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Alexandra Blasi, Executive Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

October 11, 2023

Rebekah Bishop 2900 Hazen Ave Kansas City KS 66106

RE: Case No. 23-330

Dear Ms. Bishop:

Enclosed you will find a Summary Order issued by the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (Board) in the above-referenced matter. Please read the order in its entirety.

If you disagree with the findings of fact, you have the right to request a hearing. Instructions for filing a written request are included under the "Notices" section of the order. Hearings are held before the full Board during their regularly scheduled quarterly meetings.

According to KSA 65-1627h, the Board is required to recoup the costs of administrative hearings when the decision is adverse to the licensee. These costs may include charges for services rendered by the Board's disciplinary counsel, an administrative law judge, and, if applicable, a court reporter.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the Board at Pharmacy. Compliance@ks.gov.

Sincerely,

Kansas Board of Pharmacy

Enclosure

#### BEFORE THE KANSAS BOARD OF PHARMACY

In the Matter of	)	
	)	Case No. 23-330
Rebekah Bishop	)	
	)	
Applicant	)	

## **SUMMARY ORDER OF DENIAL**

NOW on this 11th day of October, 2023, comes before the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (the "Board"), through its Executive Secretary, the matter of Rebekah Bishop ("Applicant"), for application for a Kansas pharmacy technician registration.

Pursuant to the authority granted to the Board by the Kansas Pharmacy Act, K.S.A. 65-1625, et seq., and in accordance with the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act, K.S.A. 77-501, et seq., the Board's Executive Secretary enters this Summary Order of Denial in the above-captioned matter. After reviewing the investigation materials and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, makes the following findings, conclusions and order:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. On July 20, 2023, the Board received Applicant's application for registration as a pharmacy technician in the State of Kansas ("Applicant's Application").
- 2. As part of the application, Applicant answered "Yes" to the question: "Have you ever been convicted of (includes plea of guilty or no contest) a criminal offense or is there any criminal charge now pending against you (other than minor traffic violations) in any state or federal court whether or not a sentence was imposed, suspended, or diverted? This includes misdemeanors." The application directs that if the applicant answers yes, the applicant must attach a Form S-150: Personal History.

- 3. In conjunction with Applicant's Application, Applicant indicated she had a past DUI and completed outpatient treatment. Applicant's court documents indicated she pleaded guilty to a DUI in 2017 and completed probation.
- 4. The Board received information regarding the following criminal offenses against Applicant: a September 2005 assault offense; a June 2006 municipal/county violation offense and uniform criminal extradition act arrest; an April 2009 Uniform Criminal Extradition Act arrest; an October 2016 misdemeanor DUI offense; a September 2017 felony identity theft, defraud to received benefits < \$100,000 offense; an August 2019 driving while suspended offense; and a January 2020 failure to appear offense.
- 5. On July 24, 2023, the Board sent a letter to Applicant's address of record requesting a completed Personal History Form S-150, as well as certified copies of the court pleadings from each case.
- 6. On multiple occasions on or around September 4, 2023, the Board attempted to contact Applicant by phone to conduct a phone interview. No contact was made.
- 7. On September 11, 2023, the Board mailed and emailed a Final Notice to Applicant's address of record requesting this information.
- 8. To date, the Board has not received a completed S-150 Personal History form from Applicant, the additional requested documents, or any correspondence.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1663 the Board may limit, suspend, or revoke a registration or deny an application for issuance or renewal of any registration as a pharmacy technician on any ground which would authorize the board to take action against the license of a pharmacist under K.S.A. 65-1627, and amendments thereto.

2. That pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1627 (a)(15), the Board may take action against the license of a pharmacist if the licensee has failed to furnish the board, its investigators or its representatives any information legally requested by the board.

3. Applicant's failure to supply the Board with the requested documentation is a violation of K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(15) and a basis to deny Applicant's Application.

### **ORDER**

Based upon the foregoing findings of fact and conclusions of law, Applicant's Application is hereby DENIED.

#### **NOTICES**

The Applicant is hereby notified as follows:

1. The Applicant may request a hearing pursuant to the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act by filing a written request with the Kansas Board of Pharmacy, 800 SW Jackson, Suite 1414, Topeka, KS 66612-1231 within fifteen (15) days after service of this order.

2. If a hearing is not requested as described above, the Order shall become a final order of the Board, effective upon the expiration of the time to request a hearing.

3. Within fifteen (15) days after entry of a final agency order, either party may file a petition for reconsideration pursuant to K.S.A. 77-529.

4. Within the time limits established in K.S.A. 77-613, either party may seek judicial review of a final agency order, pursuant to said statute. The agency officer designated to receive service of a petition for judicial review is:

Alexandra Blasi Executive Secretary Kansas Board of Pharmacy 800 SW Jackson, Suite 1414 Topeka, KS 66612

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10/11/2023 Date	Alexandra Blasi, JD, MBA Executive Secretary Kansas Board of Pharmacy

IT IS SO ORDERED.

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I did, on the 11th day of October, 2023 deposit in business mail a copy of the foregoing Summary Order, which is then placed in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, properly addressed to the following:

Rebekah Bishop 2900 Hazen Ave Kansas City KS 66106

Kansas Board of Pharmacy Staff