

STATE OF MAINE  
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL AND FINANCIAL REGULATION  
BUREAU OF INSURANCE

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*In re:* James Walker

National Producer No. 20831711  
Docket No. INS-24-209

LICENSE DENIAL  
NOTICE, ORDER,  
and  
OPPORTUNITY FOR  
HEARING

Effective as of **August 28, 2024**, your Maine nonresident adjuster application will be **DENIED** without further formal proceedings unless you request a hearing as specified below. The reasons for your license denial are as follows:

1. On February 12, 2021, you were convicted of theft; obtaining or exerting unauthorized control over property/services, a misdemeanor, in the Municipal Court of the City of Hutchinson, Kansas under Case Number C198792, 2021-2511, 21MC00297.
2. On January 3, 2024 you applied to the Maine Bureau of Insurance for a nonresident insurance adjuster license.
3. The criminal conviction described in Paragraph 1 represents grounds for the denial of your Maine nonresident adjuster license pursuant to 24-A M.R.S. §§ 1420-K(1)(F); 1424-A(1)(B) as it has not been demonstrated that you have been sufficiently rehabilitated to warrant the public trust.

Therefore, based upon the above grounds, your application for a nonresident adjuster license is denied as of **August 28, 2024**, pursuant to 24-A M.R.S. §§ 1417(1) and 1420-K, subject to your right to request a hearing. Under the Maine Insurance Code, specifically 24-A M.R.S. § 1417(1) and § 1420-K, you have the right to a hearing before the Superintendent or his designee to appeal this action. If you request a hearing, you will have the right to present evidence and arguments in your defense.

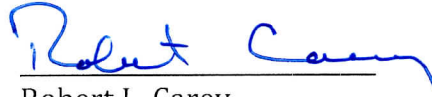
**If you request a hearing, you will receive further communication regarding scheduling. The matters to be determined through the hearing process are whether you committed one or more of the violations listed above, and if so, whether grounds exist to deny your Maine license application.**

To request a hearing, you must notify the Bureau of Insurance in writing no later than **August 28, 2024**. If you do not file a written request for a hearing within 30 days from the time you knew or reasonably should have known of this act through this Notice and Order, you will lose your right to request a hearing on this matter. Pursuant to 24-A M.R.S. § 213(3), this Notice from the Superintendent to you shall be deemed to have been given when deposited in a mail depository of the United States Post Office.

Any request for a hearing, as well as all other communications regarding this Notice, Order, and Opportunity for Hearing must be addressed to Bureau Licensing Attorney Hank

Fenton, Bureau of Insurance, #34 State House Station, Augusta, Maine 04333-0034 (for US Postal Service deliveries) or 76 Northern Avenue, Gardiner, Maine 04345 (for private carrier deliveries, such as FedEx or UPS). You may also reach Mr. Fenton by e-mail at [hancock.g.fenton@maine.gov](mailto:hancock.g.fenton@maine.gov) or by telephone at (207) 624-8436.

July 29, 2024



Robert L. Carey  
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