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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
SPECIAL CIVIL PART - SOMERSET COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. SOM-DC-000793-19

MARLENE CARIDE,  
COMMISSIONER OF THE NEW  
JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF  
BANKING AND INSURANCE,  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
v.  
  
PABLO C. MIRANDA,  
  
Defendant.

Civil Action

ORDER FOR FINAL JUDGMENT BY  
DEFAULT

SPECIAL CIVIL PART: STATUTORY  
PENALTIES

AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY: \$9,985.50

Defendant, Pablo C. Miranda ("Defendant"), having been duly served with a copy of the Summons and Complaint in the above-captioned action and default having been entered for failure to appear, answer, or otherwise defend;

This Court now finds that Defendant Pablo Miranda violated

the New Jersey Insurance Fraud Prevention Act, N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1 to -30 ("Fraud Act") by presenting a statement to Progressive Insurance Company that contained false and misleading information for the purposes of obtaining insurance and obtaining coverage for a potential third-party claim by misrepresenting that he had not been involved in any motor vehicle accidents between February 18, 2017 and March 17, 2017, when in fact he had been involved in an accident, in violation of N.J.S.A. 17:33A-4(a)(4)(b) and 4(a)(1); and

FINAL JUDGMENT is on this 23rd day of September 2019, entered in the amount of \$9,985.50 against Defendant Pablo C. Miranda and in favor of Plaintiff, Marlene Caride, Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance. This amount consists of: a \$5,000.00 civil penalty for one violation of the Fraud Act, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b); attorneys' fees of \$3,985.50, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b); and a statutory fraud surcharge of \$1,000.00 pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5.1; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:6A-15, Defendant's New Jersey driving privileges shall be suspended for a period of one year from the date of this judgment.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that a copy of this Order be

served upon all parties within 7 days of the date of receipt.

**/S/ MICHAEL J. ROGERS, J.S.C.**

Michael J. Rogers, J.S.C.

This motion was:

       Opposed

  x   Unopposed