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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

MEGHAN M. DANIELS, RESPONDENT.

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 13 BAC 096

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

Meghan M. Daniels 15077 Brandenburg Ave. Merrill, WI 54452

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

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

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 Meghan M. Daniels (dob March 5, 1980) is licensed in the State of Wisconsin as a barbering or cosmetology manager, having license number 30013-81, first issued on June 9, 2004 and current through March 31, 2015. Meghan M. Daniels' most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 15077 Brandenburg Ave., Merrill, WI 54452.
- 2. At all times relevant to these proceedings, Respondent was a booth renter at Images by Meghan, a barbering or cosmetology establishment.

- 3. From April 1, 2011 to January 10, 2012, Respondent's cosmetology manager license was expired due to nonrenewal.
- 4. From April 1, 2011 to January 10, 2012, Respondent engaged in cosmetology without holding a current license.
- 5. From April 1, 2011 to January 10, 2012, Respondent operated Images by Meghan without employing a licensed manager.
- 6. From April 1, 2011 to May 14, 2013, Images by Meghan's establishment license expired due to nonrenewal.
- 7. From April 1, 2011 to May 14, 2013, Respondent practiced cosmetology outside of a licensed establishment.
- 8. In resolution of this matter, Respondent 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 violated Wis. Stat. § 454.04(1)(a) by engaging in cosmetology without holding a current license.
- 3. By the conduct described in the Findings of Fact, Respondent violated Wis. Stat. § 454.08(6) and Wis. Admin. Code §§ Cos 2.06(5) and 3.02(1) by operating her establishment without employing a licensed manager.
- 4. By the conduct described in the Findings of Fact, Respondent violated Wis. Stat. § 454.08(1)(b) and Wis. Admin. Code §§ Cos 2.045(1) and 3.01(1) by practicing cosmetology outside of a licensed establishment.
- 5. As a result of the above violations, Respondent is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 454.15(2)(i) and (3).

ORDER

- 1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
- 2. Respondent Meghan M. Daniels is REPRIMANDED.
- 3. Respondent shall pay a FORFEITURE in the amount of \$1000 and COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$285, subject to the following terms and conditions:
 - a. Within 30 days from the date of this Order, \$285;

- b. Within 60 days from the date of this Order, \$200;
- c. Within 90 days from the date of this Order, \$200;
- d. Within 120 days from the date of this Order, \$200;
- e. Within 150 days from the date of this Order, \$200, and;
- f. Within 180 days from the date of this Order, \$200.
- 4. Payment of forfeiture and costs shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services and sent by Respondent to the Department Monitor at the address below:

Department Monitor
Division of Legal Services and Compliance
Department of Safety and Professional Services
P.O. Box 7190, Madison, WI 53707-7190
Telephone (608) 267-3817; Fax (608) 266-2264
DSPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov

- 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. 30013-81) 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: Daldine Leuter

Date

STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE COSMETOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

STIPULATION

MEGHAN M. DANIELS, RESPONDENT.

0003779

Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 13 BAC 096

Respondent Meghan M. Daniels and the Division of Legal Services and Compliance, Department of Safety and Professional Services stipulate as follows:

- 1. This Stipulation is entered into as a result of a pending investigation by the Division of Legal Services and Compliance. Respondent consents to the resolution of this investigation by Stipulation.
- 2. Respondent understands that by signing this Stipulation, Respondent voluntarily and knowingly waives the following rights:
 - the right to a hearing on the allegations against Respondent, at which time the State has the burden of proving those allegations by a preponderance of the evidence;
 - the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against Respondent;
 - the right to call witnesses on Respondent's behalf and to compel their attendance by subpoena;
 - the right to testify on Respondent's own behalf;
 - the right to file objections to any proposed decision and to present briefs or oral arguments to the officials who are to render the final decision;
 - the right to petition for rehearing; and
 - all other applicable rights afforded to Respondent under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes, the Wisconsin Administrative Code, and other provisions of state or federal law.
- 3. Respondent is aware of Respondent's right to seek legal representation and has been provided an opportunity to obtain legal counsel before signing this Stipulation.
- 4. Respondent agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Wisconsin Cosmetology Examining Board (Board). The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties. Respondent waives all rights to any appeal of the Board's order, if adopted in the form as attached.
- 5. 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 then be returned to the Division

of Legal Services and Compliance for further proceedings. In the event that the 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.

- 6. 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 an advisor in this investigation may appear before the Board in open or closed session, without the presence of Respondent, for purposes of speaking in support of this agreement and answering questions that any member of the Board may have in connection with deliberations on the Stipulation. Additionally, any such advisor may vote on whether the Board should accept this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.
- 7. Respondent is informed that should the Board adopt this Stipulation, the Board's Final Decision and Order is a public record and will be published in accordance with standard Department procedure.
- 8. The Division of Legal Services and Compliance joins Respondent in recommending the Board adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.

Meghan M Daniels, Respondent

15077 Brandenburg Ave.

Merrill, WI 54452 License no. 30013-81

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