following the hearing, and to determine and enter the final decision in this matter. Pursuant to Title 34 RCW, the undersigned shall handle these activities and make the final decision herein without input or communication with the Commissioner or any member of his staff or others who have knowledge of the facts herein. Mr. Johannsson will be appearing pro se, although he is advised that if he wishes to be represented by an attorney he may do so. The mailing address for Mr. Johannsson is 1302 - 180th Street Court East, Spanaway, Washington 98387 and his telephone number is (804) 503-1549. The Commissioner will appear pro se, by and through Mr. Brown. Mr. Brown's address is Office of the Insurance Commissioner, Post Office Box 40255, Olympia, Washington 98504-0255 and his telephone number is (360) 725-7044.

As required by RCW 34.05.434(2)(I), you are advised that a party who fails to attend or participate in the hearing or other stage of the adjudicative proceeding may be held in default in accordance with ch. 34.05 RCW.

Pursuant to WAC 10-08-040(2) and in accordance with ch. 2.42 RCW, if a limited English-speaking or hearing impaired or speech impaired party or witness needs an

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interpreter, a qualified interpreter will be appointed. There will be no cost to the party or witness therefore, except as may be provided by ch. 2.42 RCW. A Request for Interpreter form is attached to this Notice, with instructions thereon.

This Notice is provided pursuant to RCW 48.04.010 and RCW 34.05.434.

ORDER

Based upon the above activity,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the adjudicative proceeding in this matter shall commence on **Monday, May 3, 2010, at 9 a.m.**, Pacific Standard Time, in the Office of the Insurance Commissioner, 5000 Capitol Boulevard, Tumwater, Washington 98501.

ENTERED AT TUMWATER, WASHINGTON, this 26th day of April, 2010, pursuant to RCW 48.04, Title 34 RCW and applicable regulations.



PATRICIA D. PETERSEN

Chief Hearing Officer

Presiding Officer

Declaration of Mailing

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that on the date listed below, I mailed or caused delivery through normal office mailing custom, a true copy of this document to the following people at their addresses listed above: Stefan E. Johannsson, Mike Kreidler, Mike Watson, John F. Hamje, Carol Sureau, and Charles D. Brown.

DATED this 26th day of April, 2010.



NICOLE KELLY