

California Department of Insurance

Fraud Division

October 2020 Workers' Compensation Fraud Convictions

Effective January 01, 2005, Assembly Bill 2866 (Frommer) enacted Insurance Code Section 1871.9 requiring the posting of all workers' compensation fraud convictions to the CDI website.

Per section 1871.9, the department shall post all of the following information on its Internet Web site for each person, as defined in Section 19, convicted of a violation of this article (1871.4), Section 11760 or 11880, Section 3700.5 of the Labor Code or Section 487 or 550 of the Penal Code, if the violation involved workers' compensation insurance, services or benefits:

- The name, case number, county or court and other identifying information with respect to the case.
- The full name of the defendant.
- The city and county of the defendant's last known residence or business address.
- The date of conviction.
- A description of the offense.
- The amount of money alleged to have been defrauded.
- A description of the punishment imposed, including the length of any sentence of imprisonment and the amount of any fine imposed.

The information required to be posted under this section shall be maintained on the department Web site for a period of five years from the date of conviction or until the department is notified in writing by the person that the conviction has been reversed or expunged.

Note: If new documentation has been received that in any way affects the conviction information contained herein, please forward that documentation with an explanation to:

Bureau Chief, Workers' Compensation Program
2400 Del Paso Road, Suite 250
Sacramento, CA 95834

A determination to make any changes will be made within sixty (60) days of receipt of the information.

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CDI Case Number: 13JW022404

Court Case Number: 2014007059 F A

County: Ventura

Defendant: Jose Arias

City/County of Residence: Santa Maria / Santa Barbara

Conviction Date: 10/09/2020

Offense: 1 Count of IC 1871.4(a)(1) (Make or Cause to be Made a Knowingly False or Fraudulent Material Statement or Material Representation for the Purpose of Obtaining Compensation)

Amount Allegedly Defrauded: \$5,000

Sentence: 90 Days County Jail, 2 Years Formal Probation, \$5,000 Restitution to Meadowbrook Insurance. Restitution Fine \$300

CDI Case Number: 18AW003465

Court Case Number: CRF20-0000805

County: Sutter

Defendant: James Frank Arp, Jr.

City/County of Residence: Not available at this time

Conviction Date: 10/21/2020

Offense: 1 count PC 550(b)(1) (Failure to Disclose Material Information)

Amount Allegedly Defrauded: \$28,463

Sentence: 50 Hours Community Service, 36 Months Summary Probation, \$2,500 Criminal Fine
Restitution Fine: \$150

CDI Case Number: 18BW025331

Court Case Number: 01-190696-5

County: Contra Costa

Defendant: Matthew Robert Keilen

City/County of Residence: Pleasant Hill / Contra Costa

Conviction Date: 10/27/2020

Offense: LC 3700.5 (No Workers' Compensation Insurance)

Amount Allegedly Defrauded: To be determined

Sentence: 120 Hours Community Service, \$10,000 Criminal Fine