No. 2022-7410

Official Order of the Texas Commissioner of Insurance

Date: <u>07/28/2022</u>

Subject Considered:

Sidney Maurice Davis

Glenn Heights, Texas 75154-8809

Default Order SOAH Docket No. 454-22-01106 TDI Enforcement File No. 28903

General remarks and official action taken:

This is a default order taken against Sidney Maurice Davis (Respondent) because he pled guilty to the felony offense of sexual assault of a child and is incarcerated in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Institutions Division. 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 June 16, 2022, 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.

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- 3. The department sent the Notice of Hearing and Original Petition to Respondent's last known address provided in writing to the department, Heights, Texas 75154-8809. The Notice of Hearing and Original Petition were also sent to an additional address associated with Respondent: Tulia, Texas 79088.
- 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, 4005.102, 4005.252, and 4101.051; TEX. OCC. CODE §§ 53.021-53.023; 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502; 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.

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Order

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

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Cassie Brown Commissioner of Insurance

Prepared and reviewed by:

<u>/s/ Patrick Quigley</u> Patrick Quigley, Staff Attorney Enforcement

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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 Moreno 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 Sidney Maurice Davis. I have confirmed that:

- a. The last mailing address provided to the department in writing by Sidney Maurice Davis is Glen Heights, Texas 75154-8809.
- b. The file maintained by Enforcement contains a Notice of Hearing and Original Petition dated June 16, 2022, which were filed with the State Office of Administrative Hearings.
- C. On June 16, 2022, the Notice of Hearing and Original Petition addressed to Sidney Maurice Davis were mailed certified, return receipt requested, to his last known address and one additional address:
 Tulia, Texas 79088.

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

DocuSigned by: Varid Morens 65A4B58B11804B1... Affiant

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SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me by means of an interactive two-way audio and video communication on $\frac{7/7/2022}{}$. 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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NOTICE OF HEARING

The Texas Department of Insurance seeks to deny your license application. 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 **Thursday**, **September 8**, **2022**, **at 9:00 a.m.** The hearing will take place via videoconference using a videoconference platform controlled by 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 that 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 DENIAL OF YOUR LICENSE APPLICATION, 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 DENIAL OF YOUR LICENSE APPLICATION, 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:

- (1) (by mail, fax, or electronically) 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);
 www.soah.texas.gov/e-filing-soah
- (by mail, fax, or email)
 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) (by mail, fax, or email) Patrick Quigley, Staff Attorney Texas Department of Insurance Enforcement, MC ENF

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> P.O. Box 12030 Austin, Texas 78711-2030 (512) 490-1020 (Fax) Patrick.quigley@tdi.texas.gov

Receiving Documents Electronically and Filing Documents with SOAH

The State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) offers you the ability to electronically receive orders and other documents issued by SOAH by email instead of by mail. If you want to receive SOAH-issued documents by email, follow the instructions on SOAH's website: www.soah.texas.gov.

A request to receive SOAH-issued documents by email does <u>not</u> change the procedures you must follow to file documents with SOAH. You may file documents with SOAH by mail, fax, or electronically. To file electronically, you must use eFileTexas. Instructions on using eFileTexas are on SOAH's website. SOAH's website also includes guidance for representing yourself.

Important Security Notice (for In-Person Hearings ONLY)

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

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Patrick Quigley</u> Patrick Quigley State Bar No. 16430320 Texas Department of Insurance Enforcement, MC ENF P.O. Box 12030 Austin, Texas 78711-2030 (512) 676-6335 (Direct) (512) 490-1020 (Fax) patrick.quigley@tdi.texas.gov

ATTORNEY FOR THE PETITIONER TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

Enclosure: Original Petition

cc: Leah Gillum, Deputy Commissioner, Fraud and Enforcement Division, MC ENF Ginger Loeffler, Litigation Director, Enforcement, MC ENF Administrative Review, MC CO-AAL

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Patrick Quigley, 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 June 16, 2022 to:

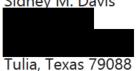
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Via CM/RRR No.: #9214 8901 9403 8379 7703 46

Glen Heights, Texas 75154-8809 Respondent Pro Se

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Respondent Pro Se

/s/ Patrick Quigley Patrick Quigley

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ORIGINAL PETITION

The Texas Department of Insurance seeks to take disciplinary action against Sidney Maurice Davis. In support of this petition, the department 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 4101.051, and TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 2001.051-2001.178.

Factual Allegations

<u>Licensure</u>

1. Sidney Maurice Davis (Davis) holds an all lines adjuster license issued by the Texas Department of Insurance on October 4, 2000.

Criminal History

 On October 7, 2021, Davis pled guilty to the felony offense of Sexual Assault of a Child in Cause No. F-1749193-T, in the Dallas County, Texas. The court sentenced Davis to four years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Institutions Division, to run concurrently with the sentence in Cause No. F-1749194-T.

- 3. On October 7, 2021, Davis pled guilty to the felony offense of Indecency With a Child Sexual Contact in Cause No. F-1749194-T, in the Dallas County, Texas. The court sentenced Davis to ten years deferred adjudication community supervision.
- 4. On the date of filing this original petition, Davis is currently incarcerated in the , Tulia, Texas.

Legal Allegations

- 1. Davis has committed acts for which a license holder may be disciplined under TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.101, as contemplated by TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.102.
- 2. Davis has willfully violated an insurance law of this state pursuant to TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.101(b)(1).
- 3. Davis has been convicted of a felony in violation of TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.101(b)(8).
- 4. Davis failed to notify the department of a felony conviction in violation of TEX. INS. CODE § 4005.252(a)(2).
- 5. Davis has been imprisoned following a felony conviction, resulting in revocation of his license by operation of law pursuant to TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021(b).
- 6. Davis committed an offense with the essential elements of a felony assault, as described by Penal Code, Chapter 22, 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502(e)(4)(B) and TEX. OCC. CODE §§ 53.021-53.023. The deferred adjudication in cause number in Cause No. F-1749194-T, may be considered as a conviction under TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021(d)(1)(A).

Relief Sought

If one or more of the above allegations is found to be true, the department asks the Administrative Law Judge to enter a Proposal for Decision recommending that the Commissioner of Insurance issue an order:

1. revoking Davis's license; and

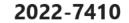
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2. imposing any other just and appropriate relief to which the department may be entitled to by law.

Respectfully Submitted,

<u>/s/ Patrick Quigley</u> Patrick Quigley State Bar No. 16430320 Texas Department of Insurance Enforcement, MC ENF P.O. Box 12030 Austin, Texas 78711-2030 (512) 676-6335 (Direct) (512) 490-1020 (Fax) patrick.quigley@tdi.texas.gov

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