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STATE OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE BUREAU OF FRAUD DETERRENCE



CONSENT ORDER NO. 11-22911-05

In the Matter of)	CONSENT ORDER
Manuel Guerra)	
124 67 th Street)	
West New York, NJ 07047)	
Respondent.)	

THIS MATTER having been opened by the Bureau of Fraud Deterrence, Department of Banking and Insurance of the State of New Jersey, upon information indicating that Respondent, Manuel Guerra, currently residing at 124 67th Street, West New York, New Jersey, may have violated the provisions of N.J.S.A. 17:33A-4, and

WHEREAS, Respondent, Manuel Guerra, submitted a claim for medical coverage to his carrier, Penn National Insurance containing false and misleading information, specifically, that he was injured while sitting in his parked vehicle when it was struck by another vehicle on May 18, 2011, when in fact he was not in his vehicle, and

WHEREAS, the above conduct constitutes a violation of N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1 et seq., and any future violation of N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1 et seq., shall be considered to be a second offense; and

WHEREAS, Respondent has been informed that he has a right to notice and to request a hearing, in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act (N.J.S.A. 52:14B-1 et seq.), on the violation alleged herein before a civil and administrative penalty is imposed, and

WHEREAS, Respondent understands these rights and has voluntarily waived the right to notice and to a formal legal proceeding in this matter, and

WHEREAS, Respondent consents to pay a civil administrative penalty in the amount of \$5,000.00, being due immediately by certified check, bank check or money order made payable to the "Commissioner, Department of Banking and Insurance". This signed order and the payment shall be

returned to Managing Investigator, Ronald Dellanno, Bureau of Fraud Deterrence, Department of Banking and Insurance, One Apollo Dr., Whippany, NJ 07981; and

WHEREAS, the penalties of this Consent Order are imposed pursuant to the police powers of the State of New Jersey for the enforcement of the law and the protection of the public health, safety and welfare, and are not intended to constitute debts which may be limited or discharged in a bankruptcy proceeding, and

IT FURTHER APPEARING that the matter is suitable for resolution upon the consent of the parties and that Respondent and the Bureau of Fraud Deterrence desire to terminate this matter without further hearing or litigation, and for further good cause appearing;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ON THIS 16 day of July, 2014,

ORDERED

AND AGREED as follows:

- Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 17:33A-5(c), civil administrative penalty of \$5,000.00 is imposed 1. on Respondent, Manuel Guerra.
- 2. This Consent Order shall not be binding until it is signed by the Assistant Commissioner, Bureau of Fraud Deterrence.
- 3. Respondent consents to the entry of this final administrative order. Respondent understands that this final administrative order shall be docketed with the Clerk of the Superior Court as provided in the Penalty Enforcement Law (N.J.S.A. 2A:58-1 et seg.).

KENNETH E. KOBYLOWSKI COMMISSIONER DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER BUREAU OF FRAUD DETERRENCE

CONSENTED TO AS TO FORM, CONTENT

AND ENTRY OF ORDER:

Manuel Guerra, Respondent

Dated: 7-16-14