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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE MASSAGE THERAPY AND BODYWORK THERAPY AFFILIATED  
CREDENTIALING BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY :  
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST :  
 : FINAL DECISION AND ORDER  
MICHELLE R. ANGST, :  
RESPONDENT. : **0005083**

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 15 MAB 005

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

Michelle R. Angst  
525 S. Rochester Street, #2  
Mukwonago, WI 53149-1770

Wisconsin Massage Therapy and Bodywork Therapy Affiliated Credentialing 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 Massage Therapy and Bodywork Therapy Affiliated Credentialing 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 Michelle R. Angst (DOB January 1, 1969), is licensed in the state of Wisconsin to practice massage therapy or bodywork therapy, having license number 10686-146, first issued on February 28, 2011, and EXPIRED on February 28, 2015. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) is 525 S. Rochester Street, #2, Mukwonago, Wisconsin 53149-1770.

2. On June 2, 2015, the Department's Division of Legal Services and Compliance opened this matter, 15 MAB 005, based on allegations that Respondent was practicing massage therapy or bodywork therapy without a valid license.

3. Respondent does not admit or deny the allegations, but to resolve this matter, she consents to entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Massage Therapy and Bodywork Affiliated Credentialing Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 460.14(2), and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

#### ORDER

1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.

2. The PERMANENT VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of the license and the appurtenant right to renew the license of Respondent Michelle R. Angst to practice massage therapy or bodywork therapy in the state of Wisconsin (10686-146) is hereby ACCEPTED, effective the date of this Order.

3. In the event Respondent petitions the Board for re-instatement to practice massage therapy or bodywork therapy in the future, the Board may enter an order denying such application without further notice or hearing, or may in its full discretion require any inquiry, evaluation, or other conditions prior to considering Respondent's petition for re-licensure. Whether to grant Respondent a license and whether to impose any limitations or restrictions on any license granted shall be in the full discretion of the Board.

4. If Respondent ever seeks any license under Wis. Stat. chs. 440-480, she shall, as a prerequisite to application, pay COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$1,020.00. If Respondent never again seeks licensure in Wisconsin, the Department waives the above-stated costs.

5. Payment of costs, if applicable, 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 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

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

WISCONSIN MASSAGE THERAPY AND BODYWORK  
THERAPY AFFILIATED CREDENTIALING BOARD

by: *Dalene A. Camp*  
A Member of the Board

12/14/16  
Date

STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE MASSAGE THERAPY AND BODYWORK THERAPY AFFILIATED  
CREDENTIALING BOARD

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IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY :  
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST :  
 : STIPULATION  
MICHELLE R. ANGST, :  
RESPONDENT. :  
 : 0005083

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 15 MAB 005

Respondent Michelle R. Angst, 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. Respondent is represented by Attorney Arthur Thexton.

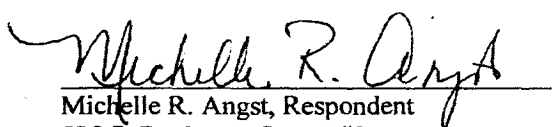
4. Respondent agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Wisconsin Massage Therapy and Bodywork Therapy Affiliated Credentialing Board (Board). The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance 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.

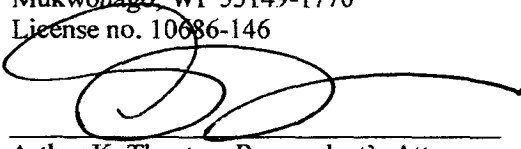
6. The parties to this Stipulation agree that the attorney or other agent for the Division of Legal Services and Compliance and any member of the Board ever assigned as an advisor in this investigation may appear before the Board in open or closed session, without the presence of Respondent, for purposes 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.

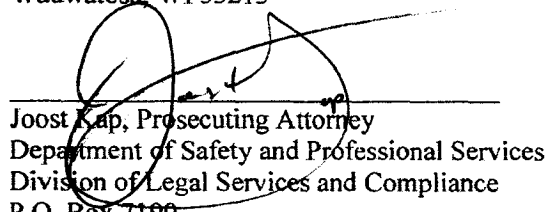
8. The Division of Legal Services and Compliance joins Respondent in recommending the Board adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.

  
Michelle R. Angst, Respondent  
525 S. Rochester Street, #2  
Mukwonago, WI 53149-1770  
License no. 10086-146

12/1/16  
Date

  
Arthur K. Thexton, Respondent's Attorney  
Thexton Law Offices  
6229 W. Lloyd Street  
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12/5/16  
Date

  
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