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



In the Matter of	)	
CHRISTOPHER L. POUNDS, D.C.	)	KS State Board of Healing Arts
	)	
Kansas License No. 01-05552	)	Docket No. 18-HA00056
	)	

## EX PARTE EMERGENCY ORDER OF SUSPENSION

**NOW** on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018, this matter comes before the Board on Petitioner's Motion for *Ex Parte* Emergency Order of Suspension and for Emergency Proceedings. There are no other appearances.

Upon review of the agency record in KSBHA Docket No. 18-HA00056, including the Petition, Motions, and attached exhibits, the Presiding Officer finds, concludes and orders as follows:

- 1. On May 25, 2018, Petitioner filed a Petition alleging that Christopher L. Pounds, D.C. ("Licensee") committed violations of the Healing Arts Act and requesting disciplinary action against Licensee's license.
- 2. Petitioner also filed a Motion for *Ex Parte* Emergency Order of Suspension and for Emergency Proceedings ("Motion"). The Motion incorporated the allegations of the Petition by reference.
- 3. Based on the facts and documentary evidence as set forth and incorporated in the Motion at paragraphs 1 through 33, incorporated here by reference, the Board finds that an immediate danger exists pursuant to K.S.A. 77-536(c).

4. The Board further finds that the conclusions of law and policy contained in the Motion

at paragraphs 34 through 40, incorporated here by reference, justify the requested emergency

suspension pursuant to K.S.A. 77-536(c).

IT IS THEREFORE, ORDERED that the license of Christopher L. Pounds, D.C., is

hereby emergently SUSPENDED on a temporary basis pending an evidentiary hearing to

determine if there is adequate cause for the suspension to remain in effect during the proceedings

on the underlying Petition.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 25th day of May, 2018.

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

Robin Durrett, D.O.
Presiding Officer

## **NOTICE OF RIGHTS**

This is an emergency order. An emergency order is effective when rendered. A party to an agency proceeding may seek judicial review of an emergency order by filing a petition in the District Court as authorized by K.S.A. 77-601, *et seq.* A petition for judicial review is not timely unless filed within 30 days following service of the order. A copy of any petition for judicial review must be served upon Kathleen Selzler Lippert, Executive Director, Kansas State Board of Healing Arts, 800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A, Topeka, Kansas 66612.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a true copy of the foregoing Order was served this 25<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018 by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, and addressed to:

Bradley M. Dowd *Licensee's Attorney* 

Kansas City, MO 64108

Christopher L. Pounds, DC *Licensee* 

Overland Park, KS 66213

And copies were hand-delivered to:

Courtney Manly, Associate Litigation Counsel J. Todd Hiatt, Associate Litigation Counsel Kansas State Board of Healing Arts 800 SW Jackson Lower Level, Ste A Topeka, KS 66612

And a copy was given to:

Robin Durrett, D.O. KSBHA Presiding Officer Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

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

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