## No. 2021-7025

## Official Order of the Texas Commissioner of Insurance

### Date: 10/21/2021

### Subject Considered:

Isiah Deontae Love

Arlington, Texas 76011

Default Order SOAH Docket No. 454-22-0048 TDI Enforcement File No. 26375

#### General remarks and official action taken:

This is a default order taken against Isiah Deontae Love (Respondent) because he has been convicted of a felony offense and has misrepresented his criminal history on his application. Respondent did not respond to a Notice of Hearing filed by the Texas Department of Insurance. This order revokes Respondent's license.

The following findings of fact and conclusions of law are adopted:

#### **Findings of Fact**

#### Failure to Respond to Notice of Hearing

- 1. On September 8, 2021, the department filed a Notice of Hearing, attached as Exhibit A, and an Original Petition, attached as Exhibit B, with the State Office of Administrative Hearings.
- 2. The department's factual allegations set out in the attached Notice of Hearing and Original Petition are incorporated in this order as findings of fact.
- 3. The department sent the Notice of Hearing and Original Petition to Respondent's last known address provided in writing to the department,

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> , Arlington, Texas 76011. The Notice of Hearing and Original Petition were also sent to an additional address associated with Respondent: , Irving, Texas 75062.

4. Respondent failed to file a written response to the Notice of Hearing within 20 days of the date the Notice of Hearing and Original Petition were mailed.

## **Conclusions of Law**

- 1. The commissioner has jurisdiction under Texas law, including TEX. INS. CODE §§ 82.051-82.055, 4001.002, 4005.101-4005.105, and 4054.051; TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021; and TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 2001.051-2001.178.
- 2. The commissioner has authority to dispose of this case informally under TEX. GOV'T CODE § 2001.056; TEX. INS. CODE § 82.055; and 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 1.47, 1.88, and 1.89.
- 3. The department provided proper notice of the hearing under TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 2001.051, 2001.052, and 2001.054, and 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 1.28, 1.88, 1.89, and 19.906.
- 4. Based on Respondent's failure to file a written response to the Notice of Hearing, the department is entitled to disposition by default under 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 1.88 and 1.89.
- 5. The department's factual and legal allegations set out in the attached Notice of Hearing and Original Petition are incorporated in this order and deemed admitted as true under 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.89.

### Order

It is ordered that any licenses held by Isiah Deontae Love are revoked. A copy of this order will be provided to law enforcement and/or other appropriate administrative agencies for further investigation as may be warranted.

DocuSigned by: Abrown

Cassie Brown Commissioner of Insurance

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Prepared and reviewed by:

<u>/s/Casey Seeboth</u> Casey Seeboth, Staff Attorney Enforcement Division

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#### Affidavit

STATE OF TEXAS	§
	§
COUNTY OF TRAVIS	§

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared David Moreno, who, being by me duly sworn, deposed as follows:

"My name is David Morneo and I am employed by the Texas Department of Insurance. I am of sound mind, capable of making this affidavit, and have personal knowledge of these facts which are true and correct.

I have reviewed TDI's records concerning Isiah Deontae Love. I have confirmed that:

- a. The last mailing address provided to the department in writing by Isiah Deontae Love is Arlington, Texas 76011.
- b. The file maintained by the Enforcement Division contains a Notice of Hearing and Original Petition dated September 8, 2021, which were filed with the State Office of Administrative Hearings.
- c. On September 8, 2021, the Notice of Hearing and Original Petition addressed to Isiah Deontae Love were mailed certified, return receipt requested, to his last known address and an additional address: Irving, Texas 75062.

A copy of the certified mail log maintained by the Enforcement Division is attached as Exhibit C."

DocuSigned by: David Moreno -AD4F5405FE4C421...

Affiant

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SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me by means of an interactive two-way audio and video communication on \_\_\_\_\_\_. This notarial act was an online notarization.

### **Notary Seal**



### **Digital Certificate**

DocuSigned by: Mary Ruiz -795DC4D59167489.

