

**BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI INSURANCE DEPARTMENT  
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI**

**IN RE: DARY STRICKLAND D/B/A STRICK'S MOBILE HOME**

**FINAL ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**

**THIS MATTER** came on for hearing before the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Mississippi (hereinafter "Commissioner"), by and through his specially designated appointee, the Hon. Brandon White (hereinafter "Hearing Officer"), in the Office of the Commissioner, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, Woolfolk State Office Building, 501 North West Street, Jackson, MS 39205, on Tuesday, September 17, 2013, at 09:30 a.m., pursuant to a Notice of Hearing and Statement of Charges brought against DARY STRICKLAND D/B/A STRICK'S MOBILE HOME ("Respondent") dated August 8, 2013. Respondent was present and participated in the hearing. The Commissioner, based on the evidence presented at the hearing, makes the following findings of fact and conclusions of law by clear and convincing evidence:

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

That during the period of time that Respondent held a Mississippi license to operate as a Manufactured Home Retailer/Installer, the Respondent has failed to act with trustworthiness, integrity and competency in transacting its business, and it would be in the best interest of the public that Respondent's application for license renewal be denied or its license revoked. Respondent's conduct supporting this conclusion includes, but is not limited to, the following conduct:

- (a) Respondent failed to competently perform a transportation and installation for Brian Ainsworth at 484 Gambrell Loop, Taylorsville, Mississippi. Respondent accepted money as compensation to remove an old Factory Built Home from the property and then transport and install a new Factory Built Home on the property, however, Respondent failed to complete either aspect of this task.

- (b) Respondent was paid by Eric Gammage to accomplish a Factory Built Home installation at 45 CR 277, Bay Springs, Mississippi, however, Respondent failed to competently perform the job and has left the home in an unacceptable condition.
- (c) Respondent was paid by Kakeia Gavin to accomplish a Factory Built Home (Double Wide) installation in Laurel, Mississippi, however, Respondent transported the home to the home site in approximately May 2013, but then simply left the home at the home site unassembled.
- (d) Respondent was paid by Takia Woullard to perform an installation of a Factory Built Home at 4881 Hwy. 49 South, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, however, Respondent has failed to competently perform and complete the said installation.
- (e) Respondent has repeatedly violated the provisions of Regulation MH-5, Section 205(K) by failing to provide the State Fire Marshal's Office with the required Installation Property Location form within the time allowed, and has otherwise failed to properly conduct its business in compliance with the laws and regulations of the State of Mississippi.

**ORDER**

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** as follows:

1. That the renewal application submitted by Respondent, Dary Strickland d/b/a Strick's Mobile Home, for Mississippi Installer/Transporter License No. 15021523 should be, and hereby is **DENIED**.

2. That Respondent, Dary Strickland d/b/a Strick's Mobile Home, is assessed an Administrative fine in the amount of \$500 pursuant to the provisions of Miss. Code §75-49-19 (Supp. 2012).

3. Respondent, Dary Strickland d/b/a Strick's Mobile Home, is directed to cease and refrain from engaging in the transportation or installation of a factory-built home intended to be used for human habitation, until such time in the future as he may obtain a license from the

Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Mississippi as required by § 75-49-9 of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended.


4. Respondent is directed to remove from display any signs or other advertisements which could mislead a consumer into believing he is still conducting business as an Installer/Transporter of Factory Built Homes.

Should the Respondent wish to appeal the Order of the Commissioner, he may follow the procedure set forth in Miss. Code Ann. §75-49-13 (Supp. 2012).

**SO ORDERED**, this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2013.

  
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MIKE CHANEY  
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

Submitted by:

  
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Brandon White  
Hearing Officer