

No. 2025-9683

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

Date: 12/17/2025

Subject Considered:

Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.
New Braunfels, Texas

Default Order
TDI Enforcement File No. 36561

General remarks and official action taken:

The subject of this default order is whether a general lines agent license should be issued to Clovis D. Cooper, Jr. (Respondent). Respondent did not respond to a Notice of Allegations mailed by the Texas Department of Insurance. This order denies Respondent's license application.

The following findings of fact and conclusions of law are adopted:

Findings of Fact

Failure to Respond to Notice of Allegations

1. On October 29, 2025, the department sent a Notice of Allegations, attached as Exhibit A, to Respondent.
2. The department sent the Notice of Allegations to Respondent's last known address provided in writing to the department, [REDACTED] New Braunfels, TX 78130-4362.
3. Respondent received and waived an opportunity for a hearing because Respondent failed to send the department a written response to the Notice of Allegations within 20 days after the date the Notice of Allegations was mailed.

2025-9683

Commissioner's Order

Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.

Page 2 of 4

4. The department's factual allegations set out in the attached Notice of Allegations are incorporated in this order as findings of fact.

Conclusions of Law

1. The commissioner of insurance has jurisdiction over this matter under TEX. INS. CODE §§ 82.051–82.055, 4001.002, 4005.101, 4005.102, and 4054.051; TEX. OCC. CODE §§ 53.021–53.023; 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502; and TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 2001.003(1) and 2001.051–2001.178.
2. The commissioner has authority to dispose of this case informally under TEX. GOV'T CODE § 2001.056; TEX. INS. CODE § 82.055; and 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.47.
3. The department provided proper notice to Respondent under TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 2001.003(1), 2001.051, 2001.052, 2001.054, and 2001.056(4), and 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 1.28, 1.47, and 19.906.
4. Based on Respondent's failure to send the department a written response to the Notice of Allegations, the department is entitled to disposition by default under 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.47.
5. Respondent failed to show compliance with the law.
6. The department's factual and legal allegations set out in the attached Notice of Allegations are incorporated in this order and deemed admitted as true under 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.47.

2025-9683

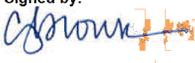
Commissioner's Order

Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.

Page 3 of 4

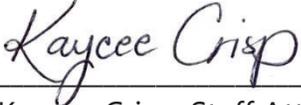
Order

It is ordered that Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.'s application is denied. A copy of this order will be provided to law enforcement or other appropriate administrative agencies for further investigation as may be warranted.

Signed by:

FC5D7EDDFFB4F8

Cassie Brown
Commissioner of Insurance

Prepared and reviewed by:



Kaycee Crisp, Staff Attorney
Enforcement

Affidavit

STATE OF TEXAS §
 §
COUNTY OF TRAVIS §

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

"My name is Daniel Mireles and I am employed by the Texas Department of Insurance. I am of sound mind, capable of making this affidavit, and have personal knowledge of these facts which are true and correct.

I have reviewed TDI's records concerning Clovis D. Cooper, Jr. I have confirmed that:

- a. The last mailing address provided to the department in writing by Clovis D. Cooper, Jr. is [REDACTED] New Braunfels, TX 78130-4362.
- b. The file maintained by Enforcement contains a Notice of Allegations dated October 29, 2025, which was sent to Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.
- c. On October 29, 2025, the Notice of Allegations addressed to Clovis D. Cooper, Jr. was mailed first-class and certified, return receipt requested, to his last known address .

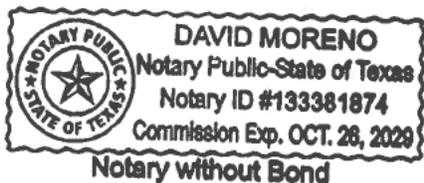
Copies of the first-class mail log and certified mail log maintained by Enforcement are attached as Exhibit B and Exhibit C, respectively."

Daniel Mireles

Affiant

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on November 20th, 2025.

(NOTARY SEAL)



David Moreno
Signature of Notary Public

David Moreno
Printed Name of Notary Public

2025-9683



PO Box 12030 | Austin, TX 78711 | 800-578-4677 | tdi.texas.gov

October 29, 2025

Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.

[REDACTED]
New Braunfels, TX 78130-4362

Via CM/RRR No. 9214 8901 9403 8340 1749 20

Via First Class Mail

Via Email: [REDACTED]

and: [REDACTED]

**TDI ENFORCEMENT CASE NO. 36561
NOTICE OF ALLEGATIONS AGAINST CLOVIS D. COOPER, JR.**

The Texas Department of Insurance (TDI) seeks to deny your license application. This Notice states the allegations against you and the relief sought by TDI.

