BEFORE THE 1 BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS 2 STATE OF OREGON 3 In the Matter of the License to 4 Practice Chiropractic of 5 THOMAS WRIGHT, D.C. STIPULATED FINAL ORDER 6 Licensee. 7 The Oregon Board of Chiropractic Examiners (OBCE) is the 8 state agency responsible for licensing chiropractic physicians in 9 the State of Oregon. Thomas Wright, D.C. (Dr. Wright), is a 10 licensed chiropractic physician in Oregon. 11 Pursuant to ORS 183.415(5), in order to informally dispose 12 of and settle this matter, the OBCE and Dr. Wright agree that the 13 following facts are true: 14 15 Dr. Wright is practicing chiropractic at the Gresham 16 Chiropractic Clinic, 575 N.E. 2nd, Gresham, Oregon 97030, and has 17 advertised free "X-rays". A copy of Licensee's flyer 18 advertisement is attached hereto and marked Exhibit A. 19 20 On July 5, 1994, Dr. Wright received a letter from the OBCE 21 notifying him not to advertise free radiographs. 22 3. 23 On October 20, 1994, the OBCE issued a Notice of Proposed 24 Civil Penalty, alleging that Dr. Wright violated ORS 684.100 and 25 26 III

OAR 811-30-020(8) and proposed to impose civil penalties and assess costs of this disciplinary proceeding against Dr. Wright.

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On October 25, 1994, the OBCE received a letter from Dr. Wright stating that he felt it was an unintentional action on his part to not comply with the administrative rules and that the penalty proposed, in his opinion, was unwarranted.

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After speaking with the OBCE regarding the fine imposed on Dr. Wright, the OBCE received a letter from Dr. Wright dated January 17, 1995, wherein Dr. Wright made an appeal to the OBCE to accept \$200 as full payment, and apologized to the OBCE for his unintentional action regarding the advertising of radiographs.

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To avoid the costs and risks of proceeding to hearing, the OBCE and Dr. Wright stipulate and agree as follows:

- 6.1 Dr. Wright admits that advertising free radiographs is unprofessional conduct and in violation of ORS 684.100(1)(g)(B) and OAR 811-30-020(8).
- 6.2 Dr. Wright agrees that cause exists for the OBCE to issue civil penalties and costs of this proceeding, and agrees to the imposition of this discipline.
- 6.4 Dr. Wright hereby waives his right to a hearing on any issues presented herein.

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6.5 Both parties agree to the entry of a Final Order on the following terms which are mutually acceptable and Dr. Wright voluntarily agrees to comply as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

 That Dr. Wright shall pay the sum of \$200 in civil penalties to the State of Oregon, Board of Chiropractic Examiners, which has already been received.

IT IS SO STIPULATED this 9 day of February, 1995.

Original signatures on file at the OBCE office.
THOMAS WKIGHT, D.C.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 7 day of Jul.

BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS State of Oregon

By Original signatures on file at the OBCE office.

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