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STATE OF ARIZONA

DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE

1 In the Matter of)
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 5 **BARNES, RILEY RUSSELL**)
 (Arizona License # 187833))
 6 (National Producer # 8301436))
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 Respondent.)
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Docket No. 11A-065-INS
**ORDER SUMMARILY SUSPENDING
 BAIL BOND AGENT LICENSE
 AND NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY
 FOR HEARING**

9 The Arizona Department of Insurance (the "Department") alleges that **Riley Russell**
 10 **Barnes** has violated provisions of Arizona Revised Statutes ("A.R.S."), Title 20. In light of the
 11 serious nature of these allegations, the Director of Insurance for the State of Arizona
 12 ("Director") finds that the public health, safety and welfare imperatively require emergency
 13 action, within the meaning of A.R.S. §41-1092.11(B).

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 15 1. Riley Russell Barnes ("Respondent") is licensed as a resident bail bond agent,
 16 Arizona license number 187833 which expires on December 31, 2011.
- 17 2. Respondent's addresses of record are: c/o Desert Bonds, Inc., 494 Haul Rd.,
 18 Page, Arizona 86040 (business); P.O. Box 1270, Page, Arizona 86040 (mailing); and 251 Elk
 19 Rd., Page, Arizona 86040 (residence).
- 20 3. On April 6, 2009, the insurer holding Respondent's surety bond notified the
 21 Department that Respondent's bail agent bond was to be cancelled, effective on June 9, 2009.
- 22 4. On February 18, 2010, the Department notified Respondent that the surety
 23 holding Respondent's bond was cancelling the bond effective May 26, 2009.

1 5. To date, Respondent has failed to replace the cancelled surety bond.

2 6. Therefore, as of June 9, 2009, Respondent has not maintained a bond in favor
3 of this State executed by a surety insurer authorized to do business in this State.

4 7. The public health, safety and welfare imperatively require emergency action.

5 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

6 1. The Director has jurisdiction.

7 2. Respondent's conduct constitutes a violation of the requirement that each bail
8 bond agent maintain in force while license a bond in favor of this State executed by a surety
9 insurer authorized to do business in this State, within the meaning of A.R.S. § 20-340.02.

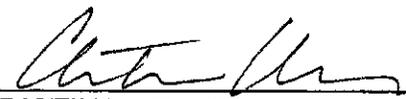
10 3. Grounds exist to order a summary suspension within the meaning of A.R.S. §
11 41-1092.11(B).

12 **ORDER**

13 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

14 1. Respondent's bail bond agent license, Arizona license number 187833, is
15 summarily suspended effective immediately.

16 DATED AND EFFECTIVE this 24th day of June, 2011.

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20 CHRISTINA URIAS
21 Director of Insurance
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