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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
SPECIAL CIVIL PART - CAMDEN COUNTY
DOCKET NO. CAM-DC-010989-19

MARLENE CARIDE,)
COMMISSIONER OF THE NEW)
JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF)
BANKING AND INSURANCE,)
)
Plaintiff,)
)
v.)
)
MAYRA ARTEAGA,)
)
Defendant.)

Civil Action

**ORDER FOR FINAL JUDGMENT BY
DEFAULT**

**SPECIAL CIVIL PART: STATUTORY
PENALTIES**

**AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY:
\$11,912.83**

Defendant, Mayra Arteaga ("Defendant"), having been duly served with a copy of the Summons and Complaint in the above-captioned action, and default having been entered for Defendant's 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 ("Fraud Act") by presenting a written statement in support of a claim

for payment pursuant to an insurance policy knowing that the statement contained false information concerning material facts. Specifically, Defendant submitted to an insurance company a fabricated medical bill seeking reimbursement for medical services she did not receive, in violation of N.J.S.A. 17:33A-4(a)(1); and

FINAL JUDGMENT is on this 14th day of July 2020, entered in the amount of \$11,912.83 against Defendant, Mayra Arteaga, 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 Fraud Act, N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b); attorneys' fees of \$2,087.00 pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b); a statutory fraud surcharge of \$1,000.00 pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5.1; and restitution to Esurance Insurance Company of \$3,825.83 pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-26.

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.

/s/ MORRIS G. SMITH

J.S.C.

This motion was: _____ Opposed xx _____ Unopposed