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On March 25, 2022, the California Department of Insurance will be adding a new non-uniform background question to our individual and business entity license applications and renewals. This question is based on sections [1688\(r\)](#) and [1668.5\(a\)\(9\)](#), which were added to the California Insurance Code and took effect on January 1, 2022.

Specifically, individuals, business entities, and business entity controlling persons who have been found liable by clear and convincing evidence in a civil action involving allegations of elder or dependent abuse, oppression, fraud, malice, misappropriation or conversion of funds, misrepresentation, or breach of fiduciary duty must disclose this action on their license application or license renewal.

The National Insurance Producer Registry announced this new non-uniform background question through their Industry Portal on February 16, 2022.

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