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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR	:	
LICENSURE TO PRACTICE AS A LICENSED	:	
MIDWIFE	:	ORDER GRANTING
	:	LIMITED LICENSE
CYNTHIA L. CAILLAGH-ALLEN,	:	ORDER 0002457
APPLICANT.	:	

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

CYNTHIA L. CAILLAGH-ALLEN
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DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
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MADISON, WI 53708-8935

Upon consideration of the application record and the terms and conditions for grant of licensure, the Department of Safety and Professional Services makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On September 25, 2012, the applicant, Cynthia L. Caillagh-Allen, (DOB: 09/09/1953) filed a license application to practice as a licensed midwife in the State of Wisconsin.
2. Upon review of Ms. Caillagh-Allen's license application, it was determined that her past conviction history record is substantially related to the practice of a licensed midwife in the state of Wisconsin pursuant to Wis. Stats. § 440.986(2)(h) and Wis. Admin. Code § SPS 181.01(1)(c).
3. On May 5, 2000, the applicant was convicted of the following crimes in the State of Virginia: Unlawful Practice of Midwifery (CR98-438-00); Unlawful Practice of Medicine (CR98-438-01); and Unlawful Neglect (CR98-438-02).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW.

1. The Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 440.982(1).

2. The facts and circumstances of the conviction record referenced above substantially relate to the practice of a licensed midwife.

ORDER

1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
2. NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that CYNTHIA L. CAILLAGH-ALLEN is GRANTED a non-disciplinary LIMITED license to practice as a license midwife in the State of Wisconsin subject to the following terms and conditions:
3. The LIMITATION is for an indefinite period of time. After a period of one (1) year from completion of requirements in paragraph 5 below, the applicant may petition for removal of the limitation.

Practice Restrictions

4. Cynthia L. Caillagh-Allen may not engage in the practice of a licensed midwife in the State of Wisconsin until she has completed the requirements of paragraph 5 below.
5. The applicant must observe five (5) births attended by a Licensed Midwife, pre-approved by the Department. The observations by the applicant must be documented by the licensed midwife by sending a letter to the Department Monitor listed below.
6. Following completion of the requirements in paragraph 5 above, the applicant may work under the supervision of a Licensed Midwife, pre-approved by the Department.

Reporting Requirements

7. It is Applicant's responsibility to arrange for her supervising licensed midwife to provide work reports to the Department Monitor on a quarterly basis, as directed by Department Monitor. These reports shall describe the Applicant's activities and verify that she is in compliance with the laws governing the practice of a licensed midwife and the terms of this Order.
8. Applicant shall report to the Department any change of employment status, residence, address or telephone number within five (5) days of the date of a change. Applicant shall in addition report any arrest or conviction within 48 hours of the arrest or entry of conviction.
9. Applicant is responsible for compliance with all of the terms and conditions of this Order, including the timely submission of reports by others. Applicant shall promptly notify Department Monitor of any suspected violations of any of the terms and conditions of this Order by the Applicant.

Department Monitor

10. The Department Monitor is the individual designated by the Department as its agent to coordinate compliance with the terms of this Order. Any requests, petitions, reports or other information required by this Order shall be mailed, faxed or delivered to:

DEPARTMENT MONITOR

Department of Safety and Professional Services
Division of Legal Services and Compliance
1400 E. Washington Avenue, P.O. Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935
Fax: (608) 266-2264
Telephone: (608) 267-3817
DSPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov

Petitions for Modification

11. Applicant may petition the Department for modification of the terms of this Order after completion of one year of practice in compliance with all terms and conditions of this Order. A denial of such a petition for modification shall not be deemed a denial of license under Wis. Stats. §§ 227.01(3), or 227.42, or Wis. Admin. Code Ch. SPS 1, and shall not be subject to any right to further hearing or appeal.

Summary Suspension/Additional Discipline

12. 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 Department 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. Respondent's license may, in the discretion of the Department or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Respondent has complied with the terms of this order.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin this 23rd day of May, 2013.



Michael J. Berndt

On behalf of the Department of
Safety and Professional Services