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# DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND BUSINESS SERVICES DIVISION OF FINANCE AND CORPORATE SECURITIES ENFORCEMENT SECTION BEFORE THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND BUSINESS SERVICES

In the Matter of:

Morgan Financial, Inc.,

Respondent.

#### M-07-0016

ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST ORDER ASSESSING CIVIL PENALTIES

# And CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER

WHEREAS the Director of the Department of Consumer and Business Services for the State of Oregon (hereinafter "the Director") conducted an investigation of Morgan Financial, Inc. and determined that Morgan Financial, Inc. engaged in activities constituting violations of ORS 59.840 through 59.965 (hereinafter cited as the Oregon Mortgage Lender Law); and

WHEREAS Morgan Financial, Inc., wishes to resolve and settle this matter with the Director.

**NOW THEREFORE**, as evidenced by the authorized signature subscribed on this order, Morgan Financial, Inc. hereby **CONSENTS** to entry of this order upon the Director's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law as stated hereinafter:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

#### The Director FINDS that:

1. Morgan Financial, Inc. (hereinafter "Respondent"), an Oregon corporation formed on October 30, 1995, negotiates mortgage loans in expectation of compensation in Oregon and elsewhere. Respondent first obtained a license to engage in Oregon residential mortgage transactions on November 7, 1995 and has continuously maintained that license.

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2. Curtis Kimsey was convicted on July 13, 2001 of Driving Under the Influence of
intoxicants in violation of ORS 813.010(5), a class C felony, in Multnomah county case
number 000332822 based upon an incident occurring on February 8, 2000.

- 3. Curtis Kimsey was convicted on July 13, 2001 of Driving Under the influence of Intoxicants in violation of ORS 813.010(5), a class C felony, in Multnomah county case number 000937314 based upon an incident occurring on July 21, 2000.
- 4. On or about October 5, 2006, Respondent reported to the Director that it had hired Curtis Kimsey to originate loans for the company on October 4, 2006.
- 5. As of April 12, 2007, Respondent had not requested the Director issue a noaction letter confirming that the Director would not take action against Respondent for hiring a loan originator with a disqualifying conviction.

## **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

# The Director CONCLUDES that:

- 1. Conviction of a violation of ORS 813.010(5) is a felony, which is defined in ORS 161.525 as a crime punishable by a maximum term of Imprisonment in excess of one year.
- 2. Because Curtis Kimsey's felony convictions are crimes punishable by imprisonment in excess of one year, they are disqualifying convictions pursuant to OAR 441-880-0050(4)(a).
- 3. Respondent violated OAR 441-880-0050(6)(c) by hiring Curtis Kimsey as a loan originator when Curtis Kimsey has been convicted of disqualifying convictions without obtaining a no-action letter from the Director.

#### ORDER

The Director, pursuant to ORS 59.885(4) hereby **ORDERS** that Respondent will **CEASE AND DESIST** from violating any provision of Oregon Mortgage Lender Law, OAR 441-850-0005 through 441-885-0010 and any rule, order or policy issued by the

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ince and Corporate Securities tries Building et NE, Suite 410 Division, specifically including employing a person with disqualifying convictions as a loan originator unless Respondent has obtained a no-action letter from the Director.

The Director, pursuant to ORS 59.996 hereby **ORDERS** Respondent to pay the State of Oregon a civil penalty of \$5,000 for the violation of OAR 441-880-0050(6)(c).

The date of this order is the day the Director or Director's nominee signs the order. The entry of this Order in no way limits further remedies which may be available to the Director under Oregon law.

Dated this 28 day of June , 2007, at Salem, Oregon.

CORY STREISINGER, Director
Department of Consumer and Business Services

David Tatman, Administrator

Division of Finance and Corporate Securities

#### CORPORATE CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER

am authorized to act on its behalf; that I have read the foregoing Order and that I know and fully understand the contents hereof; that I and this entity have been advised of the right to a hearing and of the right to be represented by counsel in this matter; that Respondent voluntarily and without any force or duress, consents to the entry of this Order, expressly waiving any right to a hearing in this matter; that Respondent understands that the Director reserves the right to take further actions to enforce this Order or to take appropriate action upon discovery of other violations of the Oregon Mortgage Lender Law; and that Respondent will fully comply with the terms and conditions stated herein.

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	1	Respondent further assures the Director that neither Respondent, nor its omcers,	
	2	directors, employees or agents will effect mortgage transactions in Oregon unless such	
	3	activities are in full compliance with Chapter 59 of the Oregon Revised Statutes.	
	4	Respondent understands that this Consent Order is a public document.	
	5	Dated this 1st day of June, 2007.	
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	7	By (Signature of officer)	
	8	President	
	9	(Office Held)	
	10	CORPORATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT	
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	13	Morgan Smith, who was first duly sworn on oath, and stated that	
	14	(s)he was and is President of Respondent and that (s)he is authorized and	
ridies	15	empowered to sign this Consent to Entry of Order on behalf of Respondent, and to bind	
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