



## DIVISION OF INSURANCE FRAUD INVESTIGATION Kentucky Department of Insurance 500 Mero St, P. O. Box 4050, Frankfort, KY 40604-4050 Phone 502-564-1461 – FAX 502-564-1464 *Fraud Statistics/Convictions Activity March 2024*

Fraud Statistics		<u>Month/March</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Total Referrals Received		181	598
Closed Referrals		158	549
Open Cases (Investigations – includes prior years) Assigned Cases (Investigations)		10	178 44
Closed Cases (Investigations) Closed Cases (Investigations) Exceptionally		14	32
Cleared – Declined by Prosecutor		1	5
Charges (4 felony, 0 misdemeanor) Convictions (5 felony, 2 misdemeanor)		4 7	16 21
Restitution Ordered	\$	4,517,330.03	11,595,277.5 0
Restitution Agreed Restitution Total	\$ \$	.00 4,517,330.03	132,158.36 11,727,435.8 6
Investigation Expenses to Division			
Awarded Collected	\$ \$	6,789.30 3,488.30	25,150.60 6,204.09
DOI Fines	\$	.00	.00
Administrative Subpoenas Issued Non-Licensed Individuals Licensed (active/inactive individuals)			1 1
Subpoenas Received		1	5
Compliance Received		314	794
Anti-Fraud Plan		54	229
SIU Contacts Form		137	407
Compliance Report		52	158

## **Convictions Activity**

<u>Shain, Wavy Curtis</u> – Mr. Shain pleaded guilty of two felony counts in the United States District Court, Western District of Kentucky, Louisville Division. He was committed to the custody of the Federal Bureau of Prisons for a total term of 9 years 2 months. He agreed to pay restitution to the following:

- PS Funding, \$3,844,690.00
- Lima One Capital, \$180,00.00
- US Treasure, \$431,065.00

His total in restitution; \$4,455,755.00.

<u>McEntire, Valerie</u> – Ms. McEntire pleaded guilty to one felony count with the Kenton Circuit Court Fourth Division and was granted a Pretrial Diversion (Probation) for 4 years. She must pay restitution in the amount of \$58,730.03 to American Family Life Insurance Company of Columbus (AFLAC) and \$6,789.30 to the Kentucky Department of Insurance for investigative expenses.

**Pond, Jonathan** – Mr. Pond was convicted of a misdemeanor, Fraudulent Insurance Acts – Under \$500 – 304.47-020(2). His 30 days jail time was suspended, and he will serve a 12-month unsupervised probation.

<u>Moore, Anthony W.</u> – Mr. Moore's felony charge was dismissed due to restitution and investigative expenses paid in full.

<u>**Tilford, Africa T.**</u> – Ms. Tilford's felony charge was dismissed due to restitution and investigative expenses paid in full.

<u>Goodnight, Darren J.</u> – Mr. Goodnight's felony charge was dismissed due to restitution and investigative expenses paid in full.

<u>Mann, Chasity Michelle</u> – Ms. Mann plead guilty to 2 felony counts. She was granted a Pretrial Diversion on both counts and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$625.00, to the victim, by February 26, 2024.