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DIVISION OF
ADMINISTRATIVE
HEARINGS
IN THE MATTER OF

SPENCER WILLIAM COOTWARE /

Case No. 104195-09-AG

FINAL ORDER

THIS CAUSE came on for consideration of and final agency action on the Recommended Order rendered by Administrative Law Judge Daniel Manry on September 23, 2010, subsequent to a hearing held on August 3, 2010, in Fort Myers and Tallahassee, Florida, via video teleconference. No exceptions were filed.

After review of the record, including the transcript of proceedings and admitted exhibits, and being otherwise fully apprised in all material premises,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the ALJ's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law set forth in the Recommended Order are adopted as the Department's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

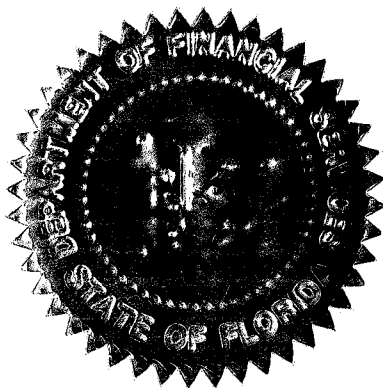
ACCORDINGLY, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Respondent Spencer William Cootware's license is suspended for a period of seven (7) months from the date hereof. Suspension of Cootware's license and eligibility for licensure applies to all licenses and eligibility held by Cootware under the Florida Insurance Code.

Pursuant to Section 624.641, Florida Statutes, during the period of suspension and until reinstatement, which must be applied for in writing, Cootware shall not engage in or attempt or profess to engage in any transaction or business for which a license is

required under the Florida Insurance Code, or directly or indirectly own, control, or be employed in any manner by an insurance agent, agency, or adjuster or adjusting firm.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED that Spencer William Cootware shall pay a fine of \$22,040.00 to the Department within 30 days from the date hereof.

DONE AND ORDERED this 25th day of October, 2010.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. W. Carlson". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Michael W. Carlson
Deputy Chief of Staff

NOTICE OF RIGHTS

Any party to these proceedings adversely affected by this Order is entitled to seek review of this Order pursuant to Section 120.68, Florida Statutes, and Rule 9.110, Fla. R. App. P. Review proceedings must be instituted by filing a petition or notice of appeal with Julie Jones, DFS Agency Clerk, at 612 Larson Building, Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-0390 and a copy of the same with the appropriate district court of appeal within thirty (30) days of rendition of this Order.

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Daniel Manry, ALJ