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April 7, 2023

Sarrina Finney 2727 N. Amidon - #520 Wichita, Kansas 67204

RE: Case No. 23-215

Dear Sarrina Finney:

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 <u>Pharmacy.Compliance@ks.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Kansas Board of Pharmacy

Enclosure

BEFORE THE KANSAS BOARD OF PHARMACY

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In the Matter of

Sarrina Finney

Registration No. 24-114045

Case No. 23-215

SUMMARY ORDER OF REVOCATION

NOW on this 7th day of April 2023 comes before the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (the "Board"), through its Executive Secretary, the matter of Sarrina Finney ("Respondent").

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 Revocation in the abovecaptioned 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. The Board has issued Respondent Pharmacy Technician Registration Number 24-114045 authorizing Respondent to perform the functions of a pharmacy technician in the State of Kansas ("Respondent's Registration").

2. On December 20, 2022, the Board received notification by way of a DEA-106 report and Risk Management report from Ascension Via Christi St. Francis Pharmacy (the "Pharmacy") regarding the loss (diversion) of controlled medications as follows: 7 tablets of Lorazepam 1mg; 5 tablets of Oxycodone HCl 15mg; and 8 tablets of Oxycodone HCl/Acetaminophen 5mg/325mg. The DEA-106 report and the Risk Management report identified Respondent as the source of the loss/diversion. The Pharmacy suspended Respondent's

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employment on December 5, 2022 and terminated Respondent's employment on December 12, 2022.

3. Subsequently, the Board's inspector conducted an investigation.

4. On or about March 23, 2023, the Board requested a statement from Respondent regarding the reported diversion of controlled substances.

5. To date, the Board has not received any response or correspondence from Respondent.

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 the Board may revoke the license of a pharmacist for unprofessional conduct or professional incompetency as set forth in K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(3).

3. That K.S.A. 65-1626(vvv) defines unprofessional conduct to include the unlawful possession of drugs and/or conduct likely to deceive, defraud, or harm the public.

4. That pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(15), the Board may revoke 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.

5. Respondent's diversion of controlled substances from the Pharmacy are considered unprofessional conduct as it involves the unlawful possession of drugs. In addition, such diversion harms the public by depriving the Pharmacy of the drugs, as well as the patient or potential patient.

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6. Respondent's diversion of controlled substances from the Pharmacy is unprofessional conduct and a basis to revoke Respondent's Registration pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(3).

7. Respondent's failure to supply the Board with the requested response is a violation of K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(15) and a basis to revoke Respondent's Registration.

<u>ORDER</u>

Based upon the foregoing findings of fact and conclusions of law, Respondent's Registration is hereby REVOKED.

NOTICES

The Respondent is hereby notified as follows:

1. The Respondent 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

SUMMARY ORDER OF REVOCATION Page 3 of 5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

4/7/2023

Date

<u>Alexandra Blasi, JD, MBA</u>

Alexan'dra Blasi, JD, MBA Executive Secretary Kansas Board of Pharmacy

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did, on the 7th day of April 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:

Sarrina Finney 2727 N. Amidon #520 Wichita, KS 67204

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