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BEFORE THE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
FOR THE STATE OF OREGON

In The Matter of)
Maija Katlaps, D.C.,) STIPULATED FINAL
ORDER
98-3002

1.

Maija E. Katlaps (Katlaps) and the Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners (OBCE) stipulate that Katlaps engaged in the practice of chiropractic without a valid chiropractic license and is in violation of ORS 684.020; and is subject to the jurisdiction of the OBCE, which is the state agency responsible for licensing and regulating chiropractic in the State of Oregon.

2.

Katlaps was a licensed chiropractic physician in the State of Oregon between August 30, 1975, and July 31, 1995. Her license expired on July 31, 1995, by operation of law when she did not renew her chiropractic license.

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Specifically, Katlaps agrees to the following: She assisted with the delivery of live births after her license expired beginning on or about September 1, 1995. She signed her name Maija Katlaps, D.C. as the certified signature, and she assisted at the following six live births:

- a. Baby AA, September 12, 1995
- b. Baby BB, March 4, 1996

- 1 c. Baby CC, July 11, 1996
- 2 d. Baby DD, June 2, 1997
- 3 e. Baby EE, June 10, 1997
- 4 f. Baby FF, June 23, 1997

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6 On or about January 29, 1998, the OBCE investigator talked to Katlaps over the
7 telephone who admitted that she was paid for her services. Katlaps delivered baby
8 C.C. to patient A on July 11, 1996. Patient A. went to Katlaps because she believed
9 that Ms Katlaps was a chiropractic physician. Katlaps delivered baby B.B. to
10 patient B. on March 4, 1996. Patient B. also went to Katlaps for prenatal care, and
11 Katlaps did chiropractic adjustments to Patient B. while under Ms Katlaps care.

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14 Katlaps and the OBCE agree to a civil penalty of \$10,000.00 pursuant to ORS
15 684.100 (9)(f) for practicing chiropractic without a valid State of Oregon
16 chiropractic license in violation of ORS 684.020 which is reduced to \$1000.00
17 provided that Katlaps provide to the OBCE a signed statement from all future
18 potential mothers of babies delivered by her, stating that they understand Katlaps
19 is not a chiropractic physician licensed by the State of Oregon. Katlaps and the
20 OBCE further agree that Katlaps will provide the OBCE proof of completion of not
21 less than 150 clock hours of community service, as approved by the OBCE Executive
22 Director, in lieu of the \$1,000 fine; and that the community service must be
23 completed within one year from the date of this order.

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26 Katlaps further agrees to refrain from the practice of chiropractic without a
27 valid chiropractic license, and that any violation of this order makes the \$10,000
28 civil penalty immediately due and payable.

IT IS SO SITPULATED

DATED this 24th day of July, 1998

Original signatures on file at
the OBCE office.

DATED this 3rd day of August, 1998

Board of Chiropractic Examiners
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Original signatures on file
at the OBCE office.

Dave [Signature], Executive Director