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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
SPECIAL CIVIL PART- MIDDLESEX COUNTY
DOCKET NO. MID-DC-013498-23

JUSTIN ZIMMERMAN, ACTING

COMMISSIONER OF THE

NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF

BANKING AND INSURANCE,

Plaintiff,

SPECIAL CIVIL PART: STATUTORY
PENALTIES

V.

AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY: \$9,172.00

Defendant.

THIS MATTER HAVING BEEN opened to the Court on the Application of Matthew J. Platkin, Attorney General of New Jersey, (by Jessica Lugo, Deputy Attorney General, appearing), attorney for Plaintiff, Justin Zimmerman, Acting Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance on a motion for final judgment by default; and

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

This Court now finds that Defendant conspired to knowingly make false statements to an insurance company in support of automobile insurance applications, renewals, other automobile insurance policy documents, and in connection with an automobile insurance claim, in violation of the New Jersey Insurance Fraud Prevention Act, N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1 to -30 ("Fraud Act"); and

Specifically, Defendant conspired to misrepresent in applications, renewals, and other automobile insurance policy documents, and in connection with an automobile insurance claim, that an insured vehicle was principally garaged in South Amboy, New Jersey, when in fact, the vehicle was garaged in New York, in violation of N.J.S.A. 17:33-4(a)(1), N.J.S.A. 17:33-4(a)(3), N.J.S.A. 17:33-4(a)(4)(b), N.J.S.A. 17:33-4(b), and N.J.S.A. 17:33-4(c), and

FINAL JUDGMENT is on this 20 day of June 2024, entered in the amount of \$9,172.00 against Defendant and in favor of Plaintiff, Justin Zimmerman, Acting Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance. This amount consists of \$5,000.00 in civil penalties for two (2) violations of the Fraud Act pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b); attorneys' fees of \$3,172.00

pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b); and a \$1,000.00 surcharge pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5.1; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that a copy of this Order be served upon all parties within 7 days of the date of receipt.

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This motion was:

Hon. Bina K. Desai, J.S.C.

\_\_\_\_\_Opposed

 $\underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  Unopposed

"Having reviewed the above motion, I find it to be meritorious on its face and is unopposed. Pursuant to R.1:6-2, it therefore will be granted essentially for the reasons set forth in the moving papers."