Notary Public State of Texas

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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE,	BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE
Petitioner	
v.	OF
ISIAH DEONTAE LOVE,	

## Respondent

#### ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

### NOTICE OF HEARING

The Texas Department of Insurance seeks to take disciplinary action against you. This Notice of Hearing and the Original Petition, which is attached and incorporated for all purposes, states the allegations against you and the relief sought by the Department.

A public hearing will be held before an Administrative Law Judge on Wednesday, December 1, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. The hearing will take place by telephone at the direction of the State Office of Administrative Hearings, unless otherwise ordered to proceed in another manner by the Administrative Law Judge.

The hearing shall be conducted under TEX. GOV'T CODE, ch. 2001 and 1 TEX. ADMIN. CODE, ch. 155. Unless otherwise directed by the Administrative Law Judge, the hearing shall continue from day to day in the offices of the State Office of Administrative Hearings until concluded. You have the right to appear at this hearing and to be represented by an attorney.

Parties who are not represented by an attorney may obtain information regarding contested case hearings on the public website of the State Office of Administrative Hearings at www.soah.texas.gov, or in printed format upon request to SOAH.

YOU MUST FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF HEARING WITH THE STATE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS WITHIN 20 DAYS OF THE DATE THE NOTICE OF HEARING WAS MAILED. FAILURE TO FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE BY THIS DEADLINE SHALL ENTITLE TDI TO SEEK DISPOSITION BY DEFAULT UNDER 1 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 155.501 AND 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 1.88 AND 1.89.

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IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE, THE SCHEDULED HEARING CAN BE CANCELED AND WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE TO YOU THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE CAN ISSUE AN ORDER IN WHICH THE ALLEGATIONS IN THE NOTICE OF HEARING ARE DEEMED ADMITTED AS TRUE AND THE RELIEF SOUGHT IN THE NOTICE OF HEARING, INCLUDING REVOCATION OF YOUR LICENSE, IS GRANTED BY DEFAULT.

IF YOU FILE A WRITTEN RESPONSE BUT THEN FAIL TO APPEAR ON THE DAY AND TIME SET FOR HEARING, WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE TO YOU, THE COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE CAN ISSUE AN ORDER IN WHICH THE ALLEGATIONS IN THE NOTICE OF HEARING ARE DEEMED ADMITTED AS TRUE AND THE RELIEF SOUGHT IN THE NOTICE OF HEARING, INCLUDING REVOCATION OF YOUR LICENSE, IS GRANTED BY DEFAULT.

In accord with 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.90(e) and 1 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 155.101 and 155.103, you should send copies of your written response to:

- Docketing Division
  State Office of Administrative Hearings
  300 West 15th Street, Room 504
  P.O. Box 13025
  Austin, Texas 78711-3025
  (512) 322-2061 (fax);
- (2) Chief Clerk
  Texas Department of Insurance
  P.O. Box 12030, MC GC-CCO
  Austin, Texas 78711-2030
  (512) 490-1064 (fax)
  chiefclerk@tdi.texas.gov; and
- (3) Casey Seeboth, Staff Attorney Texas Department of Insurance Enforcement Division, MC ENF P.O. Box 12030 Austin, Texas 78711-2030 (512) 490-1020 (fax) Casey.Seeboth@tdi.texas.gov

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#### **Receiving Documents**

The State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) offers you the ability to receive service of orders and other documents issued by SOAH through email instead of by mail or fax. If you want to receive SOAH-issued documents by email, go to SOAH's website, www.soah.texas.gov, click on the "E-Services" tab, then click the hyperlink "Request Service by Email (only for use by self-represented litigants)," and follow the instructions.

NOTE: A request to receive SOAH-issued documents by email does not change the procedures you must follow to file documents with SOAH. The rules for filing documents and providing copies to all other parties in the case are described in SOAH's Procedural Rules, which are available on SOAH's website. Click the "Agency" tab, then click "Administrative Rules and Laws" to view SOAH's Procedural Rules.

