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STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
DEPARTMENT OF  
CONSUMER CREDIT

BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATOR OF CONSUMER CREDIT  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA *ex rel.* )  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER CREDIT,) )  
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Petitioner )  
 )  
v. )  
 )  
DON THORNTON IMPORTS, LLC, )  
D/B/A AUDI TULSA, )  
 )  
Respondent )

Case No. 16-0274-DIS

CONSENT ORDER

Petitioner, State of Oklahoma *ex rel.* Department of Consumer Credit ("Petitioner") and Respondent, Don Thornton Imports, LLC d/b/a Audi Tulsa, ("Respondent") voluntarily enter into this Consent Order as an informal disposition of this individual proceeding to avoid litigation. Respondent agrees to waive its right to a hearing under the Oklahoma Administrative Procedures Act and both parties agree as follows:

(1) Petitioner restates and incorporates by reference the allegations made by Petitioner in the Notice of Hearing filed in this matter.

- a. Respondent is a domestic limited liability company under the State of Oklahoma, Oklahoma Secretary of State filing number 3512261703, active filing status. Registered Agent is listed as Vaden F. Bales, 320 S. Boston Ave., Ste. 200, Tulsa, OK 74103.
- b. Respondent's tradename according to the Oklahoma Secretary of State is listed as Audi Tulsa, active status.
- c. Respondent transacts business at 4208 S. Memorial Drive, Tulsa, OK 74145.
- d. On November 21, 2016, Jimmie Ray and Michael Thompson, consumer credit examiners, entered Respondent's business premises and spoke to Larry Atchley, Facilities and Compliance Officer.

- e. The examiners asked Mr. Atchley if Respondent offered financing to customers. Mr. Atchley stated the finance department handles all the financing paperwork for the customers. He stated the customers sign a retail dealer contract, and the contract is assigned to a lender. Upon request, Mr. Atchley showed the examiners a copy of a completed retail contract that listed customer signatures and financing terms. The contract listed Audi Tulsa as the seller. The examiners took photos of the contract and the business card of Mr. Atchley and Stephen Hargraves, Finance Manager.
- f. A review of Respondent's website showed that customers can complete financing applications online.
- g. The copy of the Retail Installment Sale Contract with purchaser information redacted lists the purchase of a 2016 Audi A3. The Seller is listed as Audi Tulsa with the business address listed. The terms of the contract are 66 monthly payments in the amount of \$393.91 with the first payment scheduled on December 28, 2016. Total sales price of the vehicle is \$31,998.06. An annual percentage rate of 2.90% is listed on the sale contract.
- h. Respondent is not a supervised financial organization or a person holding a license to make supervised loans issued under 14A O.S. § 3-501 et seq.
- i. As of December 22, 2016, Respondent is licensed in the State of Oklahoma pursuant to the provisions of 14A O.S. §§ 6-201 through 6-203 of the UCCC. The notification filing license application was received on December 16, 2016.
- j. Respondent did not file notification pursuant to the provisions of Section 6-201 of the UCCC, on or before January 31, 2016.

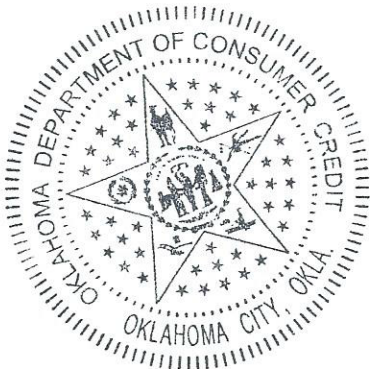
(2) Respondent does not admit to the allegations made by the Petitioner in the Notice of Hearing filed in this matter, and incorporated by reference in this Consent Order.

(3) Respondent agrees to pay a \$400.00 civil penalty, payable to the Oklahoma Department of Consumer Credit, on or before May 13, 2017.

(4) The payment shall be made payable by check or money order to the Oklahoma Department of Consumer Credit, shall indicate the payment is for Case Number 16-0274-DIS and shall be addressed to the attention of J. Steven Coates, General Counsel, Department of Consumer Credit, 3613 N.W. 56<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 240, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112.

(5) A file stamped copy of this Consent Order will be returned to Respondent upon signature of the Administrator of the Department of Consumer Credit or the Deputy Administrator of the Department Consumer Credit.

(6) If Respondent fails to comply with the terms of this Consent Order, the Administrator of the Department of Consumer Credit is authorized to file an application to enforce this Consent Order in the District Court of Oklahoma County, Oklahoma in accordance with the provisions of 14 O.S. § 6-113(4).



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Scott Leshner  
Administrator  
State of Oklahoma  
Department of Consumer Credit

Dated: 5/4/17

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Don Thornton Imports, LLC  
d/b/a Audi Tulsa

Dated: 4-21-2017

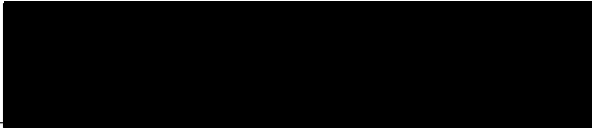
VERIFICATION OF CONSENT ORDER, CASE NUMBER 16-0274-DIS

STATE OF OKLAHOMA )  
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COUNTY OF OKLAHOMA )

Signed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on April 21st,  
2017, by David Litzinger of Don Thornton Imports, LLC  
d/b/a Audi Tulsa.



Don Thornton Imports, LLC,  
d/b/a Audi Tulsa



(Seal, if any)

Notary Public

My commission expires:

2-17-2020

