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COMMISSION OF INSURANCE INSURANCE DIVISION OF IOWA

BEFORE THE IOWA INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

IN THE MATTER OF) Division Case No. 88268
PAUL S. HIETBRINK, NPN 11601095, DOB 08/02/XXXX, Applicant	ORDER REINSTATING LICENSE AFTER SUSPENSION)

Pursuant to Iowa Code Chapter 522B—Licensing of Insurance Producers and Iowa Administrative Code Chapter 10, this matter comes before the Commissioner of Insurance upon an application by Paul S. Hietbrink for the reinstatement of his Iowa insurance producer license.

I. PARTIES AND JURISDICTION

- 1. The Commissioner of Insurance, Doug Ommen, directly and through his designees, administers and enforces Iowa Code Chapter 522B—Licensing of Insurance Producers and Iowa Administrative Code Chapter 10, pursuant to Iowa Code § 505.8.
- 2. Paul S. Hietbrink ("Applicant") is an individual with a last known mailing address of 119 13th St. SE, Sioux Center, IA 51250 and a National Producer Number of 11601095.
- 3. Applicant filed an application with the Iowa Insurance Division ("Division") for reinstatement of his suspended Iowa insurance producer license.
- 4. The Commissioner is authorized to issue this Order pursuant to Iowa Administrative Code rule 191—10.10.

II. FINDINGS OF FACT

5. Applicant is and has been licensed in the state of Iowa as a resident insurance producer since September 11, 2008. His license was suspended by a consent order ("Consent Order") entered between Applicant and the Division on February 7, 2017.

- 6. Per the terms of the Consent Order, Applicant's license was suspended for thirty days, he was ordered to pay a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,300.00 and costs of the investigation and prosecution in the amount of \$1,000, and it was ordered that his license shall be placed on probation for six months effective on the date of his reinstatement.
- 7. Applicant paid the civil penalty and costs of the investigation and prosecution on March 16, 2017.
 - 8. The suspension period has now passed.
- 9. Applicant submitted an Iowa insurance producer application for reinstatement ("Reinstatement Application") dated March 13, 2017. Applicant provided an additional statement on March 20, 2017 in which he stated that he accepts responsibility for his actions, he no longer handles premium payments, and he has complied with the terms of the Consent Order.

III. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 10. Iowa Administrative Code 191—10.10(2)(a) states that a producer whose license has been suspended by order may apply to the Commissioner for reinstatement of his or her license by filing an application for reinstatement.
- 11. Iowa Administrative Code 191—10.10(2)(b) states that the application for reinstatement shall allege facts demonstrating that the basis of the suspension no longer exists.
- 12. Applicant is in compliance with the terms of the Consent Order and has submitted a Reinstatement Application.
- 13. Applicant has met his burden of establishing that the basis for the suspension no longer exists.
- 14. Applicant has met all requisites for the issuance of an Iowa resident insurance producer license under Iowa Administrative Code Chapter 10.

IV. ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- A. Paul S. Hietbrink's Reinstatement Application is granted and the administrative block is removed from his licensing record; and
- B. Paul S. Hietbrink's license is placed on probation for six months effective on the date of this order reinstating his license and is subject to the completion of the following terms:
 - i. Respondent shall be supervised by Rob Bixenman of Ambank Insurance Inc., doing business as Perspective Insurance. Respondent shall immediately notify the Division's Enforcement Bureau if Respondent's employment with Ambank Insurance Inc., terminates at any point during his suspension or probation period or if Rob Bixenman is unable to supervise Respondent.
 - ii. Respondent shall not receive, deposit, transfer, or handle in any way, client premium money.

Dated this Ata day of March, 2017.

DOUGLAS M. OMMEN

Iowa Insurance Commissioner

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

County of Polk)		
State of Iowa)		

The undersigned affiant certifies under penalty of perjury that she has entered the above order into the records of the Iowa Commissioner of Insurance and on the <u>a8</u> day of March, 2017, the foregoing order was delivered to the United States Postal Service, postage prepaid, for first class mail and also for certified mail service, return receipt requested; to:

Paul Hietbrink 119 13th SE Sioux Center, IA 51250

I further certify that the foregoing order was sent by email to:

paulh@perspectiveinsurance.com

Tammi L. Green

Iowa Insurance Division