

BEFORE THE
BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
STATE OF OREGON

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Oregon Board of
Chiropractic Examiners

In the Matter of the License to)
Practice Chiropractic of)
STEVEN G. CRANFORD, D.C.,)
Licensee.)

STIPULATED ORDER
REINSTATING ACTIVE
LICENSE AND IMPOSING
CONDITIONS

1.

The Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners (OBCE) is the state agency responsible for licensing and disciplining certain health care providers in Oregon, including chiropractic physicians.

Steven G. Cranford, D.C. (Dr. Cranford) is a licensee of the OBCE.

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On August 4, 1995, Dr. Cranford and the OBCE entered into an agreement wherein Dr. Cranford agreed to apply to the OBCE for inactive status and agreed that he would not practice chiropractic in the State of Oregon for 90 days beginning August 1, 1995. He also agreed to be immediately evaluated for alcohol and controlled substance abuse by a qualified treatment provider or organization and to enter into such treatment program.

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Under the terms of that agreement, Dr. Cranford, upon successful completion of his treatment program could request the OBCE reinstate his license to active status upon completing certain conditions. On November 9, 1995, Dr. Cranford requested that, at its next regular meeting, the OBCE review his case and

1 grant him an active license. At its November 16, 1995 meeting,
2 the OBCE met with Dr. Cranford and upon being fully advised,
3 decided that Dr. Cranford has complied with all of the terms of
4 the August 5, 1995 agreement and is otherwise in compliance with
5 the OBCE's licensing requirements, including payment of applicable
6 fees and satisfaction of continuing education requirements.

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8 As such, the OBCE reinstates Dr. Cranford's license to
9 practice chiropractic in Oregon as of the execution of this
10 document provided Dr. Cranford agrees to the imposition of
11 probation for two years from the date of execution of this
12 document. During this probationary period, Dr. Cranford shall
13 comply with the treatment aftercare requirements prescribed by the
14 OBCE, including random urinalysis:

15 (a) Dr. Cranford continue his recovery program with Serenity
16 Lane;

17 (b) Dr. Cranford provide documentary proof of
18 rehabilitation;

19 (c) Dr. Cranford continue participating in and complying
20 with the State of Oregon Impaired Practitioner Program;

21 (d) Dr. Cranford provide the OBCE with appropriate proof of
22 continuing education required under the rules and statutes for
23 licensure;

24 (e) Dr. Cranford releases to the OBCE the results of
25 urinalysis provided to the Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners

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1 and any other entity. Dr. Cranford also agrees to random
2 urinalysis at the request of the OBCE.

3 (f) All costs for testing, rehabilitation or other care are
4 the sole responsibility of Dr. Cranford.

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6 If Dr. Cranford's urine tests positive for alcohol or
7 controlled substances, his chiropractic license shall be
8 immediately suspended, and, may after contested case hearing, be
9 revoked. If Dr. Cranford fails to submit to random urinalysis, or
10 to release the results of urinalysis to the OBCE, his license
11 shall be immediately suspended, and, may after contested case
12 hearing, be revoked.

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14 The OBCE retains the right to examine the subject of this
15 stipulated order and the August 5, 1995 agreement in any future
16 disciplinary or licensing proceedings involving Dr. Cranford.

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18 Violation of any of the terms and conditions of this
19 stipulation, or any of the OBCE's statutes, rules or code of
20 professional conduct, by Dr. Cranford during the period of the
21 probation shall in effect constitute grounds for the OBCE's
22 immediate suspension of Dr. Cranford's license to practice
23 chiropractic in the State of Oregon. In addition, the OBCE may

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1 initiate other disciplinary and/or enforcement actions against
2 Dr. Cranford as it deems appropriate.

3 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

4 Original signatures on file at
5 the OBCE office.

12-22-95
Date

6 IT IS SO STIPULATED AND THEREFORE ORDERED this 28 day
7 of December, 1995.

8 BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
9 State of Oregon

10 By: Cl Original signatures on file
11 at the OBCE office. ector

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