YOUR WRITTEN RESPONSE IS REQUIRED WITHIN 20 DAYS

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO A HEARING AND ARE INVITED TO SHOW COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW. To request a hearing, you must send a written response to TDI within 20 days of the date this Notice was mailed.

If you fail to send a written response by the deadline, *you waive your right to a hearing*, and TDI may seek disposition by default under 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.47, TEX. INS. CODE § 82.055, and TEX. GOV'T. CODE § 2001.056.

If you fail to send a written response by the deadline, without further notice to you, the commissioner of insurance may issue a default order that admits the factual matters asserted, deems all allegations as true, and orders the relief recommended in this Notice.

You must send your written response by mail, fax, or email to:

Kaycee Crisp, Staff Attorney
Texas Department of Insurance
Enforcement, MC ENF
P.O. Box 12030
Austin, Texas 78711-2030
(512) 490-1020 (Fax)
Kaycee.Crisp@tdi.texas.gov

EXHIBIT

A

Jurisdiction

The commissioner of insurance has jurisdiction over this matter under TEX. INS. CODE §§ 82.051–82.055, 4001.002, 4005.101, 4005.102, and 4054.051; TEX. OCC. CODE §§ 53.021–53.023; 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502; and TEX. GOV'T CODE §§ 2001.003(1) and 2001.051–2001.178.

Factual Allegations

License Application

1. On December 16, 2024, Clovis D. Cooper, Jr. (Cooper) applied to TDI for a general lines agent license with a life, accident, health, and HMO qualification.
2. On February 10, 2025, TDI proposed to deny Cooper's application.
3. Cooper appealed TDI's decision and made a written request for a hearing.

Criminal History

4. On July 12, 2012, in cause no. 12-1372-CR in the 25th Judicial District Court of Guadalupe County, Texas, Cooper was indicted for one count of second-degree felony indecency with a child by contact and one count of third-degree felony indecency with a child by exposure.
5. On August 28, 2013, in cause no. 12-1372-CR, Cooper entered a plea of nolo contendere to two counts of second-degree felony indecency with a child by contact. The 274th District Court of Guadalupe County entered an Order of Deferred Adjudication. On September 30, 2013, the District Court entered a Nunc Pro Tunc Order to clarify that the Sex Offender Registration Requirements did apply to Cooper.
6. The 274th District Court of Guadalupe County, in cause no. 12-1372-CR, entered the following terms in the Order of Deferred Adjudication:
 - a. it placed Cooper on community supervision for a period of 10 years;
 - b. assessed a \$2,000 fine for each of the two counts;
 - c. ordered Cooper to complete 300 hours of community service;
 - d. required Cooper to register as a sex-offender;

- e. required Cooper to participate in the Guadalupe County Community Supervision and Corrections Department Sex Offender Supervision Unit Program;
 - f. required Cooper to participate and cooperate in individual or group counseling for sex offender treatment under the direction of the Seguin Family Institute; and
 - g. prohibited any contact with the victim or the victim's family.
7. On March 20, 2014, in cause no. 12-1372-CR, Cooper's supervising officer issued a Supervision Violation notice which Cooper signed, acknowledging that he had violated the terms of his community supervision by: (1) traveling within 1,000 feet of a child safety zone at a time when it could have been avoided, and (2) by going into a bank lobby. Judge Gary Steel sanctioned Cooper for these violations by requiring him to sign the acknowledgement, wear a GPS monitor for 180 days, and serve three days in jail.
8. On February 9, 2016, the 274th Judicial District Court of Guadalupe County amended Cooper's community supervision to require him to serve a term of confinement in a Texas State Contracted Intermediate Sanction Facility for a period of not less than 45 days or more than 120 days.
9. On March 15, 2018, the 274th Judicial District Court of Guadalupe County again amended Cooper's community supervision to require Cooper to serve 20 weekends in the Guadalupe County Jail. On March 28, 2018, the District Court modified this condition to require Cooper to serve 40 days in the Guadalupe County Jail on a specified schedule.
10. On January 31, 2025, in cause no. 12-1372-CR, the 25th Judicial District Court of Guadalupe County entered an Order Discharging Defendant from Community Supervision on the first count of felony indecency with a child.
11. On February 7, 2025, in cause no. 12-1372-CR, the 25th Judicial District Court of Guadalupe County entered another Order Discharging Defendant from Community Supervision on the second count of felony count of indecency with a child.
12. According to the Texas Public Sex Offender website, Cooper remains a registered sex offender for his lifetime, without a projected ending registration date.

