

**STATE OF OREGON**  
**DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND BUSINESS SERVICES**  
**INSURANCE DIVISION**

In the Matter of **The Oregon Humane Society** . ) **STIPULATION** and  
 ) **FINAL ORDER**  
 ) Case No. INS 00-08-009  
 ) File No. 2421 IV

**STIPULATION**

The Director of the Department of Consumer and Business Services (Director) has commenced the above entitled administrative proceeding, pursuant to Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) 731.256(1), to take action against The Oregon Humane Society (OHS) for violating certain provisions of the Oregon Insurance Code.

OHS enters into this stipulation to conclude this proceeding without further administrative or judicial proceedings pursuant to ORS 183.415(5).

OHS waives the right to receive a notice of proposed action, notice of rights and notice of judicial review, to have a hearing and to be represented by an attorney at the hearing, and to judicial review of the final order.

OHS admits and agrees to the following:

**Facts**

**Licensing**

OHS is an Oregon nonprofit corporation. Sharon M. Harmon is the Executive Director of OHS. OHS's administrative office is located at 1067 NE Columbia Boulevard, Portland OR 97211 and its mailing address is PO Box 11364, Portland OR 97211. OHS has been licensed as an educational institution or nonprofit corporation paying annuities in Oregon since August 9, 1994. OHS's Insurance Division company number is 367.

**Failure to Timely File Financial Information**

OHS was required to file with the Oregon Insurance Division an annual statement on April 30, 2000. OHS filed it on July 21, 2000.

**Ultimate Facts**

OHS, an educational institution or nonprofit corporation, failed to file its annual statement by the due date.

## **Conclusions**

OHS violated ORS 731.720(2).

**Action**

OHS shall pay a civil penalty of \$500 pursuant to ORS 731.988 on or before the date of the Final Order.

Dated August 30, 2000.

/s/ Sharon M. Harmon  
Sharon M. Harmon  
Executive Director  
The Oregon Humane Society

**FINAL ORDER**

The Director adopts, and incorporates herein by this reference, the Facts, Ultimate Facts, Conclusions and Action in the above Stipulation as the Findings of Fact, Ultimate Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order, respectively, of this Final Order.

Dated September 7, 2000.

/s/ Mary C. Neidig  
Mary C. Neidig  
Director  
Department of Consumer and Business Services

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on September 7, 2000 I served the above Stipulation and Final Order by mailing a copy thereof in a sealed envelope, with first class postage prepaid, to the party named therein.

/s/ Mitchel D. Curzon  
Mitchel D. Curzon  
Administrative Law Specialist  
Insurance Division