Terms Completed

ORDER SUMMARY – Case Number: C-09-269

Name(s):	Access Cash Inc. d/b/a Payday Advance			
Order Number:	C-09-269-10-0	CO01		
Effective Date :	March 14, 201	1		
License Number: Or NMLS Identifier [U/L] License Effect:		, stayed, application denied or st specifically note the ending o		
Not Apply Until:				
Not Eligible Until:	n/a			
Prohibition/Ban Until:	n/a			
Investigation Costs	\$966	Due	Paid ⊠ Y □ N	Date
Fine	\$	Due	Paid Y N	Date
Assessment(s)	\$	Due	Paid N N	Date
Restitution	\$	Due	Paid N N	Date
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Respondents.

IN THE MATTER OF DETERMINING

and JILL M. ZACHER, Co-Owner,

Whether there has been a violation of the Check Cashers and Sellers Act of Washington by:

Licensee, and GARY W. ZACHER, Co-Owner,

ACCESS CASH INC. d/b/a PAYDAY ADVANCE,

Vice-President, Director and Chief Financial Officer,

NO. C-09-269-10-CO01

CONSENT ORDER AS TO ACCESS CASH INC. d/b/a PAYDAY ADVANCE RECEPTION

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DEPT. OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON

COMES NOW the Director of the Department of Financial Institutions (Director), through his designee Deborah Bortner, Division Director, Division of Consumer Services, and Access Cash Inc. d/b/a Payday Advance (Respondent), by and through its attorney, Jessica Jensen, and finding that the issues raised in the above-captioned matter may be economically and efficiently settled, agree to the entry of this Consent Order. This Consent Order is entered pursuant to chapter 31.45 of Revised Code of Washington (RCW), and RCW 34.05.060 of the Administrative Procedure Act, based on the following:

AGREEMENT AND ORDER

The Department of Financial Institutions, Division of Consumer Services (Department) and Respondent have agreed upon a basis for resolution of the matters alleged in Statement of Charges No. C-09-269-10-CO01 (Statement of Charges), entered April 27, 2010, (copy attached hereto). Pursuant to chapter 31.45 RCW, the Check Cashers and Sellers Act (Act) and RCW 34.05.060 of the Administrative Procedure Act, Respondent hereby agrees to the Department's entry of this Consent Order and further agrees that the issues raised in the above-captioned matter as it relates to Respondent may be economically and efficiently settled by entry of this Consent Order. The parties intend this Consent Order to fully resolve the Statement of Charges as it relates to Respondent and a successor entity, Access Cash Services, Inc., and agree that Respondent does not admit any wrongdoing by its entry. Respondent is agreeing not to contest the Statement of Charges in consideration of the terms of this Consent Order.

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CONSENT ORDER
C-09-269-10-CO01
ACCESS CASH INC. d/b/a PAYDAY ADVANCE

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS
Division of Consumer Services
PO Box 41200
Olympia, WA 98504-1200
(360) 902-8703

Based upon the foregoing:

- A. Jurisdiction. It is AGREED that the Department has jurisdiction over the subject matter of the activities discussed herein.
- B. Waiver of Hearing. It is AGREED that Respondent has been informed of the right to a hearing before an administrative law judge, and hereby waives its right to a hearing and any and all administrative and judicial review of the issues raised in this matter, or of the resolution reached herein. Accordingly, Respondent, by the signatures of its representative below, withdraws its appeal to the Office of Administrative Hearings.
- C. No Admission of Liability. The parties intend this Consent Order to fully resolve the Statement of Charges as it relates to the Respondent and agree that Respondent does not admit to any wrongdoing by its entry.
- **D.** Investigation Fee. It is AGREED that Respondent shall pay to the Department an investigation fee of \$966, in the form of a cashier's check made payable to the "Washington State Treasurer," upon entry of this Consent Order.
- E. Authority to Execute Order. It is AGREED that the undersigned have represented and warranted that they have the full power and right to execute this Consent Order on behalf of the parties represented.
- F. Non-Compliance with Order. It is AGREED that Respondent understands that failure to abide by the terms and conditions of this Consent Order may result in further legal action by the Director. In the event of such legal action, Respondent may be responsible to reimburse the Director for the cost incurred in pursuing such action, including but not limited to, attorney fees.
- G. Voluntarily Entered. It is AGREED that the undersigned Respondent has voluntarily entered into this Consent Order, which is effective when signed by the Director's designee.
- H. Completely Read, Understood, and Agreed. It is AGREED that Respondent has read this Consent Order in its entirety and fully understands and agrees to all of the same.

