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State of Wisconsin
Before the Department of Regulation and Licensing

In the Matter of Disciplinary Proceedings Against

Angela Behling Badalamenti

Respondent.

LS0211221MTB

Final Decision and Order

The parties to this proceeding for purposes of s. 227.53, Stats., are:

Angela Behling Badalamenti, MT

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The parties having agreed to the attached stipulation, the Secretary of the Department of Regulation and Licensing makes the following:

Findings of Fact

1. Angela Behling was born on December 18, 1975, and holds a credential from the Department of Regulation and Licensing as a massage therapist or bodyworker, number 1347, first granted on December 22, 1999.
2. On August 22, 2001, Respondent sold two gift certificates to the daughters of Diane Marie Perry. Each certificate entitled the recipient to a one half-hour massage at Respondent's business.

3. Ms. Perry and her husband were the recipients of the gift certificates, and they attempted on several occasions to redeem the gift certificates for the services promised.

4. Respondent repeatedly failed to keep appointments to provide the services she had been paid for, and she declined several requests from Ms. Perry and the Division to make refund for the gift certificates.

5. Respondent retained counsel after the first pre-hearing conference in this disciplinary proceeding, and tendered an apology and a refund by her personal check to Mr. and Ms. Perry on January 27, 2003, through Respondent's counsel's office.

Conclusions of Law

1. The Department of Regulation and Licensing has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to s. 440.986, Stats.

2. Respondent's conduct in taking payment for services she refused to provide, and in failing to make refund of the money she collected for the services she refused to provide, is conduct likely to defraud an individual, in violation of s. RL 94.01(22), Wis. Admin. Code.

Order

Now therefore the license previously granted to Angela Behling is suspended for a period of four weeks, commencing on the date of this Order.

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3-4-03

Secretary

Date

Department of Regulation and Licensing