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STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE PHARMACY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST:

RALPH G. KOCH, R.Ph., ORDER GRANTING (In Part)

MODIFICATION OF ORDER

RESPONDENT LS9901061PHM

Ralph G. Koch R.Ph.

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On January 8, 2002, the State of Wisconsin Pharmacy Examining Board reviewed the petition by Ralph G. Koch, R.Ph., for modification of the board's *Final Decision and Order* ("*Order*") dated June 16, 1999. Appearing before the board were Ralph G. Koch and Jeff Zietlow, Koch's work supervisor. Koch requested the following modifications: removal of the limitation on practice in Part I (b) of the *Order* that another pharmacist review Koch's work; reduction of the frequency of Koch's visits to his psychiatrist to once every three months, (paragraph 2.b.(2) of the *Order*); and removal of the prohibition against Koch being employed or working in the capacity of a managing pharmacist, (paragraph 2.c.(2) of the *Order*). By modification of the *Order* dated March 14, 2001, paragraph 2.b.(2) currently requires that Koch maintain a frequency of visits to his psychiatrist of one time per month. No written recommendation for a reduction in the frequency of individual/group therapy in paragraph 2.b.(2) was submitted as required by paragraphs 2.b.(2) and 5 of the *Order*. Based upon the board's review of the petition and the appearances in this matter,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the petition by Ralph G. Koch, R.Ph., for modifications of the *Order* to allow visits to his psychiatrist once ever three months, (paragraph 2.b.(2)) and removal of the limitation contained in Part I (b) of the *Order* that another pharmacist review Koch's work, are GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the petition for removal of the prohibition against Koch working as a managing pharmacist, (paragraph 2.c.(2)) of the *Order*, is DENIED. Koch shall not petition for removal of paragraph 2.c.(2) from the *Order* for six months from the date of this order.

Dated: January 8, 2002

STATE OF WISCONSIN

PHARMACY EXAMINING BOARD

Susan L. Sutter, R.Ph.

Chairperson