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Acting Director of Banking

July 3, 2019

A1 Auto Sale, LLC 16 RT 46 East Lodi, NJ 07644

ATTENTION: Mr. Ahmed Dahhan Email: alautosale@yahoo.com

Re:

NJDOBI ORĐER NO. AR18-1702731 SATISFACTION LETTER

Dear Mr. Dahhan:

Please be advised that this Department accepts the filing of the annual report for year ending December 31, 2017 and your full payment of the administrative penalty in the amount of \$2,000 as satisfaction in full of the requirements of NJDOBI No. AR18-1702731. You may disclose this Satisfaction Letter to any interested party.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (609) 292-7272, ext.50111.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas M. Hunt

Assistant Division Director Office of Consumer Finance



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IN THE MATTER OF VIOLATIONS BY:

A1 AUTO SALE LLC 16 RT 46 EAST LODI, NJ 07644 Order Number: AR18—1702731 Order Date: June 8, 2018

NOTICE OF VIOLATION, CONDITIONAL ORDER SUSPENDING LICENSE AND IMPOSING FINES, AND CONTINGENT FINAL ORDER

THIS MATTER, having been opened by the Commissioner of the Department of Banking and Insurance ("Commissioner"), State of New Jersey, under authority of N.J.S.A. 17:1-15; and

WHEREAS, individuals or entities licensed by the Department of Banking and Insurance ("Department") as motor vehicle installment sellers, home repair contractors, home financing agencies, check cashers, pawnbrokers, insurance premium finance companies, debt adjusters, money transmitters, foreign money transmitters, consumer lenders, sales finance companies, residential mortgage brokers, residential mortgage lenders, correspondent residential mortgage lenders and high cost home loan credit counselors, are required to file an annual report for the preceding year on or before April 1 of each year pursuant to N.J.A.C. 3:1-7.6(a); and

WHEREAS, as a matter of administrative accommodation, the Department requires annual reports to be filed with respect to all license types by May 1 of each year as reflected on the Department's website at http://www.state.nj.us/dobi/bankdedfund/bankdedfunding.htm; and

WHEREAS, N.J.A.C. 3:1-7.6 authorizes the Commissioner to take action on the license of a licensee who fails to file an annual report, and to impose a fine of not more than \$100 per day for each day the annual report is not filed; and

WHEREAS, the following facts regarding A1 AUTO SALE LLC ("the licensee") have been brought to the attention of the Department:

- A. A1 AUTO SALE LLC is licensed by the Department as a motor vehicle installment seller; and
- B. By letter dated January 31, 2018 the Department reminded the licensee that it was required to file its 2017 annual report with the Department by May 1, 2018; and
- C. The Department sent five e-mail notices to the licensee, dated February 21, 2018, March 20, 2018, April 3, 2018, April 16, 2018 and April 23, 2018, advising that the 2017 annual report had not yet been filed, and that it must be submitted by May 1, 2018 to avoid liability for penalties for late filing; and
- D. The licensee has failed to file an annual report by May 1, 2018; and
- E. The Department sent an e-mail notice to the licensee dated May 2, 2018 advising that the 2017 annual report was not filed by May 1, 2018, and that it must be submitted <u>immediately</u> to avoid liability for penalties for late filing; and
- F. To date, the licensee has not filed a 2017 annual report: and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ON this 8th day of June, 2018, ordered that:

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 3:1-7.6(c) and (d), the license issued to A1 AUTO SALE LLC shall be suspended, effective 30 days from the date of this Order, until such time as the 2017 annual report is filed and the administrative fine in the amount of \$2,000 has been paid or until such time as the term of the licensee's license as a motor vehicle installment seller expires; and
 (continued)

- Upon suspension, any pending license renewal application shall be stayed and not granted until such time as the aforementioned violation is cured, the full penalty has been satisfied and the license has been reinstated;
- To avoid license suspension and the assessment of an administrative fine, the licensee must within 30 days from the date of this Order, either:
 - a. File a 2017 annual report with the Department, and pay a fine in the amount of \$2,000 in one lump sum by cashier's check or money order, made payable to "Treasurer, State of New Jersey" and sent to the attention of:

Marc Cicero Collections Unit New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance P.O. Box 325 Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0325

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b. Request an administrative hearing to contest the violations alleged herein. To request an administrative hearing, the licensee shall submit its request <u>in writing</u> to the attention of:

Paul Giraldi
Chief of Investigations/Enforcement Bureau
Office of Consumer Finance
New Jersey Department of Banking and Insurance
P. O. Box 040
Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0040
Fax: (609) 292-3144.

The request shall include:

- i. The name, address, e-mail address, daytime telephone and fax number of a contact person of the licensee familiar with this matter;
- ii. A statement requesting a hearing; and
- iii. A concise statement with a separate response as to each of the specified facts set forth in this Order disputed by A1 AUTO SALE LLC, describing the basis for the licensee's contention that such factual statements are erroneous.
- 4. If, within 30 days from the date of this Order, the aforementioned violation is not cured and the full penalty satisfied, or a hearing request is not received disputing the allegations asserted herein, this Order shall become effective and shall constitute a final agency decision. Any appeals from this Order must then be filed with the New Jersey Superior Court, Appellate Division, within 45 days from the date of the final agency decision.

Marlene Caride
Acting Commissioner, Department of Banking and Insurance

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