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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
SPECIAL CIVIL PART - MONMOUTH COUNTY  
DOCKET NO. MON-DC-003366-23

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| JUSTIN ZIMMERMAN <sup>1</sup> , | ) |   |
| ACTING COMMISSIONER OF          | ) | <u>Civil Action</u>                       |
| THE NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT       | ) |   |
| OF BANKING AND INSURANCE,       | ) | <b>ORDER FOR FINAL JUDGMENT</b>           |
|                                 | ) | <b>BY DEFAULT</b>                         |
| Plaintiff,                      | ) |   |
|                                 | ) |   |
| v.                              | ) |   |
|                                 | ) | <b>SPECIAL CIVIL PART: STATUTORY</b>      |
| BRIAN ALDEZA,                   | ) | <b>PENALTIES</b>                          |
|                                 | ) | <b>AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY: \$13,443.00</b> |
| Defendant.                      | ) |   |

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, Justin Zimmerman, Acting Commissioner of the New Jersey

<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to R. 4:34-4, the caption has been revised to reflect the current Acting Commissioner of the Department.

Department of Banking and Insurance on a motion for final judgment by default; and

Defendant, Brian Aldeza ("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, in connection with an application for automobile insurance, falsely represented to an insurance company that his vehicle was garaged in Illinois, when in fact, the vehicle was garaged in New Jersey, and in support of a claim for damages, falsely claimed to an insurance company, that he was temporarily in New Jersey, with plans to return to Illinois, when he had actually moved to New Jersey permanently, in violation of the New Jersey Insurance Fraud Prevention Act, N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1 to -30 ("Fraud Act").

FINAL JUDGMENT is on this **15th** day of **December** 2023, entered in the amount of \$13,443.00 against Defendant and in favor of Plaintiff, Justin Zimmerman, Acting Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance. This amount consists of \$10,000.00 in civil penalties for two (2) violations of the Fraud Act pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(b); attorneys' fees of \$2,443.00 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.

*Richard W. English, J.S.C.*  
J.S.C. Hon. Richard W. English, J.S.C.

This motion was:

\_\_\_\_\_ Opposed

  X   Unopposed