1	BEFORE THE
2	BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
3	STATE OF OREGON
4 5 6 7	In the Matter of the License of) CHRISTOPHER WHETSTINE,) STIPULATED ORDER INSTATING Applicant.) LICENSE AND IMPOSING CONDITIONS
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9	The Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners (OBCE) is the state
10	agency responsible for licensing and disciplining certain health
11	care providers in Oregon, including chiropractic physicians. The
12	OBCE further is responsible for certifying ancillary personnel.
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14	Christopher Whetstine (Mr. Whetstine) completed his application
15	for Ancillary Personnel certification with OBCE on June 22, 1994.
16	He had never been certified with OBCE before. The supervising
17	doctor listed on the application was Ronald Grice, D.C. Dr. Grice
18	paid the required fees for Mr. Whetstine's certificate.
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20	Prior to a certificate being issued a dispute arose between Mr.
21	Whetstine and Dr. Grice. The dispute resulted in the termination of
22	Mr. Whetstine's employment and, at Dr. Grice's request a refund was
23	issued. Due to the lack of a supervising doctor and the lack of
24	necessary fees, Mr. Whetstine's application was not processed.
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2 Mr. Whetstine submitted another application for Ancillary

- 3 Personnel certification to the OBCE on October 14, 1994. The
- 4 application was returned to Mr. Whetstine due to the fact it was not
- 5 complete. The completed application was received in the Board
- 6 office on November 14, 1994. The supervising doctor listed on the
- 7 application was Gregory Doors, D.C.
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- 9 On his application Mr. Whetstine indicated that he had been
- 10 "arrested for or charged with" the crime of Manufacture of a
- 11 Controlled Substance, Marijuana. He also indicated that he had
- 12 "been convicted, plead guilty or pled nolo contendere" to that
- 13 charge.
- 14 6.
- Lane County Circuit Court records indicated that Mr. Whetstine
- 16 was indicted by the Lane Country Grand Jury in July, 1993, on
- 17 charges of: 1. Unlawful Manufacture of a Controlled Substance 2.
- 18 Unlawful Delivery of a Controlled Substance 3. Unlawful Possession
- 19 of a controlled Substance.
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- Lane County Circuit Court records filed on May 24, 1994,
- 22 indicate that Mr. Whetstine was found guilty of the crime of
- 23 Unlawful Manufacture of a Controlled Substance by plea and was
- 24 convicted of that charge.
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On December 20, 1994, the OBCE filed a Notice of Denial of

- 3 Ancillary Personnel Certificate. Pursuant to the Notice of Denial
- 4 of Ancillary Personnel Certificate, Mr. Whetstine requested a formal
- 5 hearing.
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- 7 It is the desire of the OBCE and Mr. Whetstine to resolve the
- 8 Notice of Denial of Ancillary Personnel Certificate by the
- 9 following:
- 10 The OBCE will grant Mr. Whetstine an Ancillary Personnel
- 11 certificate to work in Oregon upon payment of the required fees
- 12 provided Mr. Whetstine agrees to the imposition of probation for two
- 13 years from the date of the execution of this document.
- 14 If during the two-year probation Mr. Whetstine is charged with
- 15 Unlawful Manufacture of a Controlled Substance, Unlawful Delivery of
- 16 a Controlled Substance, Unlawful Possession of a Controlled Substance
- 17 or any other related drug offense, his certificate may be immediately
- 18 suspended, and after a contested case hearing, be revoked.
- 19 10.
- 20 The OBCE retains the right to examine the subject of this
- 21 stipulated order in any future disciplinary or licensing proceedings
- 22 involving Mr. Whetstine.
- 23 11.
- 24 Violation of any of the terms and conditions of this
- 25 stipulation, or any of the OBCE's statutes, rules or code of
- 26 professional conduct, by Mr. Whetstine during the period of the

1	probation shall in effect constitute grounds for the OBCE's
2	immediate suspension of Mr. Whetstine's Ancillary Personnel
3	certificate. In addition, the OBCE may initiate other disciplinary
4	and/or enforcement actions against Mr. Whetstine as it deems
- 5	appropriate.
6	IT IS SO STIPULATED this 6 day of November, 1996.
7	Original signatures on file at the OBCE office.
8	ROBERT J. SMITH, ATTORNEY FOR CHRISTOPHER WHETSTINE
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10	IT IS SO STIPULATED AND THEREFORE ORDERED this day of
11	November, 1996.
12	BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS State of Oregon
13	Original signature on file
14	By: at the OBCE office. Dave McTeague, Executive Director
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