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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
SPECIAL CIVIL PART - BURLINGTON COUNTY
DOCKET NO. BUR-DC-005128-22

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

Civil Action
**ORDER FOR FINAL JUDGMENT
BY DEFAULT**
**SPECIAL CIVIL PART: STATUTORY
PENALTIES**
AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY: \$9,070.00

THIS MATTER HAVING BEEN opened to the Court on the application of Matthew J. Platkin, Attorney General of New Jersey, (by Chandra M. Arkema, Deputy Attorney General, appearing), attorney for Plaintiff, Marlene Caride, Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance on a motion for final judgment by default; and

Defendant, Elijah Roland (“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 making oral and written statements intended to be presented to an insurance company for the purpose of obtaining an insurance policy knowing that the statements contained false or misleading information concerning material facts, in violation of the Fraud Act, specifically, Defendant misrepresented, in connection with his application for automobile insurance, that he resided and garaged his car in New Jersey, when he actually resided and garaged his car in New York, in violation of N.J.S.A. 17:33A-4(a)(4)(a) and (b); and

FINAL JUDGMENT is on this 1st day of May 2023, entered in the amount of \$9,070.00 against Defendant, and in favor of Plaintiff, Marlene Caride, Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance as follows:

1. \$5,000.00 against Defendant, for the Fraud Act violations alleged in Count 1 of the Complaint, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b);
2. A \$1,000 Fraud Act surcharge against Defendant, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5.1;
3. Attorneys’ fees in the amount of \$3,070.00 against Defendant, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b);

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

/s/ John E. Harrington
Hon. John E. Harrington J.S.C. Ret. Recall
J.S.C.

This motion was:

Opposed

Unopposed