

**BEFORE THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

In the Matter of the Kansas Resident)
Insurance Agent's License of)
CHRISTOPHER L. POUNDS)
NPN: # 18852611)

Docket No. 75621

ORDER REINSTATING RESPONDENT'S LICENSE
(Pursuant to K.S.A. 40-4909, K.S.A. 77-501)

Pursuant to the authority granted to the Commissioner of Insurance ("Commissioner") by K.S.A. 40-4909, the Commissioner hereby vacates the Summary Order issued on October 31st, 2018 and reinstates the agent's license of Respondent, **CHRISTOPHER L. POUNDS** ("Respondent"). This Order shall become effective immediately.

Findings of Fact

1. Respondent was licensed as a Kansas resident insurance agent on August 7th, 2018, and remains licensed to date.
2. Respondent's license was temporarily suspended by order of the Commissioner by way of Summary Order on October 31st, 2018 (Docket No. 75621).
 - a. The order stated the suspension was temporary until resolution of Respondent's criminal case in Johnson County District Court (Case No. [REDACTED]).
3. The criminal case was dismissed by the prosecution on June 28th, 2019.

Conclusions of Law

1. The Commissioner has jurisdiction over **CHRISTOPHER L. POUNDS** as well as the subject matter of this proceeding, and such proceeding is held in the public interest.
2. The Commissioner finds that Respondent's Kansas license shall be fully reinstated because **CHRISTOPHER L. POUNDS** is no longer charged with the misdemeanor that led to the temporary suspension.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE THAT:


1. The Kansas Resident Insurance Agent's License of **CHRISTOPHER L. POUNDS** is hereby **REINSTATED** the effective date of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 5th DAY OF July, 2019, IN THE CITY OF TOPEKA, COUNTY OF SHAWNEE, STATE OF KANSAS.



Vicki Schmidt
Commissioner of Insurance

BY:


Justin L. McFarland
General Counsel

NOTICE AND OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

CHRISTOPHER L. POUNDS, within fifteen (15) days of service of this Order, may file with the Kansas Insurance Department a written request for hearing on this Order, as provided by K.S.A. 77-542. In the event a hearing is requested, such request should be directed to:

Justin L. McFarland, General Counsel
Kansas Insurance Department
420 S.W. 9th Street
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Any costs incurred as a result of conducting any administrative hearing shall be assessed against the agent/agency who is the subject of the hearing as provided by K.S.A. 40-4909(f). Costs shall include witness fees, mileage allowances, any costs associated with reproduction of documents which become part of the hearing record, and the expense of making a record of the hearing.

If a hearing is not requested, this Order shall become effective as a Final Order, without further notice, upon the expiration of the fifteen (15) day period for requesting a hearing. The Final Order will constitute final agency action in the matter.

In the event the Respondent files a petition for judicial review, the agency officer designated pursuant to K.S.A. 77-613(e) to receive service of a petition for judicial review on behalf of the Kansas Insurance Department is:

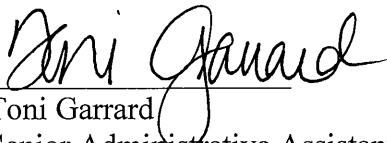
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that she served the above and foregoing Order on this 5th day of JULY, 2019, by causing the same to be deposited in the United States Mail, first class postage prepaid, addressed to the following:

Christopher L. Pounds

Overland Park, KS


Toni Garrard
Senior Administrative Assistant