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STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE FUNERAL DIRECTORS EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST:

DANIEL T. PANNELL, FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

RESPONDENT LS0107171FDR

Division of Enforcement Case File No. 00 FDR 024

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

Daniel T. Pannell

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Eau Claire, WI 54701

Funeral Directors Examining Board

PO Box 8935

Madison, WI 53708-8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing

Division of Enforcement

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

A ccordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Daniel T. Pannell (DOB 10/08/1973) is licensed by the Funeral Directors Examining Board as a funeral director in the state of Wisconsin [license #5281]. This license was first granted on 08/19/1998.
- 2. Respondent's last address reported to the Department of Regulation and Licensing is 2222 London Road, Eau Claire, WI 54701.
- 3. On February 2, 2001, Respondent was found guilty of one [1] count of violation of sec. 943.14, Wis. Stats. [Criminal Trespass to Dwelling]; one [1] count of violation of sec. 943.20(1)(b), Wis. Stats. [Theft Business Setting]; and one [1] count of violation of sec. 943.20(1)(d) Wis. Stats. [Theft False Misrepresentation]. True and correct copies of the criminal complaint and judgment of conviction in these matters are attached to this Order as Exhibit A. These convictions involved theft of cash and checks from memorials for two decedents and theft of a business credit card from a funeral home.
- 4. On February 28, 2001, Respondent was found guilty of one [1] count of violation of sec. 943.20(1)(a) Wis. Stats. [Theft of movable property]; True and correct copies of the criminal complaint and judgment of conviction in this matter is attached to this Order as Exhibit B. This conviction involved theft of items from open houses at homes that were for sale.
- 5. In resolution of this matter, Respondent consents to the entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Funeral Directors Examining Board has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to sec. 445.13, Wis. Stats.
- 2. The Funeral Directors Examining Board has authority to enter into this stipulated resolution of this matter pursuant to sec. 227.44(5), Stats.
- 3. The conviction referred to above constitutes grounds for revocation of Respondent's license, pursuant to sec. 445.13(1), Wis. Stats. and Wis. Admin. Code § FD3.02(1).

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Daniel T. Pannell's license as a Funeral Director in the state of Wisconsin is hereby REVOKED, effective immediately. Respondent shall not reapply for a Funeral Director's license in Wisconsin.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS EXAMINING BOARD

By: Daniel Densow 7-17-01

A Member of the Board Date