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**KANSAS STATE BOARD OF
HEALING ARTS**

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

In the Matter of)
)
RICK HAYWOOD, (R.T.))
Applicant for Registration)
_____)

FINAL ORDER FOLLOWING CONFERENCE HEARING

NOW on this 22nd day of June, 1996, this matter comes before the Board for conference proceedings pursuant to K.S.A. 77-533 through 77-535, at the request of Rick Haywood (hereafter "Applicant") for waiver of the educational requirements for registration in respiratory therapy (Section 17 of the Application for Registration in Respiratory Therapy).

Charlene K. Abbott, Licensing Administrator, presents information to the Kansas Board of Healing Arts. Applicant does not appear. After reviewing the request and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board finds as follows:

1. Applicant's Application for Registration in Respiratory Therapy and request for waiver of section 17 were received by the Board on March 18, 1996.
2. By Order of Continuance filed May 6, 1996, this matter was continued to allow for review and consideration by the Respiratory Therapist Council.
3. The Respiratory Therapist Council has reviewed Applicant's training and experience and has recommended that the Board register Applicant, as his training and experience are equivalent to completion of a formal educational program.

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4. The Board accepts the recommendation of the Respiratory Therapist Council, and finds that Applicant's experience provides sufficient basis of equivalency to a formal educational program.

IT IS THEREFORE BY THE BOARD ORDERED as follows:

A. That Applicant's training experience is equivalent to completion of a formal educational program, and completion of Section 17 of Applicant's Application is hereby waived.

B. That waiver of the Section 17 requirement does not constitute approval of Applicant's Application, nor does it constitute a waiver of any other requirement of the application. Applicant's Application will not be considered by the Board until all the documentation required by the Application is received, with the exception of the Section 17 requirement of certification of RT school.

C. That this is a Final Order and is effective upon service upon the parties. Any party may, within fifteen (15) days after service, file a Petition for Reconsideration. The filing of a Petition for Reconsideration is not a prerequisite for seeking administrative or judicial review.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS



LAWRENCE T. BUENING, JR.

Executive Director

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

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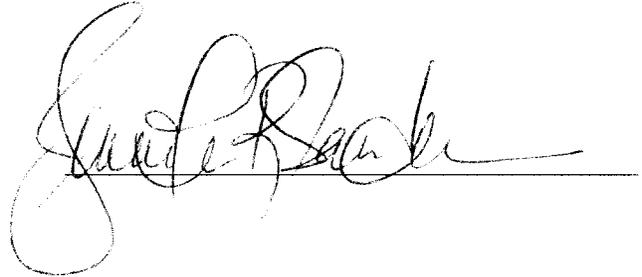
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing was deposited in the United States mail, first class postage prepaid, on this 27th day of June, 1996, addressed to the following:

Rick Haywood
2410 Minnesota
Joplin, Missouri 64804

and a copy was hand-delivered to

Charlene K. Abbott
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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Charlene K. Abbott", is written over a horizontal line.