Legal Allegations

1. Pursuant to TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021(a) and (d), the commissioner may deny Cooper’s license application and consider him to have been convicted of :
 - a. an offense that directly relates to the duties and responsibilities of the licensed occupation;
 - b. an offense listed in TEX. CRIM. PROC. art. 42A.054; and
 - c. a sexually violent offense, as defined by TEX. CRIM. PROC. art. 62.001.
2. Cooper committed two felony offenses that directly relate to the duties and responsibilities of the licensed occupation, as contemplated in 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502(f)(3), (f)(4)(E), (f)(5), and (f)(6), specifically, he committed:
 - a. a felony involving moral turpitude, as contemplated by 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502(f)(3);
 - b. an offense with the essential elements of an offense against a person as described by TEX. PENAL CODE § 21.11, as contemplated by 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502(f)(4)(E);
 - c. an offense listed in TEX. CRIM. PROC. art. 42A.054(7), as contemplated by 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502(f)(5); and
 - d. a sexually violent offense as defined by TEX. CRIM. PROC. art. 62.001(5)(A), as contemplated by 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502(f)(6).
3. Cooper committed offenses that TDI considers to be of such a serious nature that they are of prime importance in determining fitness for licensure, as contemplated by 28 TEX ADMIN. CODE 1.502(f) and TEX. OCC. CODE §§ 53.021–53.023.
4. Pursuant to TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021(c) - (d), the commissioner may deny Cooper’s license application and consider him to have been convicted for purposes of Section 53.021 because Cooper was charged with an offense described by TEX. CRIM. PROC. art. 62.001(5), under TEX. PENAL CODE § 21.11 (indecent with a child).

5. Pursuant to TEX. OCC. CODE § 53.021(d)(2), TDI has determined that:
 - a. Cooper may pose a continued threat to public safety; and
 - b. employment of Cooper in the licensed occupation will create a situation in which he has the opportunity to repeat the prohibited conduct.

6. TDI guidelines, 28 TEX. ADMIN. CODE § 1.502(c)–(f), emphasize that TDI:
 - a. considers it very important that applicants be honest, trustworthy, and reliable;
 - b. may refuse to issue an original license if TDI determines that the applicant has committed a felony or misdemeanor, or has engaged in fraudulent or dishonest activity that directly relates to the duties and responsibilities of the licensed occupation;
 - c. considers any felony involving moral turpitude to be of prime importance in determining fitness for licensure;
 - d. considers any sexual offense, as described by TEX. PENAL CODE Chapter 21, to be of prime importance in determining fitness for licensure;
 - e. considers any offense described by TEX. CRIM. PROC. art. 42A.054 to be of prime importance in determining fitness for licensure; and
 - f. considers a sexually violent offense as described by TEX. CRIM. PROC. art. 62.001 to be of prime importance in determining fitness for licensure.

Relief Sought

TDI seeks the following relief:

1. denial of your license application; and
2. imposition of any other just and appropriate relief to which the department may be entitled to by law, including any combination of the above actions.

2025-9683

Notice of Allegations

Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.

Page 6 of 7

Respectfully,



Kaycee Crisp

Kaycee Crisp
State Bar No. 24057368
Texas Department of Insurance
Enforcement, MC ENF
P.O. Box 12030
Austin, Texas 78711-2030
(512) 676-6329 (Direct)
(512) 490-1020 (Fax)
Kaycee.Crisp@tdi.texas.gov

cc: Leah Gillum, Deputy Commissioner, Fraud and Enforcement Division, MC: ENF
Rachel Cloyd, Litigation Director, Enforcement, MC: ENF
Administrative Review, MC: CO-AAL

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Kaycee Crisp, certify that a true and correct copy of this *Notice of Allegations Against Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.* was sent by the following methods on this 29th day of October, 2025 to:

Clovis D. Cooper, Jr.

[REDACTED]

New Braunfels, TX 78130-4362

Via CM/RRR No.: 9214 8901 9403 8340 1749 20

Via First Class Mail

Via Email: [REDACTED]

and: [REDACTED]

Kaycee Crisp

Kaycee Crisp

2025 9683

US Form 3877, June 2015

Total Number of Pieces
Total Number of Pieces
Received at Post Office

RECEIVED
OCT 30 2025
TDI - ENFORCEMENT

① *Uyamao*
Completed in Ink

Postmaster, Put Name of receiving employee

Privacy Note: For more information on USPS privacy policies, visit usps.com/privacy policy.

