



Order of Cancellation

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5. That on or about July 2003, the Department sent a letter to the Respondent's address requesting the Respondent to pay the branch office fee and to pay a \$50.00 late filing fee.
6. That as of today, the Respondent has neither paid the branch office fee, nor the late filing fee.
7. That Department employees telephoned Respondent at the phone number listed in the CRD; the Respondent is not available at this number.
8. That Section 8.E(2) of the Act provides, inter alia, that if the Secretary of State finds that any registrant or applicant for registration is no longer in business as a dealer or cannot be located after reasonable search, the Secretary of State may by order cancel the registration or application.
9. That the Department has determined that the Respondent has ceased to do business as a dealer in the State of Illinois.
10. That it is in the public interest to enter an order which cancels the dealer registration of the Respondent in the State of Illinois.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

That the dealer registration of the Respondent, William E. Hopkins & Associates, Inc., in the State of Illinois is hereby cancelled.

DATED: This 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 2003.



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