## BEFORE THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY Landon State Office Building, Room 513 Topeka, Kansas 66612 785/296-4056

In The Matter

of

Of

Case No.

CONNIE JONES,

Licensed Pharmacist, #1-8762,

Respondent

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## **CONSENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER**

Now on this 20 day of January, 2000, the above-captioned matter comes before the Kansas State Board of Pharmacy (Board) by agreement of Connie Jones, (Licensee) and the Kansas State Board of Pharmacy for the purpose of settling the above-captioned case.

Licensee hereby acknowledges the following:

- 1. Connie Jones is a licensed pharmacist within the meaning of the Kansas Pharmacy Act, K.S.A. 65-1625 et seg. and amendments thereto.
- 2. On or about July 30, 1999, the Board received a report from Pharmacy Inspector James E. Kinderknecht of information concerning Licensee's conduct alleging Licensee may have violated statutes and regulations governing the practice of pharmacy, to wit:
  - (a) a misfill of prescription number 6744110 in violation of K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(6);
  - (b) the failure to make an incident report in violation of K.A.R. 68-7-12(d)(1); and
- (c) the failure to counsel or offer to counsel each patient with each new prescription dispensed in violation of K.S.A. 68-2-20(a)(5).
- 3. The Board conducted an investigation concerning Licensee's alleged violation of statutes and regulations.
- 4. During the investigation, Licensee was informed of the reported information, and was given the opportunity to respond to the allegations, and admits to those allegations.

- 5. As a result of the investigation, the Board makes the following factual determinations:
- (a) The licensee misfilled prescription number 6744110;
- (b) The licensee failed to make an incident report of the misfill of prescription number 6744110;
- (c) The licensee failed to counsel or offer to counsel the patient regarding prescription number 6744110.
- 6. As a result of the investigation, the Board determined that reasonable grounds exist to believe the Licensee has violated K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(6); K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(8) as interpreted by K.A.R. 68-7-12(d)(1); and K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(8) as interpreted by K.A.R. 68-2-20(a)(5).

HOWEVER, Licensee and the Board mutually desire to enter into the Consent Agreement and Order in lieu of adjudicative proceedings to resolve the report of alleged violations.

WHEREFORE Licensee waives all rights to an adjudication of facts and law which could be determined pursuant to a hearing conducted in accordance with the Kansas administrative procedure act in relation to this matter.

WHEREFORE Licensee waives the right to file a motion for reconsideration and all rights of appeal pursuant to the Kansas act for judicial review in relation to this matter.

WHEREFORE Licensee consents to:

- (a) A fine of One Thousand Five Hundred dollars and no cents (\$1,500.00).
- (b This Consent Agreement and Order constitutes the entire agreement between the Licensee and may be modified or amended only by written agreement signed by the parties.
- (c) Licensee shall be responsible for all costs incurred in satisfying the terms of the Consent Agreement and Order.
- (d)Notification of the Consent Agreement and Order shall be provided to another jurisdiction's licensing board if the Licensee is also licensed, registered or certified in another jurisdiction.
- (e)This Consent Agreement and Order is reportable to state and federal licensing agencies and applicable professional associations.
- (f) Evidence of Licensee's willful failure to comply with any of the conditions will result in a hearing, with notice and opportunity to be heard, to determine whether Licensee has in fact willfully failed to comply with any conditions. Upon determination at such hearing that Licensee

has willfully breached, violated or failed to comply with any condition, Licensee understands and agrees that the license shall be revoked.

- (g) Licensee acknowledges an affirmative duty to notify the Board within five (5) days of any changes in personal or professional status which would inhibit compliance with conditions. In such event, a designee of the Board is authorized to modify or amend this Consent Agreement and Order in writing.
- (h) The licensee/representative of the licensee shall appear in person before the Kansas State Board of Pharmacy to respond to any questions or comments that may be posed by the board.

WHEREFORE Licensee consents to the submission of this Consent Agreement and Order to the Kansas State Board of Pharmacy, and understands that upon approval of the Board, this Consent Agreement and Order becomes a final order of the Board.

WHEREFORE Licensee agrees that all information in the possession of the Board or its attorney regarding the complaint which led to this disciplinary action, the investigation of the complaint and all information discovered during the pendency of the disciplinary action may be disclosed to and considered by the Board as part of the presentation and consideration of the proposal of settlement in the form of this Consent Agreement and Order and the Final Order provided for herein, with or without the presence of the licensee or the licensee's attorney. In the event that this Consent Agreement and Order provided for herein are not accepted and approved by the Board, the Respondent further waives any objection to the Board members' consideration of this Consent Agreement and Order or the information mentioned in the preceding sentence and further agrees to waive any claim of due process violation or the right to seek the disqualification of any Board member as a result of the Board member's consideration of said document and information.

WHEREFORE the Board agrees that so long as licensee complies with the above conditions that the Board will not initiate further disciplinary action against Licensee in relation to violation of K.S.A. 65-1625 et seq regarding this matter.

WHEREFORE the provisions above are consented to and are hereby made the final order of the Kansas State Board of Pharmacy which become effective on the date indicated in the below Certificate of Service.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dan Katzer, Chair

## Kansas State Board of Pharmacy

<b>APPROV</b>	ED AND	CONSENTED	TO:
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Connie Jones

1/20/00 (Date)

Licensee

SUBMITTED AND APPROVED BY:

Assistant Attorney General 2d Floor, Judicial Center

Topeka, Kansas 66612

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Certificate of Service

This is to certify that on the 15 day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2000 a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Consent Agreement and Order was deposited in the U.S. mail, first class postage prepaid, addressed to:

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For the Kansas State Board of Pharmacy