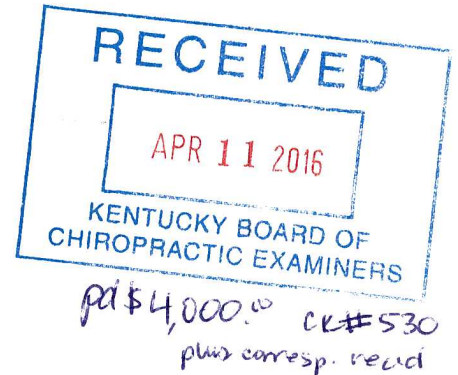


**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
KENTUCKY BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS**

**IN RE: CHIROPRACTIC LICENSE # 5029
 HELD BY Paul Sinh Tran, D.C.
 Administrative Case #15-038**

Paul Sinh Tran, D.C.
205 Champion Way Ste # 8
Georgetown, KY 40324



AGREED ORDER

Parties

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreed Order herein are the Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners, hereinafter referred to as the “Board,” and Paul Sinh Tran D.C., hereinafter referred to as the “Respondent”;

Jurisdiction

WHEREAS, the Board has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to KRS Chapter 312 and the related administrative regulations;

History

WHEREAS, the Respondent was investigated by the Office of the Inspector General, and the investigation reports and records were forwarded to the Board on November 16, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the Respondent was found to be in violation of KRS 312.150(1)(f)(g), KRS 312.150(2)(c)(d)(e) and 201 KAR 21:100 Section 1(1) and (2); and

WHEREAS, the parties mutually desire to settle the issues in an

expeditious manner, without the need for a formal hearing.

Terms of Agreement

THEREFORE, it is hereby agreed between the undersigned parties that this matter shall be settled and resolved upon the following terms:

1) The Respondent shall carefully review the Agreed Order herein and enters into this Agreed Order knowingly, willingly and voluntarily and after having reviewed the due process rights afforded to the Respondent under KRS Chapter 312 and the accompanying regulations;

2) The Respondent, Paul Sinh Tran, D.C., accepts the reprimand of the Board for the above-stated violations. The Respondent agrees to act more diligently in the future to insure he complies with KRS Chapter 312 and the accompanying administrative regulations;

3) The Respondent, Paul Sinh Tran, D.C., shall pay a fine to the Board in the amount of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) for the violation of law for each of the thirty-six (36) patients which were found. The total fine shall be seventy-two thousand dollars (\$72,000.00). Said fine shall be made payable to the "Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners."

4) The original, executed Agreed Order and initial fine payment of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) must be received in the office of the Board, *postmarked no later than May 12, 2016.*

5) The remaining fine amount may be paid in full, or may be paid in four thousand two hundred fifty dollar (\$4,250.00) monthly payments due by the 15th of each month for the next following sixteen (16) months after the

initial payment is made.

6) Within six (6) months of signature of Agreed Order herein, Paul Sinh Tran, D.C. shall complete twenty-four (24) hours of billing/coding continuing education which is approved by the Board, with proof of attendance submitted to the Board. This education is strictly for remedial purpose and shall not also count toward license renewal; and

7) Within six (6) months of signature of Agreed Order herein, Paul Sinh Tran, D.C. shall take and pass the Ethics and Boundaries Assessment through the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners; and

8) The Respondent, Paul Sinh Tran, D.C., shall attend the Kentucky Chiropractic Jurisprudence course prior to March 1, 2017.

9) The Respondent acknowledges that he is ineligible for participation in any chiropractic preceptorship program for two (2) years pursuant to 201 KAR 21:085, Section 1(7); and

10) The Respondent agrees to a suspension of his license to practice chiropractic for ninety (90) days, however the suspension shall be probated for a period of five (5) years. The probated suspension shall be served if and only if the Respondent violates KRS 312 or 201 KAR Chapter 21 within the probationary period and is convicted by the Board of that violation pursuant to the processes outlined in 201 KAR 21:051 or KRS Chapter 13B;

11) The Respondent, Paul Sinh Tran, D.C., agrees that the failure to comply with any of the terms and conditions of this Agreed Order may result in the Board setting the matter for an administrative hearing in accord with KRS

Chapter 13B.

Voluntary Waiver of Rights

The Respondent, Paul Sinh Tran, D.C., has had the opportunity at all times to seek advice from competent counsel of choice. No coercion has been exerted upon the Respondent, nor have any promises been made other than those reflected in this Agreed Order.

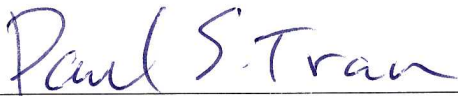
Publication of Settlement Agreement

The Respondent acknowledges that, once adopted by the Board, this Agreed Order may be considered a public document, available for inspection at any time by any member of the public under the Kentucky Open Records Act, and may be reportable under federal law. This Agreed Order may at any time be published on the Board's website, www.kbce.ky.gov.

Complete Agreement


This Agreed Order consists of four (4) pages and embodies the entire agreement between the Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners and Paul Sinh Tran, D.C.. It may not be altered, amended or modified without the express written consent of both parties.

Have Seen, Understood and Approved:



Paul Sinh Tran, D.C.
License No. 5029
Respondent

Date 4/8/16



MARK WOODWARD, D.C.
President
Kentucky Board of Chiropractic

Date 07-01-16
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