DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE,

STATE OF ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT **DIVISION OF INSURANCE**

In the Matter of:)
SHANNAN K. KINCADE,)
Licensee.)))

Case No. D 06-02

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STIPULATED AGREEMENT AND ORDER

The Division of Insurance (division) and Shannan K. Kincade (Ms. Kincade). stipulate and agree to the following:

I. BACKGROUND

On or about March 29, 2004, the division reissued an individual in a firm A. limited lines insurance producer license to Ms. Kincade, under license number 13448. She previously had been licensed until January 19, 2001. The license has subsequently been renewed and is due to expire on January 16, 2007. Ms. Kincade was formerly employed at Alyeska Title Guaranty Agency, d/b/a Alyeska Escrow Services.

The division alleges that, upon a complaint from Jeffrey M. Culbertson, B. Ms. Kincade's ex-husband, the division initiated an investigation of Ms. Kincade. On or about October 5, 2005, a female calling herself "Sherry" and representing herself to be with First American Title, telephoned GMAC and requested that form 1003 of Mr. Culbertson be faxed to her so she could add it to her file. Form 1003 contains a customer's social security number, date of birth, income, and credit card and bank account information. GMAC did not comply with the request. The division's investigation revealed that the phone and fax numbers

provided by "Sherry" were not related to First American, but were in fact those of Ms. Kincade

at Alyeska Title. Phone records indicate the calls to GMAC were made from Ms. Kincade's

phone.

C. Ms. Kincade denied making these calls when interviewed by a division

investigator and claimed that she had contacted GMAC about another loan file that she was

- C. Ms. Kincade denied making these calls when interviewed by a division investigator and claimed that she had contacted GMAC about another loan file that she was handling. Investigation revealed that the loan she identified had closed before October 5, 2005 and there was no reason for Ms. Kincade to call anyone at GMAC about it.
- D. By signing this agreement, Ms. Kincade does not admit or agree with any of the facts alleged above, and continues to deny same; however, she agrees to submit to administrative action and penalties under AS 21.27.410 21.27.440 and AS 21.36.360 solely to avoid the costs of litigation.
- E. The director has fully reviewed the alleged circumstances regarding Ms. Kincade's behavior.

II. TERMS OF AGREEMENT

- 1. Pursuant to AS 21.27.420, the division will suspend Ms. Kincade's limited lines insurance producer license for one year commencing effective on September 1, 2006. Ms. Kincade has already surrendered her license to the division.
- 2. Once the suspension is completed and upon her reapplying, the division will reinstate license number 13448 to Ms. Kincade subject to the following conditions:
- a. When Ms. Kincade applies to reinstate her license, she must comply with the continuing education requirements necessary for license renewal. If she does not reapply before December 1, 2007, any subsequent application would require that she retake and pass the examination required under AS 21.27.060.

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	b.	Within three months of the date of license reinstatement, Ms.
Kincade will succ	essfully c	omplete a course in professional ethics in insurance that has been
approved in advan	ice by the	director or her designee and provide proof of that completion to the
division		

- c. Ms. Kincade will submit to the division quarterly sworn statements indicating that she has complied with the insurance code and applicable regulations. The statements must also be signed under oath by her supervisor or the compliance officer of the firm where she is employed. If her supervisor or the compliance officer changes, Ms. Kincade agrees to provide the director with a letter from the new person agreeing to assume the obligations of the supervisor or compliance officer under this agreement. The statements should be in a form similar to the attached Exhibit A. These conditions will remain in effect for two years from the date the division reinstates Ms. Kincade's license.
- d. During the two-year period from the license reinstatement date,

 Ms. Kincade must provide her employer and, before commencing new employment, any new

 employer with a copy of this agreement.
- e. Ms. Kincade agrees to pay a civil penalty under AS 21.27.440(a) in the amount on \$5,000 with \$5,000 suspended.
- f. In the event Ms. Kincade violates the insurance code or applicable regulations during the next two years following reinstatement, the suspended civil penalty under e. of this paragraph will be reinstated. Ms. Kincade's license also will be subject to any and all sanctions authorized by the insurance code including imposition of additional fines or penalties.

	1	3. By signing this agreement, Ms. Kincade understands that any failure to
	2	comply with the terms of this agreement may be grounds to revoke, further suspend, or non-
	3	renew Alaska insurance license number 13448.
	4	4. Ms. Kincade understands that this agreement is not binding on the parties
	5	unless and until the director signs the order approving the agreement.
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	7	DATED: 12/19/02 DIVISION OF INSURANCE
	8	Linda Brunster
	9	By: Junda Brunette
	10	Program Coordinator
	11	DATED: 12/5/06 Sharrant Juncach
	12	Shannan K. Kincade
	14	Approved as to form and content:
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FAX: (907) 269-7910 TDD: (907) 465-5437	15	DAVID W. MARQUEZ DATED: 12/15/06 ATTORNEY GENERAL
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<u> </u>	17	By:
	18	Assistant Attorney General
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	20	<u>ORDER</u>
	21	IT IS ORDERED that this Stipulated Agreement and Order is adopted in full
	22	resolution of the issues in this case, and shall constitute the final order in this matter.
	23	DATED this 2 day of December, 2006.
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	25	Linda S. Hall
	26	Director