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	Access Cash Inc. d/b/a Payday Advance
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5	Hillary Joseph / Date
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STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS DIVISION OF CONSUMER SERVICES

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IN THE MATTER OF DETERMINING

Cashers and Sellers Act of Washington by:

Director and Chief Financial Officer, and

JILL M. ZACHER, Co-Owner,

Whether there has been a violation of the Check

ACCESS CASH INC. d/b/a PAYDAY ADVANCE,

GARY W. ZACHER, Co-Owner, Vice-President,

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NO. C-09-269-10-SC01

STATEMENT OF CHARGES and NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENTER AN ORDER TO BAN FROM INDUSTRY, IMPOSE FINE, ORDER RESTITUTION, AND COLLECT INVESTIGATION FEE

Respondents.

INTRODUCTION

Pursuant to RCW 31.45.110 and RCW 31.45.200, the Director of the Department of Financial Institutions of the State of Washington (Director) is responsible for the administration of chapter 31.45 RCW, the Check Cashers and Sellers Act (Act). After having conducted an investigation pursuant to RCW 31.45.100, and based upon the facts available as of the date of this Statement of Charges, the Director, through his designee, Division of Consumer Services Director Deborah Bortner, institutes this proceeding and finds as follows:

I. FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

1.1 Respondents.

A. Access Cash Inc. (Respondent Access) was licensed by the Department of Financial Institutions of the State of Washington (Department) to conduct business as a check casher with a small loan endorsement and a check seller on May 17, 2006, and has continued to be licensed to date. Respondent Access, at all times relevant to this Statement of Charges, was licensed to conduct the business of a check casher with a small loan endorsement and a check seller at 8765 Tallon Ln. N.E. Ste. K, Lacey, Washington and 5710 Ruddell Rd. S.E. Ste. 6, Lacey, Washington.

B.	Gary W. Zacher (Respondent G. Zacher) is a Co-Owner, Vice-President, Director and
Chief Financial	Officer of Respondent Access. Respondent G. Zacher handled the day-to-day operations at
the Ruddell Rd.	store.

- C. **Jill M. Zacher (Respondent J. Zacher)** is a co-owner of Respondent Access and handled the day-to-day operations at the Tallon Ln. store.
- 1.2 Rolling Over Loans and Excessive Fees. At least 40 borrowers rolled over hundreds of small loans without actually paying off the prior loan. Respondents allowed borrowers to renew their loans by paying a corresponding fee. For example, a borrower who took out a \$700 small loan with a \$95 fee, would return in two weeks when the loan was due, and rather than repay the entire loaned amount (\$795), the borrower would pay the \$95 fee and the loan would be extended another 2 weeks. Some of the borrowers paid this fee every two weeks over a period of years, paying thousands of dollars in fees when they only took out a single loan.

As a result of the rollover loans allowed by the Respondents, the Respondents charged, and the borrowers paid, fees that were in excess of that allowed by the Act and losses to borrowers are in excess of \$25,000.

Many of the borrowers who had been provided rollover loans from the Respondents were not informed they were entitled to enter a payment plan to pay off the loans over a period of time, even though they were eligible for a payment plan.

1.3 On-Going Investigation. The Department's investigation into the alleged violations of the Act by Respondents continues to date.

II. GROUNDS FOR ENTRY OF ORDER

2.1 Prohibited Acts. Based on the Factual Allegations set forth in Section I above, Respondents are in apparent violation of RCW 31.45.110(1)(b), (h), and (l) for violating the Act including its rules, for knowingly committing or being a party to any material fraud, misrepresentation, concealment, conspiracy, collusion, trick, scheme, or device whereby any other person relying upon the word, representation, or

V. AUTHORITY AND PROCEDURE

This Statement of Charges and Notice of Intention to Enter an Order to Ban from Industry, Impose Fine, Order Restitution, and Collect Investigation Fee (Statement of Charges) is entered pursuant to the provisions of RCW 31.45.110 and RCW 31.45.200, and is subject to the provisions of chapter 34.05 RCW (The Administrative Procedure Act). Respondents may make a written request for a hearing as set forth in the NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO DEFEND AND OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING accompanying this Statement of Charges.

Dated this 27th day of April, 2010.

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