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**IN RE: APPLICATION FOR CHIROPRACTIC LICENSE SUBMITTED BY
JOSEPH ROBERT MARTIN, D.C.**

JOSEPH ROBERT MARTIN, D.C.
919 Hampshire Drive
Louisville KY 40207

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 Joseph Robert Martin, 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 applied for a license to practice chiropractic in the Commonwealth of Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, the Respondent's application indicated that he was suspended from Sherman College of Chiropractic for one (1) quarter for adjusting a patient's thoracic vertebrae without the proper supervision, specifically without a floor doctor in the room; and

WHEREAS, the Respondent's application revealed that he failed a clinic lab class in his second quarter of clinic because he used other students'

narratives as an outline to write his own for an assignment; and

WHEREAS, the parties mutually desire to settle the issues in an expeditious manner.

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 him under KRS Chapter 312 and the accompanying regulations;

2) The Respondent, Joseph Robert Martin, D.C., agrees to be placed on **PROBATION** for a period of one (1) year commencing ^{APRIL 13, 2006} ~~June 29~~, 2006. During said probationary period he will act diligently to insure compliance with KRS Chapter 312 and the accompanying administrative regulations. As the time for the commencement of this Agreed Order will have passed before the entry of this Agreed Order, the Board agrees to give the Respondent credit for the time which has lapsed and thus the probationary period will terminate on ^{APRIL 12, 2007} ~~June 28~~, 2007;

3) Upon receipt of the executed Agreed Order, the Board shall issue a license to practice chiropractic in the Commonwealth of Kentucky to the Respondent. To expedite this matter, the Respondent may forward a copy of this executed Agreed Order to the Board via U.S. mail, fax or email attachment to the offices of the Board;

4) The original, executed Agreed Order must be received in the office of the board, *postmarked no later than October 11, 2006*;

5) The board shall make no referral of this matter for any criminal proceeding;

6) The Respondent, Joseph Robert Martin, D.C., agrees that his 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. Specifically, adjudicated violations of KRS Chapter 312 and/or the accompanying administrative regulations may result in additional probationary time in addition to the punishment meted out for the aforesaid adjudicated violations.

Voluntary Waiver of Rights

The Respondent, Joseph Robert Martin, 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.

Complete Agreement

This Settlement Agreement consists of four (4) pages and embodies the

entire agreement between the Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners and Joseph Robert Martin, D.C. It may not be altered, amended or modified without the express written consent of both parties.


Have Seen, Understood and Approved:



JOSEPH ROBERT MARTIN, D.C.
Respondent

9/28/2006

Date



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

10/12/06

Date

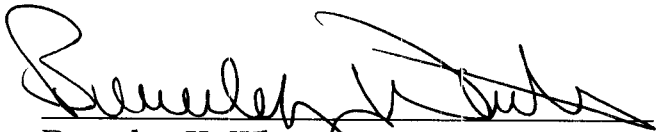
Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Agreed Order** was mailed via U.S. mail, postage pre-paid to the following this 13th day of October, 2006:

JOSEPH ROBERT MARTIN, D.C.
919 Hampshire Drive
Louisville KY 40207
Respondent

HON. DIANE SCHULER FLEMING
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Frankfort KY 40601
Board Counsel

And the original shall be maintained by the Board



Beverley K. White
Board Administrator
Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners