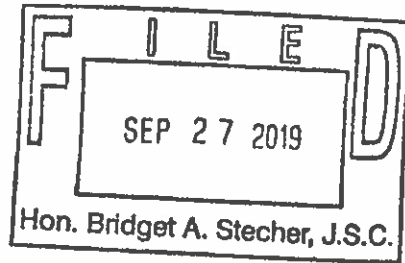


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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
SPECIAL CIVIL PART - ESSEX COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. ESX-DC-001628-19

MARLENE CARIDE,  
COMMISSIONER OF THE NEW  
JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF  
BANKING AND INSURANCE,

Plaintiff,

v.

KARIE RICKETTS,

Defendant.

Civil Action

ORDER FOR FINAL JUDGMENT BY  
DEFAULT

SPECIAL CIVIL PART: STATUTORY  
PENALTIES

AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY: \$7,576.50

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

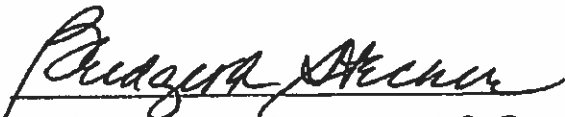
This Court now finds that Defendant violated the New Jersey Insurance Fraud Prevention Act, N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1 to -30, specifically N.J.S.A. 17:33A-4(a)(1), by making written statements intended to be presented to an insurance company in

connection with and in support of a claim for payment pursuant to an insurance policy knowing that the statement contained false or misleading information concerning any fact or thing material to the claim; and

FINAL JUDGMENT is on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 2019, entered in the amount of \$7,576.50 against Defendant, Karie Ricketts, and in favor of Plaintiff, Marlene Caride, Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance. This amount consists of \$5,000.00 in civil penalties for one violation of the New Jersey Insurance Fraud Prevention Act, N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1 to -30; attorneys' fees of \$1,576.50 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.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 39:6A-15, Defendant's driving privileges will be suspended for a period of one (1) 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.

  
Hon. Bridget A. Stecher, J.S.C.

This motion was:

       Opposed

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