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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF THE

ORDER TERMINATING SUSPENSION

DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST:

& IMPOSING LIMITATIONS

BRADLEY W. KNAPP,

LS0904286RSA

RESPONDENT.

TO: BRADLEY KNAPP

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On April 28, 2009, the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services ("the Department") issued a Final Decision and Order suspending Respondent's substance abuse counselor-in-training certificate for an indefinite period. Respondent was required to satisfy certain conditions prior to petitioning the Department for termination of the suspension.

The Department has considered Respondent's petition for termination of the suspension and the materials submitted in support of his request. Based on the information of record, the Department finds and makes the following:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Respondent's request to terminate the suspension of his substance abuse counselor-in-training certificate (#15017-130) is hereby GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that upon meeting all requirements currently in place for certification, Respondent's substance abuse counselor-in-training certificate shall be reinstated and LIMITED as follows:

- 1. Respondent shall continue individual treatment sessions with Dr. James Gerndt or another mental health professional ("Treater") approved by the Department. The sessions shall occur at a frequency determined by Treater but treatment shall not be discontinued without approval from Treater and the Department.
 - a. Respondent shall immediately provide Treater with the Final Decision and Order, all subsequent orders and a release authorizing Treater to discuss Respondent's progress with the Department, its designee and the Department Monitor.
 - b. Respondent shall ensure that Treater submits quarterly reports to the Department Monitor, which adequately address his treatment progress. Treater shall immediately report any unprofessional conduct and suspected violations of this Order.

- Respondent shall attend SAA meetings, or its equivalent, at a frequency recommended by Treater but no less than twice per week. Respondent's attendance at such meetings shall be verified and reported quarterly as directed by the Department Monitor.
 - 3. Respondent shall not treat any female clients.
- Respondent shall only practice under the direct supervision of a licensed health care provider and only in a setting pre-approved by the Department or its designee. Respondent shall provide all current and prospective employers with a copy of the Final Decision and Order and all subsequent orders.
- Respondent shall meet face-to-face with his supervisor at least once a month to address work performance, ethics and establishing appropriate boundaries with clients and Respondent shall ensure that his supervisor submits quarterly reports female coworkers. identifying the number of hours he worked in the last quarter and addressing Respondent's professional performance and practice. The supervisor shall immediately report any unprofessional conduct and suspected violations of this Order to the Department Monitor.
- Respondent may petition the Department for modification of this Order after demonstrating at least one (1) year of continuous, active practice and compliance with the terms and conditions. Any petition shall be accompanied by a written recommendation from his Treater and supervisor expressly supporting the request. However, no petition for the return of full licensure shall be considered unless and until Respondent is re-assessed by Dr. Gary Schoener and the results of the assessment are submitted to the Department for review.
- Any requests, petitions, reports and other information required by this Order shall be mailed, emailed, faxed or delivered to:

Department Monitor Division of Legal Services and Compliance Department of Safety and Professional Services P.O. Box 8935, Madison, WI 53708-8935 Telephone (608) 267-3817; Fax (608) 266-2264 DSPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov

This Order is effective the date of its signing.

WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Bv:

Michael J. Berndt, Chief Legal Counsel

Department of Safety and Professional Services

<u>| 6|10|13</u> Date