

**OFFICE OF THE MISSISSIPPI SECRETARY OF STATE
REGULATION AND ENFORCEMENT**

IN THE MATTER OF:)	ADMINISTRATIVE
GREENLAWN MEMORIAL PARK, LLC)	PROCEEDING NUMBER:
106 MORGANTOWN ROAD)	
NATCHEZ, MS 39120)	LPR-17-2346
)	
<i>Respondent</i>)	

CONSENT ORDER

I. Jurisdiction

Finding it appropriate and in the public interest, the Regulation and Enforcement Division of the Office of the Secretary of State of Mississippi (“Division”), on behalf of the Secretary of State, having the power to administer and provide for the Mississippi Preneed Cemetery and Funeral Registration Act, Mississippi Code Annotated Sections 75-63-51 to 75-63-75 (“Act”), and Respondent do hereby enter into this Consent Order (“Order”). This Order is entered into by the Division and the Respondent in lieu of the issuance of formal charges by the Division alleging a violation of the Act.

II. Agreement

In consideration of a final resolution of the matters set forth herein, the Division and Respondent hereby agree, stipulate, and undertake as follows:

1. Respondent admits the jurisdiction of the Division as to all parties and matters herein under the authority of the Act.
2. Greenlawn Memorial Park, Inc. (“Greenlawn”) is a preneed provider that is not registered with the Mississippi Secretary of State’s Office.
3. Respondent hereby admits to the following violations of the Act:

- a. Greenlawn, in violation of Mississippi Code Annotated Section 75-63-65(1), sold at least Seventeen (17) preneed contracts while not registered with the Secretary of State's Office.
4. Greenlawn agrees to follow the laws contained in the Mississippi Preneed Cemetery and Funeral Registration Act and the regulations promulgated thereunder.
5. Greenlawn will remit an administrative fine to the Secretary of State in the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged. This fine is for violations of the act as authorized in Mississippi Code Annotated Section 75-63-69(1)(b).
6. Respondent is aware of the right to a hearing on this matter at which Respondent may be represented by counsel, present evidence, and cross-examine witnesses. Respondent hereby irrevocably waives the right to such a hearing.
7. Respondent understands that the entry of this Order represents the settlement of an impending regulatory charge by the Division against Respondent as of the date of this Order.
8. Respondent understands that the Division retains jurisdiction over the matters addressed in this Consent Order until all obligations by Respondent are fulfilled. With the payment of the fine that is the subject of this Order, Greenlawn is eligible to proceed with its application for a preneed license from the Secretary of State's Office.

III. Acknowledgement

The parties acknowledge that they have read this Order in its entirety and fully understand the rights, terms, and obligations of each contained herein. The parties also acknowledge that they have been vested with the express authority to enter into this Order.

The parties further acknowledge that they have not been threatened or otherwise coerced into entering into this Consent Order.

The undersigned hereby acknowledge and agree to the terms and conditions of the foregoing Order by written consent.

So Agreed, this the 8 day of March, 2017.

GREENLAWN MEMORIAL PARK, INC.

BY: 

Randy A. Brown,
President

Date: 3/8/17

C. DELBERT HOSEMANN, JR.
SECRETARY OF STATE
In his Official Capacity

BY: 

Amy C. Foster
Senior Attorney,
Regulation and Enforcement

Date: 3/13/17