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this matter and time to do so has expired.

NOW THEREFORE, after consideration of the file of the Division of Finance and Corporate Securities and accompanying exhibits, including any submitted by Respondents, the Director hereby issues the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Final Order.

I.

FINDINGS OF FACT

The Director FINDS that:

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- 1. David Richard Lies ("Lies") is a resident of Ashland, Oregon who is believed to do business under the name, or as the principal and/or managing member of, Home Rescue Financial Services, LLC ("HRFS").
- 2. At all relevant times herein, Lies was not licensed in Oregon with the Director as a debt management service provider or licensed with the Director as a mortgage broker, mortgage banker or mortgage loan originator.
- 3. Home Rescue Financial Services, LLC is an assumed business name used by Lies or is a business organization whose form and legal status is unknown but is or was a corporation, a limited liability company, or a partnership claiming to be operating from 184 Van Ness Avenue, Ashland, Oregon 97520. This business name is not filed in the business registry records of the Oregon Secretary of State.
- HRFS holds itself out to provide debt management services and/or modification of real property loans. At all relevant times herein, HRFS was not licensed in Oregon with the Director as a debt management service provider or licensed with the Director as a mortgage broker or mortgage banker.
- At all times relevant to this matter, the individual identified herein as "DLS" was a resident of the State of Oregon.
- 6. On or before April 1, 2010, DLS viewed an advertisement for HRFS on the real estate investor website www.realestateguysradio.com. The advertisement represented that HRFS was Page 2 of 8 – FINAL ORDER ENTERED BY DEFAULT/David Richard Lies, et al. (DM-10-0052)

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competent and authorized to perform real estate loan modifications for Oregon consumers. The
advertisement did not disclose the fact that HRFS was not registered to engage in the business of
debt management service in Oregon.

- On or about April 1, 2010, DLS spoke with Lies by telephone. Lies represented that he and HRFS would be able to stop the foreclosure of the loan on her rental property located in Fort Worth, Texas, which was scheduled for April 6, 2010.
- 8. DLS signed an agreement with Lies and HRFS. The agreement failed to describe in precise terms the debt management services that Lies and HRFS would perform. In signing the agreement, DLS purported to authorize Lies and HRFS to hire attorneys and "others deemed necessary to work on the case[.]" The agreement also indicated that DLS would be responsible for undefined "out of pocket" expenses. The agreement did not include an itemization of the fees that would be charged by HRFS and how those fees were calculated. The agreement also did not include an analysis of DLS's budget or an analysis explaining how the work to be performed by Lies and HRFS would be advantageous to DLS.
- 9. DLS paid \$1,500 in cash to HRFS for assistance in stopping the foreclosure of the loan on her rental property and to work with the lender to obtain a modification of the loan. In paying the money in advance, Lies told DLS that HRFS would go to work immediately to halt the foreclosure of the loan. HRFS failed to perform under the agreement.
- 10. On April 9, 2010, DLS requested that HRFS refund her money. In response, Lies wrote via e-mail to DLS on May 3, 2010 that she was to receive a "termination packet" and that the \$1,500 would be refunded to her. As of the date of this Order, DLS has not received a refund from Lies or HRFS.

II.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Director CONCLUDES that:

11. Lies was not licensed in Oregon with the Director as a debt management service Page 3 of 8 – FINAL ORDER ENTERED BY DEFAULT/David Richard Lies, et al. (DM-10-0052)

provider pursuant to ORS chapter 697.

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- 12. HRFS was not licensed in Oregon with the Director as a debt management service provider pursuant to ORS chapter 697.
- 13. Lies was not licensed with the Director as a mortgage broker, mortgage banker or mortgage loan originator pursuant to the Oregon Mortgage Lender Law, ORS 86A.095 to 86A.198.
- 14. HRFS was not licensed with the Director as a mortgage broker or mortgage banker pursuant to the Oregon Mortgage Lender Law, ORS 86A.095 to 86A.198.
- 15. Lies and HRFS violated ORS 697.612(1)(b)(A) by engaging in the business of debt management service by receiving money or other valuable consideration, or expecting to receive money or other valuable consideration, for soliciting or receiving an application from a consumer for a debt management service when not registered with the Director pursuant to ORS chapter 697.
- 16. In the alternative to Paragraph 15 above, Lies and HRFS violated ORS 697.612(1)(a) by performing a debt management service without being registered as a debt management service provider with the Director pursuant to ORS chapter 697.
- 17. In the alternative to Paragraphs 15 and 16 above, Lies and HRFS violated ORS 86A.103 by engaging in residential mortgage transactions in this state as a mortgage banker or mortgage broker without being licensed under ORS 86A.095 to 86A.198.
- 18. In the alternative to Paragraph 15 and 16 above, Lies violated ORS 86A.203 by engaging in business as a mortgage loan originator without obtaining and maintaining a mortgage loan originator's license under ORS 86A.218.
- 19. Lies and HRFS violated ORS 697.652(1)(d) by failing to provide an Oregon debt management service consumer with an agreement that described in precise terms the debt management services that Lies and HRFS would perform, an itemization of the fees that would be charged, and how those fees would be calculated.

