#### STATE OF ILLINOIS

# DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

# **DIVISION OF BANKING**

IN THE MATTER OF	)	
	)	No. 2007-MBR-118-c
	)	
Advantage Mortgage Group, Inc.	)	
ATTN: Robert D. Block	)	
2190 Gladstone Court, Suite C	)	
Glendale Heights, IL 60139	)	

## **ORDER REVOKING LICENSE**

The DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION, Division of Banking (the "Department"), having conducted a review of activities conducted by **Advantage Mortgage Group, Inc.**, (the "Licensee") and having documented violations of the Residential Mortgage License Act of 1987 (the "Act") [205 ILCS 635] and the rules promulgated under the Act (the "Rules") [38 Ill. Adm. Code 1050], hereby issues this ORDER pursuant to the authority provided under Section 4-5(h)(1) of the Act. The Department makes the following:

## **FINDINGS**

- 1. That Advantage Mortgage Group, Inc. is an Illinois residential mortgage licensee holding license number MB.6759764 (the "License"), and located at 2190 Gladstone Court, Suite C, Glendale Heights, Illinois 60139;
- 2. That Licensee has failed to perform one or more of the requirements of the Act and Rules described below:
  - a. Failure of Licensee to maintain Surety Bond and Fidelity Bond (205 ILCS 635/3-1 and 38 Ill. Adm. Code 1050.490);
  - b. Failure of Licensee to notify the Department of an address change (38 Ill. Adm. Code 1050.480); and
  - c. Failure of Licensee to pay a fine (205 ILCS 635/4-5(i)(13)
- 3. That the Department made efforts as described below to advise Licensee of these unfulfilled requirements so that Licensee can comply with the Act and Rules:
  - a. That on June 19, 2007, the Department sent to Licensee via U.S. first-class mail service and certified mail, a letter advising Licensee that the surety bond and fidelity bond on file with the Department had expired on May 1, 2007 and February 20, 2007, respectively;

b. That a Potential Disciplinary Letter was sent to Licensee on August 9, 2007 via U.S. first-class mail service and certified mail:

c. That said letter was returned to the Department on August 16, 2007 by the U.S. Postal

Service as undeliverable;

d. That on September 28, 2007, the Department issued Orders No. 2007-MBR-118 &

118-b suspending the license and assessing a \$5,000 fine to Licensee; and

e. That Licensee, has not paid its fine, submitted a current surety bond and fidelity bond,

nor responded to the Department's correspondence.

**CONCLUSIONS** 

BASED UPON THE ABOVE FINDINGS, THE DEPARTMENT IS OF THE OPINION AND

**CONCLUDES:** 

That notwithstanding notices and other efforts by the Department, Licensee failed to 1. provide current bonds and change of address, or pay its fine in violation of Sections 3-1

and 4-5(i)(13) of the Act and Sections 1050.480 and 1050.490 of the Rules, and in further

violation of Section 4-5(i)(11) and (17) of the Act.

**ORDER** 

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the license of Advantage Mortgage Group,

Inc., License No. MB.6759764 is revoked by Order of the Department pursuant to Section 4-5(h)(1) of

the Act for failure to comply with the provisions cited herein of the Act and rules, effective ten days

after receipt of this Order, unless you request a hearing pursuant to the Act and Subpart N of the Rules,

including remitting the hearing fee required by Section 1050.210 of the Rules.

ORDERED THIS  $4^{TH}$  DAY OF APRIL, 2008

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL AND PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

DEAN MARTINEZ, SECRETARY

DIVISION OF BANKING

JORGE A. SOLIS, DIRECTOR

REYNOLD M. BENJAMIN

Assistant Director, Division of Banking

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You are hereby notified that this Order is an administrative decision. Pursuant to 205 ILCS 635/4-12 and 38 Ill. Adm. Code, 1050.1510 et seq. any party may file a request for a hearing on an administrative decision. The request for a hearing shall be filed within 10 days after the receipt of an administrative decision and, if so requested, a hearing shall be held on the administrative decision, by the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation, Division of Banking. Absent a request for a hearing, this Order shall constitute a final administrative Order subject to the Administrative Review Law [735 ILCS 5/3-101 et seq.].