## BEFORE THE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of	) Case # 2014-5016	
Sandy Lee Santee, applicant CCA	)	
	) ) <b>DEFAULT ORDER</b>	
	) DENIAL OF CERTIFICAT	E
	)	

The Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners (hereafter "Board" or "OBCE") is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining chiropractic physicians and certified chiropractic assistants in the State of Oregon. Sandy Lee Santee (hereafter "CCA applicant"), applied for a license as a certified chiropractic assistant in Oregon. The Board proposes to deny the certificate of the above applicant on the following basis:

## Findings of Fact

1.

On September 23, 2014, the OBCE received CCA's application for a certificate to practice as a certified chiropractic assistant in Oregon. On question five of the application where Applicant was asked if she had ever been arrested or charged with a violation, misdemeanor or felony, Applicant responded no.

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On question 7 of the application where it asks if they have ever been convicted of, pled guilty, or no contest to any offense, misdemeanor or felony which could have resulted in imprisonment, Applicant responded no.

3.

Board staff followed up and found that Applicant had been arrested and charged for a DUI in 2012 which was diverted and had been arrested and charged for a second DUI in September 2013. The 2013 charge for DUI resulted in a conviction in case number CR 1312826 in Clackamas County Court.

Applicant was not truthful in her answers to questions 5 and 7 in her application. Applicant later provided explanations as to her DUI arrests/convictions. She indicated she thought the diverted DUI from 2012 would not show up on her background. She did not provide a reason as to why she did not divulge the 2013 arrest and conviction.

On November 25, 2014, a Proposed Denial of Certificate was sent to applicant at the address she provided to the Board. In that notice, Applicant was notified that she had 60 days to request a hearing on the denial. Applicant was notified that if she did not request a hearing a default order would be issued. Applicant did not request a hearing and she is now in default.

Conclusions of Law

5.

The Board finds that the acts and conduct of applicant in her application and responses to such, are cause to refuse to grant a certificate to Applicant. The misrepresentations in the responses to questions regarding criminal convictions is evidence of fraud or misrepresentation in applying for or procuring a certificate; in violation of **OAR 811-010-0110(14)(b)**. In addition, the Board may also deny a certificate for conviction of a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude or a felony pursuant to **OAR 811-010-0110(14)(c)**. The Board finds that two misdemeanor arrests for DUI are crimes involving moral turpitude.

Order

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The Board hereby denies the application of Applicant for a Certified Chiropractic Assistant.

DATED this 18 day of February, 2015.

**BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS** State of Oregon

By:

Cassandra C. Skinner J.D., Executive Director Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners