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STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION AND LICENSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

EDWARD L. EARLEY,

RESPONDENT.

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

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#### Division of Enforcement Case No. 98 RSG 065

The parties to this action for the purposes of section 227.53 of the Wisconsin statutes are:

Edward L. Earley 3910 W. Walnut Milwaukee, WI 53208

Department of Regulation and Licensing Division of Enforcement PO Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final decision of this matter, subject to the approval of the Department. The Department has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Department in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. On or about November 4, 1998, Edward L. Earley (DOB 02/18/50) submitted an application for a Private Security Permit to the Wisconsin Department of Regulation and Licensing. Mr. Earley's last known address is 3910 W. Walnut, Milwaukee, WI 53208.
- 2.In Mr. Earley's application materials, he indicated "No" in response to the following question:

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or a felony, or driving while intoxicated (DWI), in this or any other state, **OR** are criminal charges or DWI charges currently pending against you? If YES, complete and attach Form #2252.

- 3.On or about November 9, 1998, The Department of Regulation and Licensing approved Mr. Earley's application and granted him a security guard permit (#9518).
- 4. Subsequent to the issue of this permit, the Department received a report from the FBI, which revealed that Respondent had a history of criminal convictions, including at least one felony conviction.
- ${\tt 5.In~1992~Respondent~was~convicted~of~aggravated~criminal~sexual~ass~ault.}$
- 6.In resolution of this matter, Mr. Earley consents to the entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. A felony conviction constitutes a bar to the issuance of a security guard permit under section  $440.26(5\,\text{m})(2)$  of the Wisconsin statutes.
- 2. The provision of false information in an application for a security guard permit constitutes a violation of sec. 440.26(6), Stats.

# <u>ORDER</u>

## NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

- 1. The Department ACCEPTS the SURRENDER of the private security permit of Edward L. Earley (permit #9518).
- 1. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that should Mr. Earley reapply for a Wisconsin permit, the Department may in its sole discretion determine whether, and under what terms and conditions, this permit may be reissued.
- 2. This O rder shall become effective upon the date of its signing.

THE DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION AND LICENSING

Ву

Marlene Cummings

April 9,1999

 $\label{eq:American Department} \textbf{A} \ \ \textbf{Member of the Department}$ 

Date

