


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

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**In the Matter of** )  
**MARGARET E. BARNIDGE, DO** )  
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**Kansas License No. 05-39764** )  
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KS State Board of Healing Arts

**Docket No. 19-HA00039**

**JOURNAL ENTRY ON WAIVER OF HEARING  
ON EMERGENCY TEMPORARY SUSPENSION**

A hearing on whether the emergency temporary suspension of Licensee’s license, entered on November 8, 2018, should remain in effect pending a formal hearing on the Petition filed in this matter, was scheduled to commence at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 6, 2018. All parties were served with notice of this hearing and no objections to the notice or the proposed proceedings were filed. On December 5, 2018, Margaret E. Barnidge, D.O. (“Licensee”), wrote the Board and advised that she wished to waive the hearing and wished for the presiding officer to rule on the issue noticed for hearing without a hearing. Licensee further advised that she did not have further information to submit in response to the Motion.

Upon consideration of the communication received from Licensee and the agency record, including the Petition, Motion, and attached exhibits, the Presiding Officer finds, concludes and orders as follows:

1. The emergency temporary suspension of Licensee’s license, entered on November 8, 2018, shall remain in effect pending a formal hearing on the Petition filed in this matter.
2. For the reasons stated in the November 8, 2018 Order, and based on Licensee’s waiver of the hearing and communication regarding the same, the presiding officer finds that there continues to be cause to believe that grounds exist for disciplinary action and there continues to be cause to believe that the person's immediate continuation in practice would constitute an

imminent danger to the public health and safety, pursuant to K.S.A. 65-2838(c) and K.S.A. 77-536(c).

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that the license of Margaret F. Barnidge, D.O., remains **SUSPENDED** pursuant to the Ex Parte Emergency Order of Suspension entered on November 8, 2018, on a temporary basis pending a formal hearing on the Petition filed in this matter.

**IT IS SO ORDERED** this 8th day of January 2019.

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

/s/Tucker Poling, #23266, for  
Robin Durrett, D.O.  
Presiding Officer

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that a true copy of the foregoing Order was served this 8<sup>th</sup> day of January 2019, by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, and emailed, addressed to:

Margaret E. Barnidge, DO

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Frontenac, KS 66763

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*Licensee*

And copies were hand-delivered to:

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

  
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Jennifer Cook  
Legal Assistant