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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF : FINAL DECISION & ORDER
: FOR REMEDIAL EDUCATION
JEREMY P. STENDER, D.C.
: LS0811204CHI

Division of Enforcement Case # 06 CHI 071

The parties to this proceeding for purposes of Wis. Stat. § 227.53 are:

Jeremy Stender, D.C.
2040 Rice Ct.
Eau Claire, WI 54701

Wisconsin Chiropractic Examining Board
1400 East Washington Ave.
P.O. Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing
Division of Enforcement
1400 East Washington Ave.
P.O. Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

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 Chiropractic Examining Board ("Board"). The Board has reviewed the attached Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Jeremy P. Stender, D.C., (DOB 03/17/1970) is duly licensed as a chiropractor in the state of Wisconsin (license # 12-3733). This license was first granted on December 21, 2000.
2. Dr. Stender's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Chiropractic Examining Board is 204 Rice Ct., Eau Claire, WI 54701.
3. An informal complaint received by the Chiropractic Examining Board alleges that Dr. Stender made inappropriate, sexually harassing remarks to a coworker regarding a chiropractic assistant, who was also a patient.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Chiropractic Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 446.03, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation and Order, pursuant to Wis. Stat. §227.44(5).

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED:

1. Jeremy Stender, D.C. will, within one hundred eight (180) days of the date of this Final Decision And Order, take and complete eight (8) hours of Category 1 continuing education in patient boundaries. Each course attended in satisfaction of this Order must be preapproved by the Chiropractic Examining Board or its designee. Dr. Stender will be responsible for locating courses satisfactory to the Chiropractic Examining Board and for obtaining the required approval of the courses from the Chiropractic Examining Board or its designee. Dr. Stender will within 60 days of completion of this educational requirement file an affidavit with the Chiropractic Examining Board stating under oath that he has attended in its entirety each of the courses approved for satisfaction of this requirement along with supporting documentation of attendance from the sponsoring organizations. Dr. Stender will make every reasonable effort to take and complete these courses within the 180 day time frame, but if he can prove to the board's satisfaction that he was unable to take and complete the courses despite reasonable efforts, the board may extend the timeframe for taking the courses. The affidavit and the supporting documentation of attendance will be filed with:

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Department of Regulation and Licensing
Division of Enforcement
1400 East Washington Avenue
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All certifications, affidavits or other documents required to be filed with the Chiropractic Examining Board will be deemed filed upon receipt by the Department Monitor.

2. Dr. Stender will be responsible for paying the full cost of attendance at these courses. Dr. Stender will not apply any of the continuing education credits earned in satisfaction of this Order toward satisfaction of his § 446.02(1)(b), Stats., and Wis. Admin. Code Ch. 5 biennial training requirements.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that:

3. Dr. Stender shall, within ninety (90) days from the date of this Order, pay costs of this proceeding in the amount of Two Hundred Fifty dollars (\$250.00). Payment shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Regulation and Licensing, and mailed to:

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4. In the event Dr. Stender fails to timely pay costs as ordered or fails to comply with the ordered continuing education, Dr. Stender's license (#12-3733) SHALL BE SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Dr. Stender has complied with the terms of this Order. The Board or its designee will remove the suspension, if provided with sufficient information that Dr. Stender is in compliance with the Order and that it is inappropriate for the suspension to remain in effect. The Board in its discretion may impose additional conditions and limitations for a violation of any of the terms of this Order.

5. Dr. Stender is responsible for compliance with all of the terms and conditions of this Final Decision and Order.

6. This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

Wisconsin Chiropractic Examining Board

By: Steven Silverman

11/20/08

A Member of the Board

Date

BEFORE THE CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINING BOARD

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Division of Enforcement Case # 06 CHI 071

Jeremy P. Stender, D.C., personally on his own behalf; and Jeanette Lytle, Attorney for the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement, stipulate:

1. This Stipulation is entered into as a result of an informal complaint against Jeremy P. Stender, D.C., received by the Division of Enforcement (case # 06 CHI 071). Dr. Stender consents to the resolution of this investigation by stipulation.

2. Dr. Stender understands that by signing this Stipulation he voluntarily and knowingly waives his rights, including: the right to a hearing on the allegations against him, at which time the state has the burden of proving those allegations by a preponderance of the evidence, the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against him, the right to call witnesses on his behalf and to compel their attendance by subpoena, the right to testify himself, the right to file objections to any proposed decision and to present briefs or oral arguments to the officials who are to render the final decision, the right to petition for rehearing, the right to judicial review, and all other applicable rights afforded to him under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes, the Wisconsin Administrative Code, and any other provisions of state or federal law.

3. Dr. Stender has been provided an opportunity to obtain legal advice prior to signing this Stipulation.

4. Dr. Stender agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Chiropractic Examining Board. The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties. Dr. Stender waives all rights to any appeal of the Board's Order, if adopted in the form attached.

5. If the terms of this Stipulation are not acceptable to the Board, the parties shall not be bound by the contents of this Stipulation, and the matter shall be returned to the Division of Enforcement for further proceedings. In the event that this Stipulation is not accepted by the Board, the parties agree not to contend that the Board has been prejudiced or biased in any manner by consideration of this attempted resolution.

6. The parties to this Stipulation agree that the attorney or other agent for the Division of Enforcement and the member of the Chiropractic Examining Board assigned as an advisor in this investigation may appear before the Board in open or closed session, without the presence of Dr. Stender or his attorney, for purposes of speaking in support of this agreement and answering questions that any member of the Board may have in connection with the Board's deliberations on the Stipulation.

7. The Division of Enforcement joins Respondent in recommending the Board adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.

Jeremy P. Stender, D.C.
2040 Rice Ct.
Eau Claire, WI 54701

Date _____

Jeanette Lytle, Attorney
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Date