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### STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST : FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

OF DEFAULT

MERRIE G. GIANNUNZIO,

RESPONDENT. : ORDER 0002035

#### Division of Enforcement Case File Number 11 BAC 172

The parties to this action for the purpose of Wis. Stat. § 227.53 are:

Merrie G. Giannunzio 1232 Bay Shore Dr. Oshkosh, WI 54901-5410

Wisconsin Cosmetology Examining Board P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53707-8935

Division of Enforcement Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935

#### PROCEDURAL HISTORY

This matter comes before the Wisconsin Cosmetology Examining Board (Board) as a citation that Respondent Merrie G. Giannunzio failed to pay. Based on the record in this case, the Board adopts as its Final Decision in this matter the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order.

#### **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 1. Respondent Merrie G. Giannunzio is licensed in the state of Wisconsin as a Barbering or Cosmetology Manager, license number 81-30790. This license was first granted to Respondent Giannunzio on October 25, 2005 and is current through March 31, 2013.
- 2. The most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) for Respondent Giannunzio is 1232 Bay Shore Dr., Oshkosh, WI 54901-5410.
- 3. Respondent Giannunzio is the owner and responsible manager for Jacinda's Spa and Salon, LLC.

- 4. A Department investigator conducted an inspection of Jacinda's Spa and Salon, LLC, on February 10, 2012.
- 5. The Department investigator discovered Stacy Lang practicing aesthetics. Ms. Lang is not licensed as an aesthetician or cosmetology practitioner in the State of Wisconsin.
- 6. Following the investigation, Respondent Giannunzio was issued a \$1,000 citation for allowing Stacy Lang to practice aesthetics without a license. A true and correct copy of this citation is attached as Exhibit A and is incorporated herein by reference.
- 7. Respondent Giannunzio has not paid the citation that was issued to Respondent Giannunzio on or about March 26, 2012.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. The Wisconsin Cosmetology Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 454.15.
- 2. Respondent Giannunzio violated Wis. Admin. Code § BC 2.04(1) by assisting in the unlicensed practice of barbering and cosmetology.
- 3. As a result, Respondent Giannunzio is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 454.15(2)(i).
- 4. Respondent Giannunzio is in default pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § BC 10.07(1) for failing to make a deposit.
- 5. Pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § BC 10.07(1), the Board has the authority to issue an order of default against Respondent Giannunzio for the amount identified in the citation without further proceedings.

#### **ORDER**

- 1. Respondent Giannunzio is in DEFAULT and shall pay to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services a total forfeiture in the amount of \$1,000 within thirty (30) days from the date of this Order.
- 2. Payment shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services and sent to:

Department Monitor
Division of Enforcement
Department of Safety and Professional Services
P.O. Box 8935, Madison, WI 53708-8935
Telephone (608) 267-3817, Fax (608) 266-2264

- 3. Violation of any of the terms of this Order may be construed as conduct imperiling public health, safety and welfare and may result in a refusal to renew credentialing or additional disciplinary action.
  - 4. This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

WISCONSIN COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

by:

A Member of the Board

9-10-12 Date

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Madison, WI 53708-8935

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## BARBERING AND COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

## <u>CITATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE FORFEITURE</u>

CITATION DOE CASE FILE # 11 BAC 172		☐ FINAL DECISION AND ORDER	
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MERRIE GIANNUNZIO			
Individual Credential Holder Name	OR		
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Signature of Licensee	OR	Date	
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