

Arkansas Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board

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**In the Matter of Bail Bond Financing, Inc.
and Andre Rucks**

Complaint #24-030

FINDING OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER

A hearing on the above-referenced matter was held before the Arkansas Professional Bail Bond Company and Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board (“Board”) on July 16, 2025. Respondent Bail Bond Financing, Inc. was represented by Ben Honaker and Respondent Andre Rucks was represented by David Cannon. The Board was represented by Deputy Attorney General Doralee Chandler and Senior Assistant Attorney General Michael Lewis. Testimony was taken from Scott Handford, Michael Galbraith, Michelle Starr, Nancy Oudin, Olivia Glosson, and Rhonda Wilson. Finding proper notice had been given Respondents, the Board, from all the evidence presented, makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. At all times pertinent hereto, Respondent Bail Bond Financing, Inc. held a professional bail bond business license issued by the Board.
2. At all times pertinent hereto, Respondent Andre Rucks held a professional bail bond license issued by the Board.
3. The Board received a complaint from Brad Parnell with First Arkansas Bail Bonds, Inc.

4. On May 31, 2024, Respondent Rucks executed as the attorney-in-fact on a bond in the amount of \$100,000 for Tommy Glosson.
5. A bond in the amount of \$100,000 would require the payment of a \$10,000 premium plus fees at the time the bond was issued, and Mr. Glosson was released.
6. Respondent Rucks accepted payment of \$8,500.00 as the premium for the \$100,000 bond at the time of Mr. Glosson's release in violation of Ark. Code Ann. § 17-19-301(2)(A) and (B).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Respondent Rucks violated Ark. Code Ann. § 17-19-301 (2)(A) and (B) as stated in Findings of Fact.
2. Respondent Bail Bond Financing, Inc. pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 17-19-210(c) violated Ark. Code Ann. § 17-19-301 (2)(A) and (B) as stated in Findings of Fact.

ORDER

1. Respondent Andre Rucks's license shall be assessed a penalty in the amount of \$10,000.00 and a ten (10) day suspension to initiate on August 1 and continue through August 10, 2025.
2. Respondent Bail Bond Financing, Inc. shall be assessed a penalty in the amount of \$2,500.00 for the company's acquiescence in the matter with payment due on or before July 21, 2025.

Pursuant to Arkansas Administrative Procedures Act, Ark. Code Ann. § 25-15-212, Respondents may petition for judicial review of this decision by filing a petition in the Circuit Court in the county in which he resides or does business or in the Circuit Court of Pulaski County within thirty (30) days after service of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED this _____ day of _____ 2025.

ARKANSAS PROFESSIONAL BAIL BOND COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL
BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD

Curt Clark, Chairman