### Important Security Notice

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If you have any questions, please contact me at the address or telephone number shown below.

Respectfully Submitted,

<u>/s/ Casey Seeboth</u> Casey Seeboth State Bar No. 24070584 Texas Department of Insurance Enforcement Division, MC ENF P.O. Box 12030 Austin, Texas 78711-2030 (512) 676-6337 (direct) (512) 490-1020 (fax) Casey.Seeboth@tdi.texas.gov

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## ATTORNEY FOR THE PETITIONER TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

Enclosure: Original Petition

cc: Leah Gillum, Deputy Commissioner, Enforcement Division, MC ENF Whitney Fraser, Litigation Director, Enforcement Division, MC ENF Administrative Review, MC CO-AAL

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Casey Seeboth, certify that a true and correct copy of the *Notice of Hearing and the Original Petition* were sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, on September 8, 2021 to:

Isiah Deontae Love

Arlington, Texas 76011

Isiah Deontae Love

Irving, Texas 75062

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<u>/s/ Casey Seeboth</u> Casey Seeboth

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#### **TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE,**

#### **BEFORE THE STATE OFFICE**

Petitioner

v.

ISIAH DEONTAE LOVE,

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

OF

Respondent

#### **ORIGINAL PETITION**

The Texas Department of Insurance (TDI) seeks to take disciplinary action against Isiah Deontae Love. In support of this petition, TDI makes the following allegations upon information and belief:

#### Jurisdiction

The Commissioner of Insurance has jurisdiction over this matter under TEX. INS. CODE §§ 82.051-82.055, 4001.002, 4005.101, 4005.102, and 4054.051; TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021; and TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 2001.051-2001.178.

### **Factual Allegations**

- On December 15, 2017, Isiah Deontae Love (Love) submitted an application for a general lines agent license. On that application, Love answered "no" to questions about his criminal history records. Love also provided TDI copies of his fingerprints and other confidential personal identifying information. TDI issued the license to Love on January 18, 2018.
- 2. On June 22, 2020, Love submitted to TDI another application, this time to renew the general lines agent license previously issued to him. On this application, Love again answered "no" to questions about his criminal history record.
- 3. Specifically, Love answered "no" to this question: "Have you ever been convicted of a felony, had a judgment withheld or deferred, or are you currently charged with committing a felony, which has not been previously reported to this insurance department?" The question defines "convicted" as meaning "having entered a plea of guilty... or having been given a probation, a suspended sentence, or a fine."

EXHIBIT

4. On December 30, 2017, Love was indicted for class D felony theft in Dunklin County, Missouri, docket number 18DU-CR00003-01 in the 35th Judicial Circuit. On February 28, 2018, Love pleaded guilty, and the court suspended imposition of the sentence and ordered five years of supervised probation. Love was permitted to transfer the supervised probation to Tarrant County, Texas.

### Legal Allegations

- 1. Love has been convicted of a felony, as contemplated by TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.101(b)(8).
- 2. Love has been convicted of an offense that directly relates to the duties and responsibilities of the licensed occupation, as contemplated by TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021.
- 3. Love has intentionally made a material misstatement in the license application, as contemplated by TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.101(b)(2).
- 4. Love has obtained or attempted to obtain a license by fraud or misrepresentation, as contemplated by TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.101(b)(3).

### **Relief Sought**

If one or more of these allegations are proved, TDI requests the Administrative Law Judge issue a proposal for decision stating the Commissioner of Insurance is authorized to revoke the general lines agent license issued to Isiah Deontae Love per TEX. INS. CODE §§ 82.051 and 4005.101; additionally, the Commissioner is authorized to impose other disciplinary measures per TEX. INS. CODE §§ 82.052–82.055.

Respectfully Submitted,

<u>/s/ Casey Seeboth</u> Casey Seeboth State Bar No. 24070584 Texas Department of Insurance Enforcement Division, MC ENF P.O. Box 12030 Austin, Texas 78711-2030

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