

STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL AND FINANCIAL REGULATION
BUREAU OF INSURANCE

In re: Jason Finke

**National Producer No. 18975612
Maine License No. PRN 322260
Docket No. INS-21-208**

**LICENSE REVOCATION
NOTICE, ORDER,
and
OPPORTUNITY FOR
HEARING**

NOTICE TO JASON FINKE:

Effective as of **October 4, 2021**, your Maine nonresident insurance producer license will be **REVOKED** without further formal proceedings unless you request a hearing as specified below.

The reasons for your license revocation are as follows:

1. On April 21, 2021, the Maine Bureau of Insurance received a notification from United Services Automobile Association (USAA) that your appointment was terminated for cause. The Bureau sent inquiries to your mailing address of record requesting information related to your termination on April 30, 2021, June 4, 2021, and July 9, 2021. To date, the Bureau has not received a response nor was the correspondence returned. Each letter advised that, pursuant to 24-A M.R.S. § 220, a response was due within 30 days. Your failure to respond to the Bureau's inquiries represents grounds for the revocation of your Maine producer license for violating insurance laws pursuant to 24-A M.R.S. § 220 and § 1420-K(1)(B).
2. On July 19, 2021, the South Carolina Department of Insurance revoked your nonresident producer license. The revocation order stated that your USAA termination was due to suspected fraud and that an affected South Carolina consumer did not know about or authorize an insurance policy. The Director of Insurance revoked your license for intentionally misrepresenting the terms of an actual or proposed insurance contract and using fraudulent, coercive, or dishonest practices or demonstrating incompetence, untrustworthiness or financial irresponsibility in the conduct of business in this State or elsewhere. This administrative action was not reported to the Maine Bureau of Insurance as required by 24-A M.R.S. § 1420-P(1). This represents grounds for the revocation of your Maine insurance producer license in accordance with 24-A M.R.S. § 1420-K(1)(B) for violating insurance laws and § 1420-K(1)(I) for having an insurance producer license, or its equivalent, denied, suspended or revoked in any other state.

Therefore, based upon the above grounds, your Maine insurance producer license is **revoked** as of **October 4, 2021**, pursuant to 24-A M.R.S. §§ 1417 and 1420-K, subject to your right to request a hearing.

Under the Maine Insurance Code, specifically 24-A M.R.S. § 1417 and § 1420 K, you have the right to a hearing before the Superintendent or his designee to appeal this action.

If you request a hearing, you will receive further communication regarding scheduling. During a hearing, you will have the right to present evidence and arguments in your defense. The matters to be determined through the hearing process are whether you committed one or more of the violations listed above, and if so, the appropriate sanctions for those violations. The sanctions imposed after a hearing can include any available remedy under applicable laws, including the payment of civil penalties.

To request a hearing, you must notify the Bureau of Insurance in writing no later than October 4, 2021. If you do not file a written request for a hearing within 30 days from the time you knew or reasonably should have known of the revocation of your license through this Notice and Order, you will lose your right to request a hearing on this Notice and Order.

Any request for a hearing, as well as all other communications regarding this Notice, Order, and Opportunity for Hearing must be addressed to Bureau Licensing Attorney Lindsay J. Laxon, Bureau of Insurance, #34 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0034 (for US Postal Service deliveries) or 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, Maine 04345 (for private carrier deliveries, such as FedEx or UPS). You may also reach Ms. Laxon by e-mail at Lindsay.J.Laxon@maine.gov or by telephone at (207) 624-8429.

September 2, 2021



Eric A. Cioppa
Superintendent of Insurance