COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY PUBLIC PROTECTION CABINET DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AGENCY CASE NO. 2014-AH-0129



DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

**COMPLAINANT** 

VS.

QC FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC D/B/A QUIK CASH

RESPONDENT

## **AGREED ORDER**

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- 1. The Department of Financial Institutions ("DFI") is responsible for regulating and licensing entities engaged in the business of cashing checks and accepting deferred deposit transactions in accordance with the provisions set forth in KRS Chapter 286.9.
- 2. QC Financial Services, Inc. d/b/a Quik Cash ("Respondent") is authorized to do business in Kentucky as a check casher pursuant to KRS Chapter 286.9, with an office located at 2101 Hikes Lane, Louisville, KY 40218. The Louisville office license number is 238-7.
- 3. DFI conducted a routine examination of Respondent on June 24, 2014. During the examination, DFI discovered that Respondent improperly closed a customer's loan in the Veritec database. When the loan was reopened, it was discovered the customer had aggregate amounts exceeding the limits allowed under KRS Chapter 286.9, in violation of KRS 286.9-140(1). It was also discovered that Respondent failed to accurately enter customer information into the Veritec database allowing three customers to enter into deferred deposit transactions exceeding the limits allowed under KRS Chapter 286.9, in violation of KRS 286.9-140(1).

- 4. DFI possesses a range of administrative authority in addressing violations of the Act, including license revocation or denial, the imposition of fines in an amount up to \$5,000 per violation. See KRS 286.9-110; 286.9-991.
- 5. In this case, DFI assessed a fine against Respondent in the amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00) for violating KRS 286.9-140(1).
- 6. In the interest of economically and efficiently resolving the violation(s) described herein, DFI and Respondent agree as follows:
  - a. Respondent agrees to a fine assessment in the amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000.00) for the violation(s) described herein;
  - b. Respondent agrees to and shall pay the total fine assessed herein of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000), which shall be due upon entry of the Agreed Order. The payment shall be in the form of a certified check or money order made payable to "Kentucky State Treasurer" and mailed to the Department of Financial Institutions, Attn: Non-Depository Division, 1025 Capital Center Drive, Suite 200, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601;
  - c. Respondent shall devote the time and resources necessary to ensure continual and full compliance with all statutory requirements set forth in KRS Chapter 286.9.
- 7. Respondent waives its right to demand a hearing at which it would be entitled to legal representation, to confront and cross examine witnesses, and to present evidence on its own behalf, or to otherwise appeal or set aside this Order.
- 8. Respondent consents to and acknowledges the jurisdiction of DFI over this matter and that this Agreed Order is a matter of public record and may be disseminated as such.

- 9. In consideration of execution of this Agreed Order, Respondent for itself, and for its successors and assigns, hereby releases and forever discharges the Commonwealth of Kentucky, DFI, Office of Legal Services, and each of their members, agents, and employees in their individual capacities, from any and all manner of actions, causes of action, suits, debts, judgments, executions, claims and demands whatsoever, known and unknown, in law or equity, that Respondent ever had, now has, may have or claim to have against any or all of the persons or entities named in this paragraph arising out of or by reason of this investigation, this disciplinary action, this settlement or its administration.
- 10. By signing below, the parties acknowledge they have read the foregoing Agreed Order, know and fully understand its contents, and that they are authorized to enter into and execute this Agreed Order and legally bind their respective parties.

П. This Agreed Order shall constitute the Final Order in this matter.

IT IS SO ORDERED on this the 33 day of October, 2014.

OMMISSIONER

Consented to:	· V 0+1
This Inth day of October, 2014.	This 6 day of October, 2014.
Tammy Scruggs, Director Division of Non-Depository Institutions Department of Financial Institutions	Authorized Representative QC Financial Services, Inc. d/b/a Quik Cash
<u>ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</u>	
STATE OF Kansas ) COUNTY OF Johnson )	
On this the day of October, 2014, before me Dawn Bury, the undersigned, Deug Nickerson, did personally appear and acknowledge himself/herself to be the authorized representative of QC Financial Services, Inc. d/b/a Quik Cash. and that he/she, being authorized to do so, entered into and executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained.	
In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand.	
My Commission Expires: 1/21/17	
	Notary Public
	DAWN BURY Notary Public, State of Kansas My Appointment Expires November 21, 2017

## **Certificate of Service**

of hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Agreed Order was sent on this the adday of the certified mail, return receipt requested, to the following:

Dawn Bury QC Financial Services, Inc. d/b/a Quik Cash 9401 Indian Creek Parkway, Suite 1500 Overland Park, KS 66210

And by Hand-Delivery to:

Katherine W. Ross 1025 Capital Center Drive, Suite 200 Frankfort, KY 40601 Counsel for Department of Financial Institutions

Christina Hayden

Department of Financial Institutions