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STATE OF OHIO DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Division of Financial Institutions Consumer Finance

In the matter of:)	Case No. M2009-921
TREVOR READ)	<u>DIVISION ORDER</u>
42 Carran Drive)	Refusal of Loan Officer Application
Lakeside, KY 41017)	&
)	Notice of Appellate Rights
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WHEREAS, the Ohio Department of Commerce, by and through the Superintendent of the Division of Financial Institutions ("Division"), is charged with the responsibility of administering and enforcing the Ohio Mortgage Broker Act, as codified in Ohio Revised Code ("R.C.") Chapter 1322, and finds that this Order is necessary and appropriate, in the interest of the public, and is consistent with the purposes of the Ohio Mortgage Broker Act; and

WHEREAS, Respondent held a loan officer license during the 2008 calendar year;

WHEREAS, on August 27, 2009 Respondent reapplied for a loan officer license and said application remains pending; and

WHEREAS, on December 23, 2009 the Division issued Respondent a Notice that informed him that the Division had conducted an investigation of Respondent and, as a result thereof, alleged that:

- 1. Respondent failed to comply with R.C. 1322.052 by not completing at least six hours of continuing education during the 2008 calendar year.
- 2. Because Respondent failed to comply with R.C.1322.052, the Division is authorized under R.C. 1322.10(A)(1)(a) to refuse to issue Respondent a loan officer license.

WHEREAS, the Notice informed Respondent of the Division's intent to refuse Respondent's 2009 loan officer license application and of the opportunity for a hearing regarding the denial if requested within thirty days from the mailing of the Notice. The Notice further cautioned Respondent that "[i]f the Ohio Division of Financial Institutions does not receive a written request for a hearing in its offices within thirty (30) days of the time of the mailing of this Notice, the Superintendent will issue an order denying the application for a loan officer license."

WHEREAS, service of the Notice on Respondent was perfected;

WHEREAS, Respondent failed to request a hearing by the statutory deadline and thereby failed to defend against the Division's allegations;

WHEREAS, the Division finds that the allegations contained in the Notice are true and that Respondent's loan officer license application should be refused;

Respondent Trevor Read's loan officer license application is hereby REFUSED.

NOTICE OF APPELLATE RIGHTS

Respondent is hereby notified that this Order may be appealed, pursuant to R.C. 119.12, by filing a notice of appeal with the Ohio Division of Financial Institutions, setting forth the Order appealed from and the grounds for the appeal. A copy of such notice of appeal must also be filed with the Franklin County (Ohio) Common Pleas Court. A notice of appeal must be filed within fifteen (15) days after the date of mailing of this Order.

Signed and sealed this 10th day of February, 2010.

LEIGH A. WILLIS

Deputy Superintendent for Consumer Finance Division of Financial Institutions Ohio Department of Commerce