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# BEFORE THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

### STATE OF NEVADA

SHARATH CHANDRA, Administrator, REAL ESTATE DIVISION, DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS & INDUSTRY, STATE OF NEVADA,

Petitioner,

VS.

MARSHALL CARRASCO, (B.1000579.INDV)

Respondent.

Case No. 2022-120

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**REAL ESTATE COMMISSION** 

# FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER

This matter came on for hearing before the Real Estate Commission, Department of Business and Industry, State of Nevada (the "Commission"), during a regular agenda set for a three-day stack commencing August 22, 2023 (the "Hearing"). RESPONDENT Marshall Carrasco ("RESPONDENT") did not appear in person, through counsel, or otherwise. Christal Park Keegan, Esq., Deputy Attorney General with the Nevada Attorney General's Office, appeared on behalf of the Real Estate Division of the Department of Business and Industry, State of Nevada (the "Division").

The Division's counsel advised the Commission that RESPONDENT was aware of his attendance at the hearing, and that his hearing was scheduled for the May 2-4, 2023 hearings, but the RESPONDENT requested a continuance, which the Commission granted. The Division sent the RESPONDENT Meeting Re-Notices no later than thirty (30) days prior to the August 22-24, 2023 hearings. The RESPONDENT asked for a second continuance, which the Commission denied. The RESPONDENT submitted his request for a second continuance again, which remained denied by the Commission.

Therefore, the Division proceeded with a default pursuant to NAC 645.860. The Division's Commission Coordinator testified regarding proper notice to the RESPONDENT. The Commission found proof of service of the Complaint and Notice of Hearing, Notice of Complaint and Obligation to Respond, and Notice of Documents with documents numbered NRED 000001 - 000454 was made.

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After hearing testimony presented in this matter and for good cause appearing, the Commission now enters its Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order against RESPONDENT as follows:

#### **JURISDICTION**

RESPONDENT, at all relevant times mentioned in this Complaint, was actively licensed as a Broker under license number B.1000579.INDV. RESPONDENT is, therefore, subject to the jurisdiction of the Division and the Commission, and the provisions of NRS chapter 645 and NAC chapter 645.

## FINDINGS OF FACT

At all times relevant to this Complaint, RESPONDENT was the broker for his agent, licensee Tyler Scott Richardson (S.0183650). NRED 000004, NRED 000014.

RESPONDENT failed to supervise his agent, Mr. Richardson, during periods of expired licensed status between January 31, 2021, to February 2, 2022. NRED 000040 – 000041, NRED 000031 – 000032, NRED 000004, NRED 000017 – 000030, NRED 000169 – 000171, NRED 000409 – 000420, NRED 000423 – 000426, NRED 000446, and NRED 000450 – 000452.

RESPONDENT'S agent represented buyers in the transaction for the purchase of real property located at 7115 Banbury Court, Reno, Nevada 89523 ("Property #1"). NRED 000025.

On June 22, 2021, the Property #1 sale closed. NRED 000418 - 000420.

On or about June 23, 2021, sales commissions for Property #1 were disbursed to RESPONDENT'S brokerage in the total amount of \$23,375.00. NRED 000420

At all times relevant to the Property #1 transaction, RESPONDENT'S agent did not hold a valid real estate license. NRED 000004.

RESPONDENT'S agent represented buyers in the transaction for the purchase of real property located at 135 Blair Place, Reno, Nevada 89509 ("Property #2"). NRED 000025.

On July 21, 2021, the Property #2 sale closed. NRED 000409 – 000410.

On or about July 22, 2021, sales commissions for Property #2 were disbursed to RESPONDENT'S brokerage in the total amount of \$21,747.50. NRED 000409.

At all times relevant to the Property #2 transaction, RESPONDENT'S agent did not hold a valid real estate license. NRED 000004.

RESPONDENT'S agent represented buyers in the transaction for the purchase of real property located at 5304 Bentgrass Drive, Stagecoach, Nevada 89429 ("Property #7"). NRED 000018.

On December 10, 2021, the Property #7 sale closed. NRED 000423 - 000424.

Sales commissions for Property #7 were disbursed to RESPONDENT'S brokerage in the total amount of \$27,775.00. NRED 000424.

At all times relevant to Property #7 transaction, RESPONDENT'S agent did not hold a valid real estate license. NRED 000004.

It was not until December 16, 2021, that RESPONDENT allegedly came to know that Mr. Richardson's real estate license had not been renewed. NRED 000429 - 000430.

Such knowledge is alleged to have come by and through RESPONDENT'S licensee, Brylle Ireland's (S.189837), "piqued" interest to check the renewal status of his coworkers. *NRED* 000425 - 000426.

Yet, RESPONDENT'S agent still made \$75,775.45 in sales commissions during his periods of expired license status from February 2021 to February 2022. NRED 000450 – 000452.

Even further, RESPONDENT admitted he paid his agent \$23,279.49 towards the seven (7) transactions in which his agent acted as a real estate salesperson without a valid license. *NRED* 000453.

Finally, on February 2, 2022, RESPONDENT'S real estate salesperson license was renewed.

\*\*NRED 000004.\*\*

In a certified mailed letter dated May 16, 2022, the Division notified the RESPONDENT that it had sufficient evidence to commence disciplinary action against him, and as such, now comes herewith.

\*NRED 000015, and NRED 000031-000034.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Whereas the Commission found that the Division proved by a preponderance of the evidence the foregoing findings of fact, and concludes by unanimous vote that the RESPONDENT committed the following violations of law, as presented in the Complaint:

 RESPONDENT violated NAC 645.600(1) for demonstrating lack of established policy, procedures and/or systems to responsibly supervise his licensees' activities.

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