

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, JUNE 6, 2013

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, *ex rel.*

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

v.

CASE NO. INS-2013-00081

ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendant

SETTLEMENT ORDER

Based on an investigation conducted by the Bureau of Insurance ("Bureau"), it is alleged that Allstate Insurance Company ("Defendant"), duly licensed by the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") to transact the business of insurance in the Commonwealth of Virginia ("Commonwealth"), violated § 38.2-1906 A of the Code of Virginia ("Code") by failing to file with the Commission certain rate and supplementary rate information on or before the date it became effective.

The Commission is authorized by §§ 38.2-218, 38.2-219, and 38.2-1040 of the Code to impose certain monetary penalties, issue cease and desist orders, and suspend or revoke a defendant's license upon a finding by the Commission, after notice and opportunity to be heard, that a defendant has committed the aforesaid alleged violation.

The Defendant has been advised of its right to a hearing in this matter whereupon the Defendant, without admitting any violation of Virginia law, has made an offer of settlement to the Commission wherein the Defendant has tendered to the Commonwealth the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), waived its right to a hearing, agreed to comply with the corrective action plan set forth in its letter to the Bureau dated August 22, 2012, and confirmed that restitution was made to 19,288 consumers in the amount of \$565,615.

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The Bureau has recommended that the Commission accept the offer of settlement of the Defendant pursuant to the authority granted the Commission in § 12.1-15 of the Code.

NOW THE COMMISSION, having considered the record herein, the offer of settlement of the Defendant, and the recommendation of the Bureau, is of the opinion that the Defendant's offer should be accepted.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) The offer of the Defendant in settlement of the matter set forth herein is hereby accepted.

(2) This case is dismissed, and the papers herein shall be placed in the file for ended causes.

AN ATTESTED COPY hereof shall be sent by the Clerk of the Commission to: Rick Wisniewski, Associate State Filings Director, Allstate Insurance Companies, 2775 Sanders Road, Suite A5, Northbrook, Illinois 60062; and a copy shall be delivered to the Commission's Office of General Counsel and the Bureau of Insurance in care of Deputy Commissioner Mary M. Bannister.