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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF	:	
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	
	:	FINAL DECISION AND ORDER
SAMUEL M. TATUM,	:	
RESPONDENT.	:	ORDER 0002177

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Division of Enforcement Case No. 12 BAC 034

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

Samuel M. Tatum  
2322 N. 56th St.  
Milwaukee, WI 53210

Wisconsin Cosmetology Examining Board  
P.O. Box 8935  
Madison, WI 53708-8935

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

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Wisconsin Cosmetology Examining Board (Board). The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent Samuel M. Tatum (dob 08/17/1977) is licensed in the State of Wisconsin as a Barbering and Cosmetology Manager, having license number 81-31099, first issued on May 16, 2006, and current through March 31, 2013. Respondent Tatum's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 2322 N. 56th St., Milwaukee, WI 53210.
2. On March 30, 2012, a City of Milwaukee police officer made a visit to Changing Faces Beauty Salon regarding a complaint and noted that Respondent Tatum and another individual were identified as barbers but were unable to produce barbering and cosmetology licenses.

3. A check of Department credentialing records showed that Respondent Tatum had an expired barbering and cosmetology manager license. The other individual didn't have a license. Division of Enforcement case number 12 BAC 034 was subsequently opened for investigation.

4. Follow-up investigation revealed Respondent Tatum's barbering and cosmetology manager license was expired from April 1, 2011, until it was renewed on April 16, 2012.

5. In resolution of this matter, Respondent Tatum consents to the entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Cosmetology Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 454.15, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

2. By the conduct described in the Findings of Fact, Respondent Tatum violated Wis. Stat. § 454.04(1)(a) and Wis. Admin. Code § 2.04(1) by practicing barbering and cosmetology with an expired license.

3. As a result of the above violations, Respondent Tatum is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 454.15(2)(i) and 454.15(3).

#### ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The attached Stipulation is hereby accepted.

2. Respondent Samuel M. Tatum is hereby REPRIMANDED.

3. Respondent Tatum shall pay a FORFEITURE in the amount of \$1,000.00. Payment will be due beginning the first day of the month following the date this order is signed. The forfeiture shall be repaid at a rate of \$100 per month for ten months.

4. Payment of forfeiture and costs shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services and sent to the Department Monitor at the address below:

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

5. 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 summary suspension of

Respondent's license. The Board in its discretion may in the alternative impose additional conditions and limitations or other additional discipline for a violation of any of the terms of this Order. In the event Respondent fails to timely submit payment of the forfeiture and costs as ordered, Respondent's license (no. 81-31099) may, in the discretion of the Board or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Respondent has complied with payment of the forfeiture and costs.

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

WISCONSIN COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

by:   
A Member of the Board

12-3-12  
Date