# WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES



# Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services Access to the Public Records of the Reports of Decisions

This Reports of Decisions document was retrieved from the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services website. These records are open to public view under Wisconsin's Open Records law, sections 19.31-19.39 Wisconsin Statutes.

## Please read this agreement prior to viewing the Decision:

- The Reports of Decisions is designed to contain copies of all orders issued by credentialing authorities within the Department of Safety and Professional Services from November, 1998 to the present. In addition, many but not all orders for the time period between 1977 and November, 1998 are posted. Not all orders issued by a credentialing authority constitute a formal disciplinary action.
- Reports of Decisions contains information as it exists at a specific point in time in the Department of Safety and Professional Services data base. Because this data base changes constantly, the Department is not responsible for subsequent entries that update, correct or delete data. The Department is not responsible for notifying prior requesters of updates, modifications, corrections or deletions. All users have the responsibility to determine whether information obtained from this site is still accurate, current and complete.
- There may be discrepancies between the online copies and the original document. Original documents should be consulted as the definitive representation of the order's content. Copies of original orders may be obtained by mailing requests to the Department of Safety and Professional Services, PO Box 8935, Madison, WI 53708-8935. The Department charges copying fees. *All requests must cite the case number, the date of the order, and respondent's name* as it appears on the order.
- Reported decisions may have an appeal pending, and discipline may be stayed during the appeal. Information about the current status of a credential issued by the Department of Safety and Professional Services is shown on the Department's Web Site under "License Lookup."

The status of an appeal may be found on court access websites at: http://ccap.courts.state.wi.us/InternetCourtAccess and http://www.courts.state.wi.us/wscca

•Records not open to public inspection by statute are not contained on this website.

By viewing this document, you have read the above and agree to the use of the Reports of Decisions subject to the above terms, and that you understand the limitations of this on-line database.

**Correcting information on the DSPS website:** An individual who believes that information on the website is inaccurate may contact DSPS@wisconsin.gov

# STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE SECURITY PERSON PERMIT FOR

ORDER GRANTING LIMITED LICENSE

ANDREW SESSIONS APPLICANT

0005770

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

ANDREW SESSIONS 2311 N 25TH ST MILWAUKEE, WI 53206

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES 1400 EAST WASHINGTON AVENUE P.O. BOX 7190 MADISON WI 53707-7190

# FINDINGS OF FACT

- I. ANDREW SESSIONS (Applicant) has filed an application (# 639318) for a permit to practice as a Private Security Person in Wisconsin.
- II. Information received in the application process reflects that the Applicant has a criminal history that includes the following conviction:
  - A. On or about February 4, 2014 Disorderly Conduct-Domestic Abuse Incident, a misdemeanor.
- III. The Applicant has been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence and, therefore, is permanently prohibited from possessing a firearm, per 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(9), unless the conviction falls under 18 U.S.C. § 921(a)(33)(B)(ii).

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- I. The Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services has jurisdiction over this matter, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 440.26.
- II. The facts and circumstances of the conviction referenced above substantially relates to the practice of a Private Security Person.

- III. Applicant is permanently banned from possessing a firearm, per 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(9), as the conviction does not fall under 18 U.S.C. § 921(a)(33)(B)(ii).
- IV. Applicant, by his conduct, is subject to action against his license, pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 111.335(1)(c)1. and 440.26(5m)(am), Wis. Admin. Code chs. SPS 31 and 35, and 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(9).

## **ORDER**

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that ANDREW SESSIONS is GRANTED a PRIVATE SECURITY PERSON PERMIT subject to the following LIMITATIONS, TERMS, AND CONDITIONS:

## **Practice Limitations**

A.1. Applicant shall show a copy of this Order to his current and any future employer. Applicant shall provide the Department of Safety and Professional Services Monitor (Department Monitor) with written acknowledgement from each employer that a copy of this Order has been received. Such acknowledgement shall be provided to the Department Monitor within fourteen (14) days of beginning new employment and/or within fourteen (14) days of the date of this Order for employment current as of the date of this Order.

# Reporting Requirements

- A.2. It is Applicant's responsibility to arrange for his security guard supervisor(s) to provide work reports to the Department Monitor on a quarterly basis, beginning 90 days from the date of this Order. These reports shall describe the Applicant's activities and verify that he is in compliance with the laws governing the practice of a private security person and the terms of this Order.
- A.3. 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. In addition, Applicant shall commit no new violations of law and shall report all law enforcement contacts leading to arrest, charge or conviction, including DWI/OWI and municipal/ordinance violations, to the Department Monitor within 48 hours of any such event, including any convictions resulting from pending charges.
- A.4. Applicant is responsible for compliance with all the terms and conditions of this Order, including the timely submission of reports by others. Applicant shall promptly notify the Department Monitor of any suspected violations of any of the terms and conditions of this Order by Applicant.