Name and Address of Sender
Texas Dept of Insurance
Mail Code ENF
1601 Congress Avenue, Suite 6.900
Austin TX 78701
David Moreno 10/29/2025

Check type of mail or service

Adult Signature Required
 Adult Signature Restricted Delivery
 Certified Mail
 Certified Mail Restricted Delivery
 Collect on Delivery (COD)
 Insured Mail
 Priority Mail
 First-Class Mail

Priority Mail Express
 Registered Mail
 Return Receipt for Merchandise
 Signature Confirmation
 Signature Confirmation Restricted Delivery

Affix Stamp Here
(if issued as an international certificate of mailing or for additional copies of this receipt), postmark with Date of Receipt



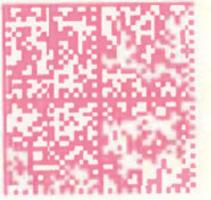
USPS Tracking/Invoice Number
Koyce/36561

Address (Name, Street, City, State, & Zip Code)
Clovie D. Cooper, Jr. D
New Braunfels, TX 78130-4362

Postage
74

Handling Charge-if Registered and ov

Adult Signature Required
Adult Signature Restricted Deliver
Restricted Delivery
Return Receipt
Signature Confirmation
Signature Confirmation Restricted Del
Special Handling



quodient
CORRECTION
IML
\$002.40⁹
10/29/2025 ZIP 78701
043MS2206995
US POSTAGE

EXHIBIT
B

Shipment Confirmation Acceptance Notice



A. Mailer Action

Note to Mailer: The labels and volume associated to this form online, **must** match the labeled packages being presented to the USPS® employee with this form.

Shipment Date: 10/29/2025

Shipped From:

Name: MC ENF D MORENO

Address: 1601 CONGRESS AVENUE SUITE 6 900

City: AUSTIN

State: TX ZIP+4® 78701

Type of Mail	Volume
Priority Mail Express®	
Priority Mail®	
First-Class Package Service®	
Returns	
International*	
Other	1
Total	1

*Start time for products with service guarantees will begin when mail arrives at the local Post Office™ and items receive individual processing and acceptance scans.

B. USPS Action

Note to RSS Clerk:

1. Home screen > Mailing/Shipping > More
2. Select Shipment Confirm
3. Scan or enter the barcode/label number from PS Form 5630
4. Confirm the volume count message by selecting Yes or No
5. Select Pay and End Visit to complete transaction

USPS EMPLOYEE: Please scan upon pickup or receipt of mail. Leave form with customer or in customer's mail receptacle.

USPS SCAN AT ACCEPTANCE



9275 0901 1935 6200 0065 6996 20



Kaycee/36561

EXHIBIT

C



UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE
 Name and Address of Sender
 MC ENF D MORENO
 TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE
 1601 CONGRESS AVENUE, SUITE 6 900
 AUSTIN TX 78701

RECEIVED
 OCT 30 2025
 TDI - ENFORCEMENT

Check type of mail or service

Adult Signature Required Priority Mail Express

Adult Signature Restricted Delivery Registered Mail

Certified Mail Return Receipt for Merchandise

Certified Mail Restricted Delivery Signature Confirmation

Collect on Delivery (COD) Signature Confirmation Restricted Delivery

Insured Mail Priority Mail

Addresssee (Name Street, City, State, & ZIP Code™)

USPS Tracking/Article Number
 1. 9214 8901 9403 8340 1749 20
 Kaycee/36561
 CLOVIS D COOPER, JR.
 NEWBRAUNFELS, TX 78130-4362

Affix Stamp Here
 (for additional copies of this receipt).
 Postmark with Date of Receipt.



First Mailing Book For Accountable Mail

Postage	(Extra Service) Fee	Handling Charge	Actual Value if Registered	Insured Value	Due Sender if COD	ASR Fee	RR Fee	RD Fee	RR Fee	SC Fee	SCRD Fee	SH Fee
1.03	5.30	Handling Charge - if Registered and over \$50,000 in value							2.82			
						Adult Signature Required						
						Adult Signature Restricted Delivery						
						Restricted Delivery						
						Return Receipt						
						Signature Confirmation						
						Signature Confirmation Restricted Delivery						
						Special Handling						



2025-9683

Total Number of Pieces Listed by Sender: 1
 Total Number of Pieces Received at Post Office: 1
 Postmaster, Per (Name of receiving employee):
 PS Form 3877, January 2017 (Page 1 of 1)
 PSN 7530-02-000-9098 JobId 6320921

Complete in Ink

Privacy Notice: For more information on USPS privacy policies, visit usps.com/privacypolicy.