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KANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

BEFORE THE KANSAS BOARD OF PHARMACY

In the Matter of)
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Jasmine Williams)
14-108656)
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Case No. 19-080

SUMMARY ORDER

NOW on this 12 day of April, 2019, comes before the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (the “Board”), through its Executive Secretary, the matter of Jasmine Williams, (“Applicant”), for her application for registration as a Kansas pharmacy technician.

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 application materials and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, makes the following findings, conclusions and order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

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

1. On or about February 5, 2019, the Board received Applicant’s application for registration as a pharmacy technician in the State of Kansas (“Applicant’s Application”).
2. Applicant answered “Yes” to the following question on her application: Have you been charged with or 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.

3. On March 6, 2019, the Board mailed Applicant a letter requesting she provide a completed Personal History Form S-150, as well as certified copies of the court pleadings from the case.

4. On April 8, 2019, the Board received the requested documentation. Applicant's explanation indicated that she was arrested in 2017 for possession of marijuana. The court documents included an Order of Dismissal, dismissing Applicant's charges because she successfully completed her diversion.

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. Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(3), the Board may place in a probationary status the license of any pharmacist who has been found guilty of unprofessional conduct.

3. Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1626(ttt), unprofessional conduct means conduct likely to deceive or harm the public.

4. Applicant's previous arrest for possession of marijuana is unprofessional conduct and a basis to place Applicant's registration in a probationary status pursuant to K.S.A. 65-1627(a)(3).

5. Based on Applicant's previous arrest, the Board determined that, although Applicant's previous criminal history is concerning, it does not preclude Applicant from becoming registered as a pharmacy technician and being able to work effectively in a pharmacy setting. Applicant's history does not at this time threaten the working or ethical environment of the pharmaceutical profession; however, Applicant's history with illicit substances suggests a need for additional compliance monitoring.

ORDER

Based upon the foregoing findings of fact and conclusions of law, Applicant's Application for issuance of pharmacy technician registration is hereby GRANTED subject to a two-year probationary status. The terms of Applicant's probation are as follows:

- Applicant must notify the Board of any change in employment within ten days of the change and obtain Board approval for the change;
- Applicant must inform employers of the probationary status of her pharmacy technician registration;
- Applicant must obtain the signature of her pharmacist-in-charge (PIC) documenting knowledge of her probationary status to the Board; and
- Applicant must comply with all rules and regulations of the Pharmacy Practice Act.

NOTICES

Applicant is hereby notified as follows:

6. 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.

7. 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.

8. 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.


9. 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, JD, MBA
Executive Secretary
Kansas Board of Pharmacy
800 SW Jackson, Suite 1414
Topeka, KS 66612

IT IS SO ORDERED.

4/12/19

Date



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

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did, on the 12 day of April, 2019 deposit in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, a copy of the foregoing Summary Order, properly addressed to the following:

Jasmine Williams
7722 East 30th St N
Wichita, KS 67226



Kansas Board of Pharmacy Staff