# Department Monitor

A.5. 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 & Compliance
1400 East Washington Ave., P.O. Box 7190
Madison, WI 53707-7190

Fax: (608) 266-2264 Telephone: (608) 267-3817 dspsmonitoring@wi.gov

# Firearms Ban

- A.6. Applicant shall not apply for a Firearms Permit with the Department.
- A.7. Applicant shall not apply for employment in any position that might require or allow him to work in an armed capacity.
- A.8. The firearms ban is permanent and may not be modified while the limited license is in effect or at any time thereafter, unless the conviction has been expunged or set aside, or is an offense for which the person has been pardoned or has had civil rights restored (if the law of the applicable jurisdiction provides for the loss of civil rights under such an offense) unless the pardon, expungement, or restoration of civil rights expressly provides that the person may not ship, transport, possess, or receive firearms, under 18 U.S.C. § 921(a)(33)(B)(ii).

## Petitions for Modification

Applicant may petition the Department for modification of the terms of this Order A.9. after completion of one (1) year of practice in compliance with all terms and conditions of this Order. The firearms ban is permanent and may not be modified while the limited license is in effect or at any time thereafter, unless the conviction falls under 18 U.S.C. § 921(33)(B)(ii). Applicant's petition must include the Applicant's history of employment from the effective date of this Order that states the dates and names of any employer, such employment in total equaling one (1) year of practice. Any such petition shall be accompanied by a written recommendation from Applicant's current employer that includes, among other things, the dates of employment and scope of responsibility during such employment, and, if applicable, his treatment provider expressly supporting the specific modifications sought. A denial of such a petition for modification shall not be deemed a denial of license under Wis. Stat. §§ 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.

## Costs

A.10. Applicant shall be responsible for all costs and expenses associated with compliance with the terms of this Order.

# Suspension

A.11. If Applicant violates any term of this Order, Applicant's credential may, in the discretion of the Department or its designee, be SUSPENDED, without further notice or hearing, until Applicant has complied with the terms of the Order. The Department may, in addition and/or in the alternative, refer any violation of this Order to the Division of Legal Services and Compliance for further investigation and action.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin this 51h day of June, 20	18
Aloysius Rohmeyer, Chief Legal Counsel	
Aloysius Rohmeyer, Chief Legal Counsel	
On behalf of the Department of Safety and Professional Services	

IN THE MATTER OF APPLICATION FOR PRIVATE SECURITY PERSON PERMIT FOR

**STIPULATION** 

ANDREW SESSIONS APPLICANT

0005770

It is hereby stipulated between the above-referenced Applicant and the State of Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department) as follows:

- I. The Applicant has filed an application for a Private Security Person permit.
- II. Information received by the Department reflects a basis for denial of the license application.
- III. Based upon the information of record herein, the Department agrees to issue and the Applicant agrees to accept an Order Granting a Limited License as a Private Security Person, subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the attached Order adopting the Stipulation.
- IV. Applicant understands that by signing this Stipulation, Applicant voluntarily and knowingly waives the following rights:
  - a) the right to request a hearing related to the denial of the application;
  - b) assuming a hearing takes place wherein the Applicant has the burden of proof by a preponderance of the evidence:
    - i. the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against Applicant;
    - ii. the right to call witnesses on Applicant's behalf and to compel their attendance by subpoena;
    - iii. the right to testify on Applicant's own behalf;
    - iv. 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;
    - v. the right to petition for rehearing; and
  - c) all other applicable rights afforded to Applicant under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes, the Wisconsin Administrative Code, and other provisions of state or federal law.
- V. Applicant is aware of Applicant's right to seek legal representation and has been provided an opportunity to obtain legal counsel before signing this Stipulation.

- VI. Applicant agrees to the adoption of the attached Order Granting Limited License by the Department. The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Order Granting Limited License without further notice, appearance, or consent of the parties.
- VII. Applicant waives all rights to any appeal of the Department's Order, as adopted in the form as attached.
- VIII. Applicant is informed that the Order Granting Limited License is a public record and will be published in accordance with standard Department procedure.

Andrew Sessions, Applicant 2311 N 25TH ST

MILWAUKEE, WI 53206 Application no. 639318

Aloysius Rohmeyer, Chief Legal Counsel
Department of Safety and Professional Services
1400 EAST WASHINGTON AVENUE
P.O. BOX 7190

MADISON, WI 53707-7190

5-29-18 Date

6 5 2018 Date