

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)
CONNIE E. LANG, DC)
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Kansas License No. 01-04608)
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KSBHA Docket No. 15-HA00013

FINAL ORDER TERMINATING LICENSURE LIMITATION

NOW on this 12th day of December, 2014, comes before the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts (“Board”) the request of Connie Lang, D.C. (“Licensee”) for termination of the limitation imposed in the Summary Order filed on July 24, 2014. Licensee appears in person and *pro se*. Seth Brackman, Associate Litigation Counsel, appears on behalf of the Respondent Board.

Pursuant to the authority granted to Board by 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 in the above-captioned matter. After reviewing the agency record, hearing the statements and arguments of the parties, receiving evidence, and being otherwise advised in the premises, the Board makes the following findings, conclusions and order:

1. On August 12, 2014, a Summary Order became effective as a Final Order prohibiting Licensee from performing physicals for individuals receiving a physical pursuant to the Kansas State High School Activities Association.
2. On October 30, 2014, Licensee submitted to the Board a Motion to Lift the Licensure Limitation contained in the Summary Order.
3. On or about December 3, 2014, the Respondent Board filed a Response to Licensee’s Motion to Lift Licensure Limitation (“Response”). The Response objected to the

termination, lifting or modification of the limitation imposed on Licensee's license by the Summary Order. However, the Response argued that if the limitation were to be lifted the following conditions should be imposed that Licensee: 1) complete the Certified Chiropractic Sports Physician course; 2) attend and complete an intense document/record keeping course as well as the post-program feedback portion of the class; and 3) be monitored by a Kansas licensed M.D., D.O., or D.C. to oversee and review all KSHAA physicals performed by Licensee.

4. At the conference hearing on the matter Licensee's Exhibit 1 was admitted without objection. Licensee's Exhibit 1 contained a certificate of credit for an eight (8) hour AMA approved CME course in medical record keeping. The course was offered by the Colorado Foundation for Medical Care, Office of Continuing Education. Additionally, Licensee submitted a document showing that she had signed up for a personalized implementation program through the Center for Personalized Education for Physicians ("CPEP"), to conduct reviews of her medical records.

5. Licensee advised the Board that at this time she has implemented an office policy in which she no longer offers KSHAA physicals. Licensee acknowledge that this is only a policy of her office and if the Board lifted the limitation prohibiting her from conducting KSHAA physicals, that she could terminate the policy. Licensee advised the Board that she has no intention of providing KSHAA physicals in the future.

6. Licensee also presented a copy of the Certified Chiropractic Sports Physician calendar for their 100 CME hour course, sponsored by Palmer College of Chiropractic. Licensee advised the Board that she is agreeable to taking the course, whether or not she performs physicals in the future.

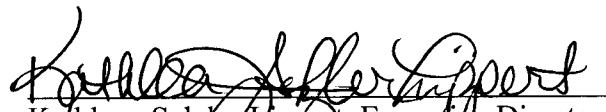
7. Licensee advises the Board that she is agreeable to completing the CPEP personalized implementation policy in regards to her medical records, she is agreeable to attending and completing the Certified Chiropractic Sports Physician CME course sponsored by Palmer College of Chiropractic, and that she is agreeable to having her medical records monitored by a Kansas licensed M.D., D.O., or D.C. if she were to return to providing KSHAA physicals in lieu of further disciplinary action against her license.

8. Based on the facts shown, the Board concludes that Licensee has shown good cause as to why the limitation imposed on her license should be lifted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, BY THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS that the limitation imposed by the Summary Order filed on July 24, 2014, is hereby **TERMINATED**.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Licensee shall complete the personalized implementation program offered by CPEP, that she shall complete the Certified Chiropractic Sports Physician CME course by June 30, 2015, and provide proof to the Board within 30 days of the completion of both courses, and that she shall have a Kansas licensed M.D., D.O., or D.C. who is approved by the Board, monitor her medical records for a period of one year if she were to return to providing KSHAA physicals.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 17 DAY OF DECEMBER, 2014, IN THE CITY OF TOPEKA, COUNTY OF SHAWNEE, STATE OF KANSAS.


Kathleen Selzer 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, Executive Director, at 800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A, Topeka, KS 66612.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing **Final Order Terminating Licensure Limitation** was served this 18th day of December, 2014 by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class, postage prepaid, and addressed to:

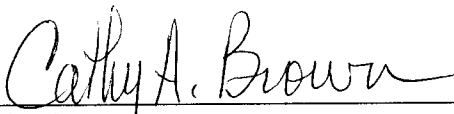
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And a copy was hand-delivered to:

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And the original was filed with the office of the Executive Director.



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