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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY	:	
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	
	:	INTERIM ORDER
MATTHEW G. HENDRICKSON, P.T.A.,	:	
RESPONDENT.	:	00031 68

Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 13 PHT 027

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

Matthew G. Hendrickson, P.T.A.
2914 Mineral Point
Janesville, WI 53548

Wisconsin Physical Therapy Examining Board
P.O. Box 8366
Madison, WI 53708-8366

Division of Legal Services and Compliance
P.O. Box 7190
Madison, WI 53707-7190

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The parties have agreed to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as an Interim Order in this matter, subject to the approval of the Physical Therapy Examining Board (Board). The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent Matthew G. Hendrickson, P.T.A., (dob November 08, 1957) is licensed in the State of Wisconsin to practice as a physical therapist assistant, having license number 2059-19, first issued on July 17, 2013, with registration current through February 28, 2015. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 2914 Mineral Point, Janesville, Wisconsin 53548.

2. Respondent is the subject of a complaint alleging that he had improper contact with Patient MK in the course of providing physical therapy services on December 4, 2013. The Board opened an investigation, 13 PHT 027, on December 17, 2013.

3. The Board has not made a determination as to the validity of the allegations. Respondent disputes the allegations.

4. The same allegations are the basis for Walworth County Case No. 13-CF-563, which is pending against Respondent, and is scheduled for a jury trial on June 16-17, 2014.

5. Respondent has had the opportunity to consult with counsel, and has voluntarily agreed not to practice as a physical therapist assistant pending the final resolution of Walworth County Case No. 13-CF-563, including any appeal.

6. Respondent agrees that the Board may continue to investigate the allegations against him while Walworth County Case No. 13-CF-563 is pending.

7. Respondent agrees that the Board, in its discretion, may seek further discipline against him, regardless of the outcome of Walworth County Case No. 13-CF-563, including any appeal.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Physical Therapy Examining Board has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 448.57(2).

ORDER

1. The license to practice as a physical therapist assistant in the state of Wisconsin of Respondent Matthew G. Hendrickson, P.T.A., is hereby **SUSPENDED**, pending the final resolution of Walworth County Case No. 13-CF-563, including any appeal.

2. The suspension shall continue until receipt by the Department Monitor of a conformed copy of a Walworth County Circuit Court document demonstrating the final resolution of Walworth County Case No. 13-CF-563, including any appeal.

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

WISCONSIN PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINING BOARD

By: Michelle Thomas, PT 4-17-14
A Member of the Board Date

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RESPONDENT.

STIPULATION
FOR INTERIM ORDER

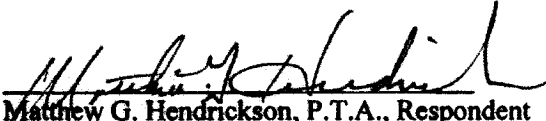
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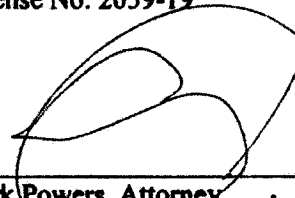
Respondent Matthew G. Hendrickson, P.T.A., and the Division of Legal Services and Compliance, Department of Safety and Professional Services stipulate as follows:

1. This Stipulation is entered into in the course of a pending investigation by the Division of Legal Services and Compliance.
2. Respondent is aware of his right to seek legal representation and has been provided an opportunity to obtain legal counsel before signing this Stipulation. Respondent is represented by Attorney Mark Powers.
3. Respondent neither admits nor denies the allegations in this matter, but agrees to the adoption of the attached Interim Order by the Physical Therapy Examining Board. The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Interim Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties. Respondent waives all rights to any appeal of the attached Interim Order, if adopted in the form as attached.
4. If the terms of this Stipulation are not acceptable to the Board, the parties shall not be bound by the contents of this Stipulation, and the matter shall be returned to the Division of Legal Services and Compliance for further proceedings. In the event that this Stipulation is not accepted by the Board, the parties agree not to contend that the Board has been prejudiced or biased in any manner by the consideration of this attempted resolution.
5. The parties to this Stipulation agree that the attorney or other agent for the Division of Legal Services and Compliance, and any member of the Board ever assigned as a case advisor in this investigation, may appear before the Board in open or closed session, without the presence of Respondent or Respondent's attorney, if any, for purposes of speaking in support of this agreement and answering questions that any member of the Board may have in connection with the Board's deliberations on the Stipulation. Additionally, any such case advisor may vote on whether the Board should accept this Stipulation and issue the attached Interim Order.
6. Respondent is informed that should the Board adopt this Stipulation, the Board's Interim Order is a public record and will be published in accordance with standard Department procedure.

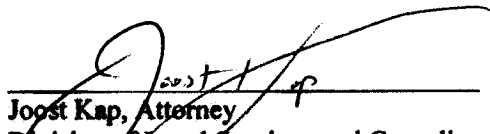
7. The Division of Legal Services and Compliance joins Respondent in recommending that the Board adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Interim Order.


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3-28-14
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