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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY PROEEDINGS AGAINST

:

ORDER GRANTING STAY OF SUSPENSION

OF LICENSURE

GRETCHEN K. EVENSON, DDS, :

PETITIONER.

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TO: Gretchen K. Evenson

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The Dentistry Examining Board considered this matter at its meeting on September 7, 2011.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

On May 3, 2006, the Dentistry Examining Board issued a Final Decision and Order that included, among other limitations, the suspension of Dr. Evenson's dentistry license, number 3392-15. The Board granted an immediate stay of the suspension, allowing Dr. Evenson to continue practicing in accordance with all other terms and conditions of its May 3, 2006 Final Decision and Order.

In December 2010, the Board was informed that Dr. Evenson had consumed alcohol in violation of the May 3, 2006 Final Decision and Order.

On February 16, 2011, the Board lifted the stay and suspended Dr. Evenson's license. The Board modified paragraph 13 of the Order section of the Final Decision and Order dated May 3, 2006 to read as follows: Unless otherwise ordered by the Board, the Approved Program shall require the testing of urine specimens at a frequency of not less than 52 times per year. All other terms and conditions of the May 3, 2006 Order remained in effect as set forth in that Order. Based thereon, the Board makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. In an undated letter to the Department arriving at an undetermined time before September 7, 2011, Dr. Evenson submitted a request for a stay of suspension of her license.
- 2. On September 7, 2011 the Board reviewed Dr. Evenson's petition to modify the terms of its Order Removing Stay of Suspension of License dated February 16, 2006.

3. On September 7, 2011, the Board determined that Dr. Evenson was in compliance with the terms of the Final Decision and Order dated May 6, 2006, as well as with the February 16, 2011 Order Removing Stay of Suspension of License. As a result, the Board granted Dr. Evenson's petition for a stay of the suspension. Based upon all the information of record, the Board finds that the Orders below are necessary to ensure the safety and protection of the public, and orders the following:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the suspension of Dr. Evenson's license to practice dentistry (number 3392-15) is STAYED effective immediately.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Dr. Evenson undergo urine testing at a frequency of not less than 52 times per year. All other terms and conditions of the May 3, 2006 Final Decision and Order, including the limitation that she shall not hold a DEA registration (pursuant to paragraph 26 of the Order section), remain in effect as set forth in that Order.

Dr. Evenson shall be in full compliance with this Order and the Final Decision and Order dated May 3, 2006 as amended.

This Order is effective on the date signed below.

STATE OF WISCONSIN DENTISTRY EXAMINING BOARD

BY: Mill L ON BEHALF OF

Lyndsay Knoell, D.D.S.

Chairperson

Date: 21 SEPT. 2011