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# STATE OF ALASKA <br> DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF INSURANCE 

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Order No. LD23-20 ) Insurance Producer In the Matter of HEATHER VIEDMA NPN\# 20256334

## ACCUSATION AND FINAL ORDER

Lori Wing-Heier, Director of the Division of Insurance (Division), Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development (DCCED), State of Alaska, states the issues on which the accusation is based as follows:

1. On April $24^{\text {th }}, 2023$, HEATHER VIEDMA (VIEDMA), domiciled in the State of Texas applied for an Independent Adjuster license requesting Property and Casualty authority with the Division to conduct insurance business in the State of Alaska.
2. Upon review of the application, VIEDMA responded negatively to background questions 1 A , indicating no criminal convictions to report to the State of Alaska.

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3. The Producer Database and Attachment Warehouse reflects a misdemeanor in the State of North Carolina in effect July 19 ${ }^{\text {th }}, 2013$. VIEDMA failed to disclose her criminal conviction to the Division and provided incorrect information on an application.
4. On May $5^{\text {th }}, 2023$, correspondence was provided to VIEDMA informing of her failure to respond accurately to background question 1 A regarding criminal misdemeanor convictions. The Division provided VIEDMA the opportunity to voluntarily withdraw the application and provide a new, complete, and accurate application within 30 days. No response was received.
5. Alaska Statute (AS) 21.27.040(a) states that "(a) Application for a license shall be made to the director upon forms prescribed by the director. As a part of or in connection with the application, the applicant shall furnish information concerning the applicant's identity, personal history, experience, business record, purposes, and other pertinent facts that the director may reasonably require. The applicant shall declare, subject to penalty of denial, nonrenewal, suspension, or revocation of a license issued by the director, that the statements made in or in connection with the application are true, correct, and complete to the best of the applicant's knowledge and belief..."
6. AS 21.27.020(a) provides: "For the protection of the people of this state, the director may not issue or renew a license except in compliance with this chapter and not issue a license to a person, or to be exercised by a

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person, found by the director to be untrustworthy, incompetent, or who has not established to the satisfaction of the director that the person is qualified under this chapter."
7. AS $21.27 .020(\mathrm{~b})(4)$ provides: "To qualify for issuance or renewal of an individual license, an applicant or licensee shall (4) be a trustworthy person."
8. Pursuant to AS 21.27.040(a), VIEDMA failed to report her complete background history to the Division at initial application. Based on the above VIEDMA's Insurance Producer license is hereby DENIED.

## ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, under the provisions of AS 21.27.040(a) that HEATHER VIED MA application for the independent adjuster license in Alaska under National Producer Number (NPN) \# 20256334 is DENIED for supplying inaccurate information on the application for licensure. HEATHER VIEDMA may seek licensure in Alaska after a period of 30 days has lapsed after the effective date of this ORDER.

I hereby certify that, on the $\qquad$ day of Jamary 2024, I mailed copies of the accusation to:

HEATHER VIEDMA 7900 WINDROSE AVE PLANO, TX 75024-0418 UNITED STATES


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## FINAL ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that this license denial is adopted in full resolution of the issues in the case and shall constitute the final order of this matter. VIEDMA may apply for licensure in Alaska after a period of 30 days has lapsed after the effective date of this ORDER.

This Order is effective the 13.001 lay of Febreman.