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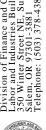
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20.	Lies and HRFS violated ORS 697.652(2) and ORS 697.662(4) by failing to provide
an Orego	on consumer with an analysis that explained how the debt management services that Lie
and HRF	S were to perform would be advantageous to the consumer.

- 21. Lies and HRFS violated ORS 697.662(2) by representing to an Oregon consumer that Lies and HRFS were authorized or competent to perform a debt management service without being actually authorized to perform debt management service under ORS chapter 697.
- 22. Lies and HRFS violated ORS 697.662(12)(d)(E) by publishing, distributing or broadcasting or causing to be published, distributed or broadcast an advertisement, presentation or other communication or promotional material that misrepresented, directly or indirectly, Lies' and HRFS's qualifications, training or experience or the qualifications, training or experience of HRFS's employee's, agents or affiliates.
- 23. Lies and HRFS violated ORS 697.692(1)(a) by charging an Oregon consumer an initial fee of more than \$50.

III.

ORDERS

NOW, THEREFORE, THE DIRECTOR ISSUES THE FOLLOWING ORDERS:

Cease and Desist Order

Pursuant to the authority of ORS 697.825(1)(a) and 86A.127(4), the Director hereby 24. ORDERS David Richard Lies and Home Rescue Financial Services, LLC to CEASE AND DESIST from violating any provision of the Oregon statutes regulating debt management service providers, ORS chapter 697, and any provisions of the Oregon Mortgage Lender Law, ORS 86A.095 to 86A.198, OAR 441-910-0000 through 441-910-0200, OAR 441-850-0005 to OAR 441-885-0010, and any rule, order, or policy issued by the Director under ORS chapters 697 or 86A.

Order Assessing Civil Penalty

25. Pursuant to the authority of ORS 697.832 and 86A.992, the Director may assess a Page 5 of 8 – FINAL ORDER ENTERED BY DEFAULT/David Richard Lies, et al. (DM-10-0052)

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CIVIL PENALTY in an amount determined by the Director of not more than \$5,000 per violation against any person who violates ORS 697.612 or ORS 697.642 to 697.702, ORS 86A.095 to 86A.198, rules adopted pursuant to ORS 697.632 or ORS chapter 86A, or any order issued under ORS 697.825.

- 26. Pursuant to ORS 697.832 and ORS 86A.992, the Director hereby ORDERS David Richard Lies and Home Rescue Financial Services, LLC ("HRFS"), jointly and severally, to pay a CIVIL PENALTY in the amount of \$30,000 (thirty thousand dollars) as follows:
- Α. A CIVIL PENALTY of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) for violation of the registration provisions of ORS 697.612, either in violation of ORS 697.612(1)(b)(A) by receiving money or other valuable consideration for soliciting or receiving an application from an Oregon consumer for a debt management service without being registered with the Director to conduct such a business pursuant to ORS chapter 697; or in violation of ORS 697.612(1)(a) by engaging in the business of performing debt management service without being registered with the Director pursuant to ORS chapter 697;
- В. In the alternative to subsection A above, a CIVIL PENALTY of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) for violation of ORS 86A.103 and 86A.203 by engaging in residential mortgage transactions in this state as a mortgage banker or mortgage broker without being licensed under ORS 86A.095 to 86A.198; and/or engaging in business as a mortgage loan originator without obtaining and maintaining a mortgage loan originator's license under ORS 86A.218.
- C. A CIVIL PENALTY of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) for violation of ORS 697.652(1)(d) for failing to provide an Oregon debt management service consumer with an agreement that described in precise terms the debt management services that HRFS would perform, an itemization of the fees that would be charged, and how those fees would be calculated;
- D. A CIVIL PENALTY of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) for violation of ORS Page 6 of 8 – FINAL ORDER ENTERED BY DEFAULT/David Richard Lies, et al. (DM-10-0052)

1	697.652(2) and 697.662(4) for offering to perform a debt management service without
2	evaluating, as part of the budget analysis performed pursuant to ORS 697.652(2), whether the
3	debt management service to be performed by HRFS was advantageous to the Oregon consumer;
4	E. A CIVIL PENALTY of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) for violation of ORS
5	697.662(2) for representing to an Oregon consumer that HRFS was authorized or competent to
6	perform a debt management service when not registered to with the Director to engage in such a
7	business;
8	F. A CIVIL PENALTY of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) for violating ORS
9	697.662(12)(d)(E) by publishing, distributing or broadcasting or causing to be published,
10	distributed or broadcast an advertisement, presentation or other communication or promotional
11	material that misrepresented, directly or indirectly, Lies' and HRFS's qualifications, training or
12	experience or the qualifications, training or experience of HRFS's employee's, agents or
13	affiliates; and
14	G. A CIVIL PENALTY of \$5,000 (five thousand dollars) for violation of ORS
15	697.692(1)(a) by charging an Oregon consumer an initial fee of more than \$50 for a debt
16	management service.
17	27. The entry of this Order in no way limits further remedies which may be available to
18	the Director under Oregon law.
19	IT IS SO ORDERED.
20	Dated this <u>22nd</u> day of <u>December</u> , 2010 at Salem, Oregon, NUNC
21	PRO TUNC November 16, 2010.
22	CORY STREISINGER, Director
23	Department of Consumer and Business Services
24	/s/ David Tatman
25	David C. Tatman, Administrator Division of Finance and Corporate Securities
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NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL