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Alexandra Blasi, Executive Secretary

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October 14, 2022

Mary Jancich
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RE: Case No. 22-244

Dear Ms. Jancich:

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

In addition, the Board's Investigative Member has requested Ms. Jancich receive a complete mental health evaluation for the Board's review prior to any further consideration. Therefore, Ms. Jancich is being referred to the Kansas Pharmacist Recovery Network for assistance in scheduling and completing the mental health evaluation.

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)
) File No. 22-244
MARY K. JANCICH, R.Ph.)
LICENSE NO. 1-10638)

EMERGENCY AGENCY ORDER

Mary K. Jancich, R.Ph. (the “Respondent”) is currently authorized to practice pharmacy in the State of Kansas by reason of the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (the “Board”) having issued her License No. 1-10638.

It has come to the attention of the Board’s Investigation Member that during 2022 and specifically, as recently as October 5, 2022, Respondent’s communications with the Board have displayed strange, incoherent and concerning behavior causing concern that Respondent may be unfit to practice the profession of pharmacy.

After considering the foregoing, the Board’s Executive Secretary, in accordance with the authority granted to her by the Board pursuant to the Board’s delegation of authority policy which was adopted November 27, 2018 and re-approved October 13, 2021, enters the following emergency agency order, pursuant to K.S.A. 77-536 and K.S.A. 65-1627(c).

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

For purposes of this order, the Board’s Executive Secretary makes the following findings of fact:

1. The Board has previously issued Respondent license number 1-10638, which entitled her to practice pharmacy in the State of Kansas (“Respondent’s License”).

2. On multiple occasions in 2022, Respondent has either contacted the Board expressing strange, incoherent and irrelevant matters or appeared at the Board offices without an appointment displaying concerning behavior.
3. On September 19, 2022, Respondent was advised by the Board to follow the guidelines provided to schedule an appointment and instead Respondent sent an incoherent letter raising additional concerns regarding the wellbeing and the safety of the patients she serves as a Pharmacist at her place of employment, Price Chopper, Registration #2-09514 in Gardner, Kansas.
4. Respondent's strange, incoherent and concerning behavior in her position as a Pharmacist poses a serious health risk to the public health and safety or welfare of individuals who she serves in her employment as a licensed Pharmacist.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND FACT

For purposes of this order, the Board's Executive Secretary makes the following conclusions of law and fact:

1. Respondent's continuation in the practice of pharmacy would constitute an immediate danger to the public health and safety or welfare. The least restrictive way to prevent or avoid the immediate danger Respondent poses to the public health, safety and welfare is to suspend Respondent's License.
2. There is cause to believe the acts committed by Respondent could form the basis for discipline of Respondent's License pursuant to various provisions of the Pharmacy Act, including K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(3), as defined by K.S.A. 65-1626(III)(3), and K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(7) and (16).

III. EMERGENCY ORDER

Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-536 and K.S.A. 65-1627(c), and based upon the foregoing findings and conclusions, Respondent's License is hereby suspended until further order of the Board, effective immediately.

Within fifteen (15) days after service of this Emergency Agency Order, either party may file a petition for reconsideration pursuant to K.S.A. 77-529.


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

Alexandra Blasi, JD, MBA
Executive Secretary
Kansas Board of Pharmacy
800 SW Jackson, Suite 1414
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

10/14/2022

Date




ALEXANDRA BLASI, JD, MBA
Executive Secretary
Kansas Board of Pharmacy

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did, on the 14th day of October, 2022, deposit in the United States mail, postage prepaid, a copy of the foregoing EMERGENCY AGENCY ORDER, properly addressed to the following:

Mary Jancich
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Alexandra Blasi, JD, MBA
Executive Secretary
Kansas Board of Pharmacy