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

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF
HEALING ARTS

In the Matter of)
)
KEITH PATTISON, D.O.,)
Applicant)
_____)

Docket No. 03-HA-17

FINAL ORDER

NOW, on this 12th day of October, 2002, this matter comes before the Board upon an application to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery. The Board has filed an answer in opposition to the application. Keith Pattison, D.O., Applicant, appears in person. The Board appears through Shelly R. Wakeman, Disciplinary Counsel.

After hearing statements of the parties, and having the agency record before it, the Board finds, concludes and orders as follows:

1. On or about May 31, 2002, Applicant submitted an application for a license to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas. Applicant's application was complete and filed with the Board on September 20, 2002.

2. Applicant currently holds an active medical license in Missouri and practices psychiatry in that state.

3. On or about February 11, 1998, Applicant entered into a Settlement Agreement with the Missouri State Board of Registration for the Healing Arts ("Missouri Board"), for disciplinary action against his Missouri license. The Missouri Board publicly reprimanded Applicant, placed limitations and restrictions on his practice of medicine, required him to submit to an evaluation and recommended care, counseling or treatment, and his Missouri license was placed on five (5) years probation.

4. On or about November 8, 1999, the Missouri Board entered a Disciplinary Order imposing further disciplinary measures against Applicant's Missouri license in the form of a ninety (90) day suspension and an additional two (2) years probation for violating the terms of the

agreement by providing treatment to female patients without approval. He also failed to submit required quarterly compliance reports to the Missouri Board.

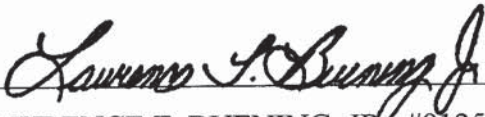
5. Applicant has presented information indicating that he is not impaired in his ability to safely practice medicine and surgery and that he has been compliant with the Settlement Agreement since November 8, 1999, and that he can safely practice medicine and surgery without restrictions.

6. On September 17, 2002 the Missouri Board entered an Amended Order removing the restrictions prohibiting Applicant from treating female patients.

7. The Board finds there is sufficient evidence on the record to support that Applicant has been rehabilitated to warrant the public trust, that he is fit to practice medicine in the field of psychiatry, and that he should be granted a license without restriction.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that the response in opposition to the application be denied and that Applicant is entitled to an unrestricted license to practice osteopathic medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Final Order** was served on the 29th day of October, 2002, by depositing same in the United States mail, first-class postage prepaid and addressed to:

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