STATE OF VERMONT DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL REGULATION

IN RE: RONALD SIMS)	DOCKET NO. 21-039-1
NPN: 10360601)	
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DEFAULT JUDGMENT AND ORDER

I. <u>FINDINGS OF FACT</u>

- 1. Respondent Ronald Sims ("Respondent"), whose mailing address of record is 2350 Trellis Street, Chula Vista, CA 91915 was issued Vermont non-resident insurance producer license # 997644 on November 10, 2014, which license expired on March 31, 2023.
- 2. As of the effective date of this Default Judgment and Order, more than 30 days have passed since the Insurance Division served the Respondent with a Petition for Nonrenewal of License and a Notice of Right to Hearing. No answer, request for a hearing, or other defense to the Petition has been received by the Insurance Division from Respondent.
- 3. More than 10 days have passed since the Insurance Division filed a motion for default judgment in the above-captioned matter and served the motion on Respondent.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

4. Because Respondent's resident state insurance license in his home state of California has been revoked, causing Respondent to lose good standing in Respondent's resident state, revocation of Respondent's Vermont non-resident insurance producer license is authorized pursuant to 8 V.S.A. § 4804(a)(2) and (10).

Because no answer, request for a hearing, or other defense to the Petition

has been received by the Insurance Division from Respondent, and as more than 10 days

have passed since the Insurance Division filed a motion for default judgment, the

allegations contained in the Petition are treated as proven and a default judgment may be

entered in the above-captioned matter, pursuant to Sections 5 and 12 of the Vermont

Department of Financial Regulation (formerly known as the Vermont Department of

Banking, Insurance, Securities and Health Care Administration) Hearing Procedures,

identified as Regulation 82-1.

III. ORDER

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6. Based on the findings of fact and conclusions of law set forth above, a

default judgment is entered against Respondent, and it is hereby ordered that the non-

resident insurance producer license # 997644 of Respondent Ronald Sims is revoked,

effective immediately.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont this 18th day of November 2021.

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Michael S. Pieciak

Commissioner of Financial Regulation

Vermont Department of Financial Regulation

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