

STATE OF ARIZONA

DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

In the Matter of:

COUGHLIN, JAMES
(National Producer No. 6733043)

Respondent

No. 21A-038-INS

ORDER DENYING
REQUEST FOR REHEARING OR
REVIEW

1. On September 9, 2021, the Office of Administrative Hearings, through an Administrative Law Judge Adam D. Stone, conducted a hearing on behalf of the Arizona Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions (“Department”).

2. On September 20, 2021, the Administrative Law Judge issued an Administrative Law Judge Decision (“Recommended Decision”) received by the Director of the Department (“Director”) on the same date.

3. On October 4, 2021, the Director entered a Final Order in the above-captioned matter. The Director’s Order adopted the Recommended Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and revoked Respondent’s Arizona insurance producer license.

4. On October 18, 2021, Respondent filed a letter with the Department. The Department received and considered the letter as a request for rehearing or review pursuant to ARS § 41-1092.09 and A.AC. R20-6-114.

5. On November 2, 2021, the Department filed a Response to Request for Rehearing or Review.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

6. Respondent timely filed his request for rehearing or review.

7. The Department timely filed its response to Respondent’s request.

- 1 8. Under A.A.C. R20-6-114(B), a request for rehearing or review shall be based
- 2 upon one or more of the following grounds which have materially affected the rights of a party:
- 3 1. Irregularity in the hearing proceedings, or any order or abuse of
- 4 2. Misconduct by the Director, the hearing officer or any party to
- 5 3. Accident or surprise which could not have been prevented by
- 6 4. Newly discovered material evidence which could not have been
- 7 5. Excessive or insufficient sanctions or penalties imposed;
- 8 6. Error in the admission or rejection of evidence, or errors of law
- 9 7. Bias or prejudice of the Director or hearing officer;
- 10 8. That the order, decision, or findings of fact are not justified by
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15 9. The Director has reviewed Respondent’s request for rehearing and the
16 Department’s response.

17 10. The Director finds that Respondent has failed to establish a ground upon which
18 to grant a rehearing or review pursuant to A.A.C. R20-6-114.

ORDER

20 Respondent’s request for rehearing is denied.

21 EFFECTIVE this 5th day of November, 2021.



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24 Evan G. Daniels, Director
25 Arizona Department of Insurance and
26 Financial Institutions

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