#### STATE OF ALASKA

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

## DIVISION OF INSURANCE

In re:

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE

OF THOMAS MALONE,

2860 BONANZA TRAIL

FAIRBANKS, ALASKA 99708.

Case No. LD 95-04

#### STATEMENT OF ISSUES

Marianne K. Burke, Director, Division of Insurance ("division"), Department of Commerce and Economic Development, State of Alaska, states:

- 1. On or about June 26, 1995, Thomas Malone applied for an individual limited lines insurance license.
- 2. In Section 16 of the license application form, he was asked "Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor?" Malone responded "No" to this question and certified under penalty of perjury that he had read the application and that the statements contained therein were true and correct. He also certified his understanding that any false statement on the application may subject him to penalties including denial of a license.
- 3. In searching the Alaska Public Safety Information Network, the division learned through one of its investigators that Malone had been convicted of two misdemeanors. In 1986, Malone was convicted of obstructing the highway in violation of AS 11.61.150(a) and of failing to give immediate notice of an accident in violation of AS 28.35.050(c). These convictions arose out of a

incident where Malone hit a unoccupied parked car along side the highway and left the scene of the accident, failing to give notice of the accident to the police and to the owner of the hit vehicle. Malone left the scene with the vehicles blocking lanes of travel on the highway. After pleading no contest to the charges, Malone was ordered to pay fines and was placed on probation until November, 1987.

- 4. Based on the above information, Malone wilfully misrepresented that he had not been convicted of a misdemeanor on his application for an insurance license. Such misrepresentation is a basis to deny a license under AS 21.27.410(a)(3) and also reflects untrustworthiness, which precludes issuance of a license under AS 21.27.020(a).
- 5. Pursuant to AS 21.27.020(a), 21.27.020(b)(4) and (6), and 21.27.410(a)(3), the application of Thomas Malone for a limited license is DENIED.

DATED this / day of October, 1995.

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Director, Division of Insurance

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

BEFORE THE DIVISION OF INSURANCE

In the Matter of: Thomas Malone,

Applicant/Appellant.

Case No. LD95-04

# STIPULATED AGREEMENT AND ORDER

The Division of Insurance, Department of Commerce and division"), Development ("the and Thomas Malone Economic ("Malone"), the Applicant/Appellant in this case, stipulate and agree that the Statement of Issues dated October 13, 1995 shall be resolved as follows:

- 1.) The division will issue Malone a conditional limited lines insurance producer license under AS 21.27.420(c), subject to his compliance with all provisions of this Stipulated Agreement and Order.
- Malone will provide the division with a sworn affidavit stating that:
  - he admits answering question 16(e) on the license application incorrectly;
  - he admits having two misdemeanor convictions that were not disclosed to the division; and
  - he did not intentionally misrepresent or fail a.) convictions on his license disclose the application.
  - Malone is assessed a civil fine of \$500 with \$250

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suspended on condition that he does not violate Alaska insurance laws or applicable regulations for his first license period plus one renewal period. The unsuspended portion of the fine shall be paid prior to issuance of Malone's limited lines producer license. If Malone violates the insurance code during the period of time his license is conditioned, the suspended portion of the fine will be reinstated in addition to other applicable fines or penalties authorized by statute.

- 4.) By signing this agreement, Malone understands and agrees that any wilful misrepresentation to the division is grounds to revoke, non-renew, or deny issuance of a license.
- 5.) Malone further understands and agrees that issuance of a limited lines producer license is conditioned upon his compliance with this agreement and future compliance with the insurance code.
- 6.) Malone acknowledges that he has been advised by legal counsel regarding the nature and purpose of this Stipulated Agreement and Order and that he understands it.

DATED: 1/3/96

BRUCE M. BOTELHO ATTORNEY GENERAL

Simo P Andersen

Signe P. Andersen

Assistant Attorney General

Representing the

Division of Insurance

Dated: Doc 29, 1995

Thomas Malone

Applicant/Appellant

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1	Approved as to form and content:
3	DATED: 3 January PML COOK AND ASSOCIATES
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6	Attorneys for Applicant/Appellant
7	RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL
-8	The Stipulated Agreement and Order is recommended for
9	approval by the Director of Insurance this 549 day of December,
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13	Frank Flavin Hearing Officer
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15	ORDER
16	IT IS ORDERED that this Stipulated Agreement and Order
17	is adopted in full resolution of the issues in this case, and
18	shall constitute the final order in this matter.
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20	DATED this 3 day of min , 1996.
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23	Marianne K. Burke, Director, Division of Insurance
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