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#### BEFORE THE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

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KS State Board of Healing Arts

In the Matter of DOUGLAS L. GEENENS, D.O.

Kansas License No. 05-22577

KSBHA Docket No. 05-HA00036 KSBHA Docket No. 09-HA00059

### FINAL ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO TERMINATE

NOW, on this 14th day of June 2013, comes before the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts ("Board") the request of Douglas L. Geenens, D.O. ("Licensee") for termination of case supervision practice monitoring. Licensee appears in person and through counsel, Karen Virgillito. Jane Weiler, Associate Litigation Counsel, appears on behalf of the Board.

Pursuant to the authority granted to the Board by the Kansas Healing Arts Act, K.S.A. 65-2801, *et seq.*, and in accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act, K.S.A. 77-501, *et seq.*, the Board hereby enters this Final Order following a conference hearing in the above-captioned matter. After reviewing the agency record, hearing the testimony and arguments of the parties, and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board makes the following findings, conclusions and order:

1. Douglas L. Geenens, D.O. ("Licensee") is licensed to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas, having been issued License No. 05-22577 on approximately February 10, 1989.

2. On or about December 11 2004, Licensee entered into a Consent Order for Kansas Board of Healing Arts (KSBHA) Docket No. 05-HA00036 with the Board based upon allegations of sexual misconduct with a former psychiatric patient.

3. Under the terms of the Consent Order in KSBHA 05-HA00036, Licensee agreed to a limitation on his license which contained a provision for a six-month suspension of

licensure. The Licensee was also publically censured for engaging in unprofessional conduct and was required to successfully complete a course on maintaining proper boundaries. The Licensee also submitted to case supervision with particular emphasis on boundary and countertransference issues.

4. In October of 2008, a Petition was filed against Licensee's license which alleged Licensee had committed multiple violations of the Healing Arts Act, including negligent practice, inappropriate prescribing and sexual misconduct; KSBHA Docket No. 09-HA00059.

5. On February 24, 2010, the Board issued a Final Order regarding the 2008 Petition, KSBHA Docket No. 09-HA00059. The Final Order included a public censure, a \$5,000.00 fine and an assessment of costs against Licensee in the amount of \$27,477.56. Additionally, the Final Order extended the 2004 Consent Order's case, KSBHA Docket No. 05-HA00036, supervision requirement for three (3) more years and required Licensee to have his practice monitored for three (3) years.

6. In June of 2010, Licensee's legal obligation to pay the \$27,477.56 in costs was discharged in bankruptcy.

7. On or about June 3, 2013, Licensee paid the outstanding balance of the \$5,000.00 fine in KSBHA Docket No. 09-HA00059. Such fine has now been paid in full.

8. The Board has considered the case supervision reports and practice monitoring reports submitted as evidence in the conference hearing. Based on the contents of these reports, the Board concludes that it is appropriate to terminate the case supervision and practice monitoring requirements.

9. With the exception of the costs which were discharged in bankruptcy, the Board concludes that Licensee has satisfactorily met all requirements of the 2004 Consent Order

KSBHA Docket No. 05-HA00036 and the Final Order in KSBHA Docket No. 09-HA00059, and that Licensee should have no further obligation for compliance.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, BY THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS, that the requirements of the Final Order in KSBHA Docket No. 09-HA00059 and 2004 Consent Order in KSBHA Docket No. 05-HA00036 are hereby terminated.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS  $\underline{27}$  day of june, 2013, in the city of topeka, county of shawnee, state of kansas.

Kathleen Selzler Lippert, Executive Director Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

#### **NOTICE OF RIGHTS**

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that this is a Final Order. A Final Order is effective upon service, and service of a Final Order is complete upon mailing. Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-529, Licensee may petition the Board for Reconsideration of a Final Order within fifteen (15) days following service of the final order. Additionally, a party to an agency proceeding may seek judicial review of a Final Order by filing a petition in the District Court, as authorized by K.S.A. 77-601, *et seq.* Reconsideration of a Final Order is not a prerequisite to judicial review. A petition for judicial review is not timely unless filed within **30 days** following service of the Final Order. A copy of any petition for judicial review must be served upon Kathleen Selzler Lippert, the Board's Executive Director, at 800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A, Topeka, Kansas 66612.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing FINAL ORDER TERMINATING LIMITATION was served this 27th day of June, 2013 by

depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class, postage prepaid, and addressed to:

Douglas L. Geenens, D.O. 4901 W. 136<sup>th</sup> St. Leawood, KS 66224

Karen Virgillito TIFEC 11150 Overbrook, Suite 210 Leawood, KS 66211 Attorney for Licensee

And a copy was hand-delivered to:

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And the original was filed with the office of Executive Director

Cathy Brown, Executive Assistant