#### BEFORE THE KANSAS BOARD OF PHARMACY

In the Matter of	)	BOARD OF PHARMACY
Charles Frederick III	)	Case 140. 20-041
License No. 1-14958	)	

### **SUMMARY ORDER**

NOW, on this 15th day of April 2020, comes before the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (the "Board"), through its Executive Secretary, the matter of Charles Frederick III ("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 in the above-captioned matter. After reviewing the investigation materials and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board makes the following findings, conclusions and order:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Board has previously issued Respondent License No. 1-14958 which entitles Respondent to practice as a pharmacist in the State of Kansas.
- 2. On February 6, 2020, the Board received from Kansas Surgery & Recovery Center a letter stating that Respondent was terminated as their Pharmacist-in-Charge ("PIC"), effective January 29, 2020.
- 3. On April 9, 2020, the Board received from Kansas Surgery & Recovery Center a Change in PIC Form BA-50, documenting their new PIC and again notifying of Respondent's termination as PIC on January 29, 2020.

- 4. Respondent had signed neither the February letter nor the Form BA-50 received by the BA-50.
  - 5. On April 10,2020, the Board processed the PIC change.
- 6. To date, the Board has not received any notification from Respondent regarding his termination as PIC from Kansas Surgery & Recovery Center.

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1658, the Board may assess a civil fine not to exceed \$5,000, after notice and an opportunity to be heard, to any registrant for violation of the pharmacy act of the state of Kansas or any other rules or regulations of the state board of pharmacy.
- 2. Pursuant to K.A.R. 68-2-5, each pharmacist shall notify the board in writing within five days of ceasing to serve as the pharmacist-in-charge at a pharmacy or registrant required to have a pharmacist-in-charge. The notice shall include the pharmacist's name, the name and address of the pharmacy or registrant, and the date the pharmacist ceased to serve as the pharmacist-in-charge.
- 3. Respondent had five days to notify the Board of Respondent's termination as PIC effective January 29, 2020, or until February 3, 2020.
  - 4. Respondent failed to notify the Board of his termination as PIC.
- 5. Respondent violated K.A.R. 68-2-5 by failing to notify the Board of his termination as PIC within five days.

## <u>ORDER</u>

Based upon the foregoing findings of fact and conclusions of law, Respondent is ordered to pay a fine to the Board. A violation of K.A.R. 68-2-5 warrants a base fine of \$5.00 per day that Respondent is in violation of the regulation, not to exceed \$200.00. Because Respondent has not

to date notified the Board of his resignation as PIC, the total fine is \$200. Respondent has 30 days from the date of this order to pay the full \$200.00.

## **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

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date

Alexandra Blasi, JD, MBA

Executive Secretary

Kansas Board of Pharmacy

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I did, on the \(\frac{1}{2}\) day of April 2020, 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:

CHARLES FREDERICK III 14108 W TAYLOR CIR WICHITA, KS 67235

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