

STATE OF ARIZONA  
DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

In the Matter of:

FIELDS, MYKEL REN (National  
Producer No. 8754929)

No. 19A-131-INS

ORDER

Respondent

On July 29, 2020, the Office of Administrative Hearings through Administrative Law Judge Velva Moses-Thompson issued an Administrative Law Judge Decision (“Recommended Decision”) received by the Director of the Arizona Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions (“Director”) on July 29, 2020, a copy of which is attached and incorporated by reference. The Director has reviewed the Recommended Decision and enters the following:

1. The Director ADOPTS the Recommended Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.
2. The Director ADOPTS the Recommended Order and orders that Mykel Ren Fields’ Arizona insurance producer license, National Producer Number 8754929, is revoked effective immediately.

**NOTIFICATION OF RIGHTS**

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (“A.R.S.”) § 41-1092.09, Respondent may request a rehearing or review with respect to this Order by filing a written motion with the Director within 30 days after the date of this Order, setting forth the basis for relief under Arizona Administrative Code R20-6-114(B). Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1092.09, it is not necessary to request a rehearing before filing an appeal to the Superior Court.

Respondent may appeal the final decision of the Director to the Superior Court of Maricopa County for judicial review, pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-166. A party filing an appeal

1 must notify the Office of Administrative Hearings of the appeal within ten days after filing  
2 the complaint commencing the appeal, pursuant A.R.S. § 12-904(B).

3 DATED this 11th day of August, 2020.

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Evan G. Daniels, Director  
7 Arizona Department of Insurance and  
8 Financial Institutions

9 **COPY** of the foregoing electronically transmitted  
10 this 13th day of August, 2020, to:

11 Velva Moses-Thompson, Administrative Law Judge  
12 Office of Administrative Hearings  
<https://portal.azoah.com/submission>

13 **COPY** mailed same date by U.S. First Class Mail  
14 and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, to:

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2335 Kendricks Loop  
16 Parks, AZ 86018 9489 0090 0027 6266 5173 71  
17 Respondent

18 Mykel Ren Fields  
1794 East Route 66  
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20 Respondent

21 **COPY** of the foregoing delivered/emailed same date to:

22 Deian Ousounov, Regulatory Legal Affairs Officer  
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25 Jeff Eavenson, Investigator  
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1 **COPY** sent same date via electronic mail to:

2 Mykel Ren Fields  
3 [mykelren@hotmail.com](mailto:mykelren@hotmail.com)

4 Respondent

5 Lynette Evans, Assistant Attorney General  
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**IN THE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS**

In the Matter of:

**No. 19A-131-INS**

FIELD, MYKEL REN,  
(National Producer No. 8754929)  
Respondent.

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
DECISION**

**HEARING:** July 9, 2020

**APPEARANCES:** Respondent Mykel Ren Fields did not appear. Assistant Attorney General Lynette Evans appeared on behalf of the Arizona Department of Insurance.

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE:** Velva Moses-Thompson

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. In 2017, the Arizona Department of Insurance (Department) issued an Arizona resident insurance producer license with lines of authority in property and casualty insurance to Respondent. The license expires on July 31, 2021.

2. Respondent's addresses of record with the Department were: 1794 E. Route 66, Flagstaff, AZ 86004 (business and mailing) and mykelren@hotmail.com (business e-mail).

3. On or about July 9, 2019, Farmers Insurance sent a letter to the Department's Insurance Fraud Unit that contained an allegation that Ms. Fields received a \$1,200 cash payment from a customer that she did not credit to the customer's account, nor deposit with the companies. See Exhibit 2. Farmers Insurance conducted an investigation regarding the incident and interviewed Respondent. Respondent expressed that she took the payment because the bank was closed and she did not want to leave the payment at the office overnight. Farmers Insurance terminated Ms. Fields appointment with several companies. See id.

1 4. On or about August 8, 2019, the Department issued a subpoena duces  
2 tecum to Respondent, instructing Respondent to appear at the Department on August  
3 26, 2019 at 9:00 a.m., and provide testimony and documents related to Farmer's  
4 Insurance.

5 5. Respondent failed to appear at the Department on August 26, 2019.

6 6. The Department mailed the Notice of Hearing to Respondent at her  
7 business and mailing addresses of record.

8 7. Although the beginning of the duly noticed hearing was delayed  
9 approximately 15 minutes, Respondent did not appear personally or through a duly  
10 authorized representative, contact the Office of Administrative Hearings to request a  
11 continuance or that the time for the hearing be further delayed, or present any evidence  
12 at the hearing to defend her license.

13 8. The Department appeared through its attorney and presented the testimony  
14 of Investigator Jeffrey Eavenson of the Department's Administrative Enforcement Unit.

#### 15 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

16 1. This matter lies within the Department's jurisdiction.<sup>1</sup>

17 2. The Notice of Hearing that the Department mailed to Respondent at her  
18 address of record was reasonable, and Respondent is deemed to have received notice  
19 of the hearing.<sup>2</sup>

20 3. This matter is a disciplinary proceeding wherein the Department must  
21 prove by a preponderance of the evidence that Respondent violated the State's  
22 Insurance Laws.<sup>3</sup>

23 4. The Department has established by a preponderance of the evidence that  
24 Respondent violated Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) § 20-295(A)(2).

25 5. Grounds exist for the Director of the Department to suspend, revoke, or  
26 refuse to renew Respondent's License pursuant to A.R.S. § 20-295(A).

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<sup>1</sup> See A.R.S. §§ 20-281 to 20-302.

29 <sup>2</sup> See A.R.S. §§ 41-1092.04; 41-1092.05(D).

30 <sup>3</sup> See A.A.C. R2-19-119.

