

**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
KENTUCKY BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
IN RE: 2023-KBCE-007**

KENTUCKY BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

COMPLAINANT

V.

D.C. JEREMIAH HOLMES

RESPONDENT

AGREED ORDER

Parties

WHEREAS, the parties to the Agreed Order hereinafter are the Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners, herein referred to as the “Board” or “KBCE”, and JEREMIAH HOLMES (KBCE License No. 248952), hereinafter referred to as “Respondent”;

Jurisdiction

WHEREAS, The Respondent acknowledges that the Board has jurisdiction over the Respondent’s KBCE credential and the alleged subject matter herein. The Respondent also acknowledges that the Board has the legal authority to take disciplinary action against his credential up to, and including, revocation of the Respondent’s KBCE credential. The Respondent acknowledges that the Board will retain jurisdiction over this matter until all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreed Order have been met to the satisfaction of the Board. The Board has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to KRS Chapter 312.015 *et seq.* and the related administrative regulations;

History

WHEREAS, the parties mutually desire to settle the issues in an expeditious manner, without the need for a formal hearing pursuant to KRS 13B; and

WHEREAS, the Board has initiated disciplinary proceedings against the Respondent, and alleges possible violations of applicable laws and regulations governing chiropractic including but not limited to KRS 312.150(1)(f) and (g), 201 KAR 21:100 Section 1, arising out of a set of factual circumstances as set forth in a complaint submitted on or about July 18, 2023, a copy of which was provided to the Respondent and which has been assigned the title “20230KBCE-007”; and

WHEREAS, the Respondent provided a response in writing admitting in part and denying in part both a) the allegations and b) having committed any statutory and regulatory violations; and

WHEREAS, the Respondent was under the impression that the terms proposed by prior Board counsel in writing dated February 1, 2024, had been previously agreed to, but no such agreement had ever been documented via a fully integrated writing signed by all parties; and

WHEREAS, the Board and the Respondent desire to enter into an Agreed Order that hereby resolves the subject matter of this Complaint in full, under the original terms contained in the writing dated February 1, 2024 and as clarified in the parties' e-mail exchanges dated September 23, 2026 and September 24, 2026; and.

WHEREFORE, in light of the foregoing, it is hereby agreed between the undersigned parties that this matter shall be settled and resolved upon the following terms:

- 1) The Respondent has carefully reviewed 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 312.015 et seq. and the accompanying regulations;
- 2) The Respondent, DC Jeremiah Holmes, hereby agrees to obtain 12 additional continuing education hours of Board-approved continuing education in the subject matter of record keeping and/or note taking, to have been completed not later than 6 months from the effective date of this Agreed Order, and shall provide certification or other evidence of the completion of this requirement to the Board within thirty (30) days of completion of same, with such to be transmitted via e-mail to KBCE@ky.gov;
- 3) The Respondent, DC Jeremiah Holmes, hereby agrees to pay a \$1,000.00 fine via check made payable to "Kentucky State Treasurer," and sent to the following: "Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners, P.O. Box 1360, Frankfort, KY 40602, within 30 days of the effective date of this Agreed Order;
- 4) In exchange for the agreement of the Board to not seek further or more enhanced disciplinary action against his license in the present matter, the Respondent, DC Jeremiah Holmes, agrees to undergo a period of probation with respect to his chiropractic license for 24 months, with such period to run from **March 1, 2025 through February 28, 2027** (the "Probation Period"), during which time Respondent shall not commit any further violations of any Kentucky statutes or regulations governing the practice of chiropractic. Should the Respondent, however, be found to have committed any violations of Kentucky statutes or regulations governing the practice of chiropractic during the Probation Period¹, then the Board's agreement to not pursue further or more enhanced disciplinary action against Respondent regarding this matter shall be NULL and VOID, and the Board may set this matter for an administrative hearing and may seek any and all legal remedies against Respondent's

¹ For avoidance of doubt, the date of commission, not the date of discovery or adjudication, is the applicable date with respect to the Probationary Period.

license as provided for under applicable law.

- 5) During the Probation Period, Respondent hereby agrees that upon request of the Board, that he will permit any patient files (including but not limited to treatment and billing records) for patients to whom Respondent rendered chiropractic services to be audited by a Board or a lawful representative of the Board, upon reasonable notice given to Respondent and/or the facility's records custodian.
- 6) The original, executed Agreed Order must be received in the office of the Board, *postmarked no later than 14 days from the date the Respondent signs this Agreed Order*. The signed copy may be returned by the Respondent either via the mailing address in Paragraph 3 or via e-mail attachment to: MFT@ky.gov;
- 7) The Respondent expressly agrees that the failure to comply with any of the terms and conditions of this Agreed Order may result in setting this matter for an administrative hearing to take disciplinary action against his license in accord with KRS Chapter 13B;
- 8) KBCE and Respondent agree that each has entered into this agreement to resolve a disputed claim. This agreement and the terms hereof are not to be construed as Respondent's admission of liability, guilt or fault for any of the violations alleged in the July 18, 2023 Complaint as discussed in greater detail in previous paragraphs, with liability, guilt or fault for such alleged violations being expressly denied by Respondent;
- 9) The effective date of this Agreed Order shall be the date on which the later of the signature of the Board and the Respondent is affixed hereto;
- 10) Upon completion of the terms set forth herein by Respondent, the Complaint shall be deemed dismissed with prejudice; and
- 11) All other rights of the parties hereto remain reserved.

Voluntary Waiver of Rights

The Respondent, DC Jeremiah Holmes, 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, <https://kbce.ky.gov>.

Complete Agreement

This Agreed Order consists of four (4) pages and embodies the entire agreement between the KBCE and Respondent. It may not be altered, amended or modified without the express consent of both parties.

Have Seen, Understood and Approved:



Jeremiah Holmes, D.C.
License No. 248952
Respondent

9.25.2026

Date



Michele Bush, Esq.
Counsel for Respondent
(Admitted in Illinois)
Signature Required: 201
KAR 21:051 Sec. 1(5)(d))

9/25/26

Date



Shannon Johnson, D.C.
Board Chairperson
Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners

9/25/26

Date

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing **Agreed Order** was transmitted via the method listed, to the following on October 6, 2026:

Jeremiah Holmes, DC

(sent via email to counsel, Michele Bush (michele.bush@medullallc.com))

Respondent

Matthew D. Ellison

(sent via email, matthew.ellison@ky.gov)

Board Counsel

And the original shall be maintained by the Board.



Ashley Cotton, Board Administrator
Kentucky Board of Chiropractic Examiners