

No. **2022-7165**

**Official Order
of the
Texas Commissioner of Insurance**

Date: 01/11/2022

Subject Considered:

HUB International Insurance Services Inc.
3390 University Ave, Suite 300
Riverside, CA 92501-3325

Consent Order
TDI Enforcement File No. 28880

General remarks and official action taken:

This is a consent order with HUB International Insurance Services Inc. (HUB). HUB failed to timely file surplus lines policies and related documents. HUB has agreed to pay an administrative penalty of \$3,925 for these violations.

Waiver

HUB acknowledges that the Texas Insurance Code and other applicable law provide certain rights. HUB waives all of these rights, and any other applicable procedural rights, in consideration of the entry of this consent order.

Findings of Fact

1. HUB, organization identification number 20354, holds a surplus lines license issued by the Texas Department of Insurance.
2. Pursuant to TEX. INS. CODE § 981.105(a), a surplus lines insurance agent must file with the Surplus Lines Stamping Office of Texas either:
 - a. a copy of the policy issued, or
 - b. if the policy has not yet been issued, a copy of the certificate, cover note, or other confirmation of insurance delivered to the insured.

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This information is due not later than the 60th day after the later of the effective date or the issue date of new or renewal surplus lines insurance.

3. In 2020, HUB filed surplus lines policies late.
4. The commissioner previously disciplined HUB for violating TEX. INS. CODE § 981.105(a) in Official Order No. 2018-5705, entered on November 5, 2018, and in Official Order No. 2020-6260, entered on February 26, 2020.

Conclusions of Law


1. The commissioner of insurance has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to TEX. INS. CODE §§ 82.051-82.055, 84.021-84.044, and 981.105.
2. The commissioner of insurance has authority to informally dispose of this matter under TEX. INS. CODE § 82.055, TEX. GOV'T CODE § 2001.056, and 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.47.
3. HUB has knowingly and voluntarily waived all procedural rights to which it may have been entitled regarding the entry of this order, including, but not limited to, issuance and service of notice of intention to institute disciplinary action, notice of hearing, a public hearing, a proposal for decision, rehearing by the commissioner, and judicial review.
4. HUB violated TEX. INS. CODE § 981.105(a) by failing to timely file new or renewal surplus lines policies and related documents.

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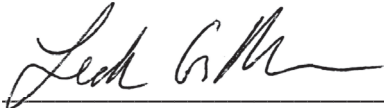
Order

It is ordered that HUB International Insurance Services Inc. must pay an administrative penalty of \$3,925. The administrative penalty must be paid within 30 days from the date of this order. The administrative penalty must be paid as instructed in the invoice, which the department will send after entry of this order.

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Cassie Brown
Commissioner of Insurance

Recommended and reviewed by:



Leah Gillum, Deputy Commissioner
Enforcement Division



Nancy Williams, Attorney
Enforcement Division

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Affidavit

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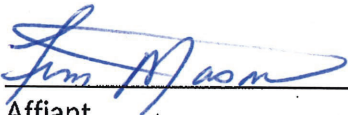
COUNTY OF Riverside §

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared the affiant, who being by me duly sworn, deposed as follows:

"My name is Tim Mason. I am of sound mind, capable of making this statement, and have personal knowledge of these facts which are true and correct.

I hold the office of Regional SL Administrator and am the authorized representative of HUB International Insurance Services Inc. I am duly authorized by the organization to execute this statement.

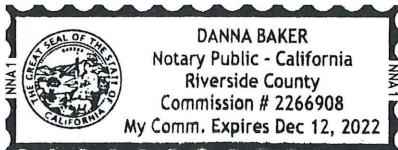
HUB International Insurance Services Inc. has knowingly and voluntarily entered into the foregoing consent order and agrees with and consents to the issuance and service of the same by the commissioner of insurance of the state of Texas."

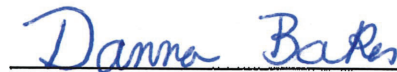


Affiant

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on December 23, 2021.

(NOTARY SEAL)





Signature of Notary Public

Danna Baker

Printed Name of Notary Public