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KS State Board of Healing Arts

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

In the Matter of)
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STEVEN KUHN, D.C.)
Kansas License No. 1-04488)
_____)

Docket No. 05-HA-38

**AGREED JOURNAL ENTRY OF SATISFACTION OF
CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS AND AUDIT REQUIREMENTS
IN DECEMBER 13, 2004 CONSENT ORDER**

NOW on this 14 day of December 2005, comes before the Kansas Board of Healing Arts (“Board”), the parties Agreed Journal Entry of Satisfaction of Continuing Education Credits and Audit Requirements in December 13, 2004 Consent Order. Wherefore, the Board finds as follows:

1. On April 16, 1997, Steven Kuhn, D.C. (“Licensee”) was issued a license number 1-04488 to practice chiropractic in the State of Kansas. On August 26, 1998, Licensee changed his license status to inactive, having last renewed on November 17, 2004. Licensee currently holds an active license to practice chiropractic in the State of Arizona.

2. On March 24, 2004, the Arizona Board of Chiropractic Examiners (“Arizona Board”) issued an Order for Decree of Censure and Probation (“Arizona Order”). The Arizona Order also required Licensee to complete a specified number of continuing education credits and have audits of his patient record keeping and documentation.

3. On December 13, 2004, Licensee entered into a Consent Order with this Board. The Consent Order required him to submit proof of compliance with the requirements set forth in the Arizona Order. Specifically, in paragraph 14 of the Consent Order, Licensee agreed to the following discipline:

- (a) Licensee is hereby publicly censured for violation of K.S.A. 65-2836(j);
- (b) On or before April 4, 2005, Licensee shall complete six (6) hours of continuing education in ethics as pre-approved by the Arizona Board, in addition to those mandatory hours of continuing education required to maintain his active Arizona license. If Licensee has already completed this requirement, Licensee shall submit such proof of completion to the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts within fifteen (15) days after execution and approval of this Consent Order. If Licensee has not yet completed this requirement, Licensee shall submit proof of completion no later than fifteen (15) days after completing the credits;
- (c) On or before April 4, 2005, Licensee shall complete twelve (12) hours of continuing education in chiropractic record keeping and coding as pre-approved by the Arizona Board staff, in addition to those mandatory hours of continuing education required to maintain his active Arizona license. If Licensee has already completed this requirement, Licensee shall submit such proof of completion to the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts within fifteen (15) days after execution and approval of this Consent Order. If Licensee has not yet completed this requirement, Licensee shall submit proof of completion no later than fifteen (15) days after completing the credits;
- (d) On or before April 4, 2005, Licensee shall complete twenty-four (24) hours of continuing education in diagnostic x-ray taking and reading as pre-approved by the Arizona Board staff, in addition to those mandatory

hours of continuing education required to maintain his active Arizona license. If Licensee has already completed this requirement, Licensee shall submit such proof of completion to the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts within fifteen (15) days after execution and approval of this Consent Order. If Licensee has not yet completed this requirement, Licensee shall submit proof of completion no later than fifteen (15) days after completing the credits;

- (e) Licensee must cooperate and assist with a minimum of two (2) chiropractic medical records audits by the Arizona Board staff or its agents, commencing within the three months following the effective date of the Arizona Order; and
- (f) If Licensee should ever apply for an active license in the State of Kansas in the future, then he shall be required to appear before the Board.

4. Licensee has submitted to the Board a certificate of completion for six (6) credit hours of ethics, with three (3) hours completed on August 23, 2004 and three (3) hours completed on August 30, 2004.

5. Licensee submitted to the Board a certificate of completion for two (2) credit hours in record keeping and documentation completed on May 20, 2004.

6. Licensee submitted to the Board a certificate of completion for six (6) continuing education credit hours in "Record Keeping and Documentation" completed on October 17, 2004.

7. Licensee has submitted to the Board a certificate of completion for twelve (12) continuing education hours in "Understanding Colossus, Proper Documentation and Appropriate Record Keeping" completed December 18-19, 2004.

8. Licensee submitted to the Board five (5) certificates of completion for courses in diagnostic x-ray taking, with each course being five (5) continuing education credits, for a total of twenty-five (25) credits.

9. Licensee had two audits of his patient records per the Arizona Order, but due to some discrepancies, the Arizona Board audited his patient records on two additional occasions. The last audit was on August 25, 2005. The Arizona Board staff reported they were satisfied that his record keeping skills were sufficient to ensure continued compliance with the law.

10. On November 10, 2005, the Arizona Board terminated Licensee's probation approximately five months earlier than the expiration date set forth in the Arizona Order.

11. On November 28, 2005, Licensee verbally requested an Order reflecting his satisfactory completion of the continuing education credits and the audits of his patient records.

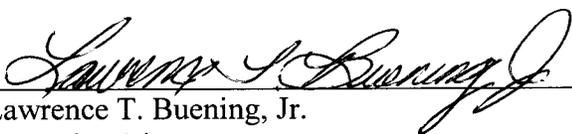
12. Licensee has satisfactorily completed the required continuing education credits and the audits of his patient records as set forth in the Consent Order entered into with the Board on December 13, 2004.

13. Pursuant to the terms of the December 13, 2004 Consent Order, Licensee is still required to appear before the Board if he ever applies for an active license in the State of Kansas.

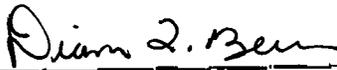
IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 14th day of December 2005.

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, LAWRENCE T. BUENING, JR., Kansas State Board of Healing Arts, hereby certify that I served a copy of the above Agreed Journal Entry of Satisfaction with Continuing Education Credits and Audit Requirements in December 13, 2004 Consent Order, by depositing the same in the U.S. mail, postage prepaid, on this 15th day of December 2005, addressed to:

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lawrence T. Buening, Jr.", written over a horizontal line.