



BEFORE THE
BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
STATE OF OREGON

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In the Matter of)
) STIPULATED FINAL ORDER
Deborah Hildebrandt DC)
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 Licensee.) Case # 2008-5024

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners (Board or OBCE) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining chiropractic physicians in the State of Oregon. Deborah Hildebrandt DC (Licensee) is licensed by the Board to practice as a chiropractic physician in the State of Oregon. The Board and Licensee agree as follows:

Findings of Fact

1.

In her 2008 Licensee Renewal Notice and Affidavit signed on June 1, 2008, Licensee affirmed that she had completed the required number of continuing education credits that the license renewal required. The renewal application stated "I swear, and affirm that during the previous license year, I completed the required number of CE credits for my license status and my signature below verifies that all information hereon is true and correct." Licensee was required to complete the required 20 hours of continuing education by June 30, 2008 but did not.

2.

In a letter received December 11, 2008, Licensee stated, "I am injured and unable to practice as a chiropractor. Because of these hardships I let the CPE requirement slide. I was unaware that I could have applied for a hardship waiver, or I would have done so."

Conclusions of Law

3.

The Board finds that Licensee's failure to respond and/or to complete the CE within the time period required is a violation of OAR 811-15-0025 and ORS 684.092. In signing the renewal affidavit stating the CE was completed within that time period, when it was not, Licensee violated OAR 811-035-0015(16).

Agreement

4.

This matter having come properly before and been considered by the Board, Licensee having voluntarily stipulated and consented to the issuance and entry of this order by signing below: IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Licensee's status will be changed to Inactive effective immediately.
2. Licensee is issued a \$250 Civil Penalty for filing a false affidavit, \$125 of which is stayed.
3. Licensee will not be refunded the \$125 difference between her Active and Inactive Licensee for the current licensure year, and the OBCE accepts that difference as payment towards the remaining \$125 Civil Penalty.
4. The OBCE accepts Licensee's hardship waiver for continuing education.
5. When or if Licensee chooses to renew Active, she will be required to provide the Board with 20 hours of chiropractic continuing education as part of that renewal.
6. By signing this stipulation Licensee understands that she has been advised of her right to request a hearing on this matter and agrees to waive this right to a hearing or appeal of this matter.

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
State of Oregon

Original signature on file at OBCE.

By:

Dave McLeague, Executive Director

Date: 1-23-2009

Original signature on file at OBCE.

Deborah Hildebrandt DC

Date: 27 Jan 2009

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