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Alexandra Blasi, Executive Secretary

Laura Kelly, Governor

September 3, 2024

CoverMyMeds Pharmacy 910 John St, Ste 3A Columbus OH 43222

RE: Case No. 24-262

To whom it may concern:

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. In addition, a civil fine has been assessed totaling \$1,740. Please submit a check or money order made payable to the Kansas Board of Pharmacy and include your case number in the check memo.

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 Pharmacy. Compliance@ks.gov.

Sincerely,

Kansas Board of Pharmacy

Enclosure

BEFORE THE KANSAS BOARD OF PHARMACY

| In the Matter of |) | |
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| |) | Case No. 24-262 |
| CoverMyMeds Pharmacy |) | |
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| Registration No. 22-122651 |) | |

SUMMARY ORDER

NOW on this 3rd day of September, 2023 comes before the Kansas Board of Pharmacy (the "Board"), through its Executive Secretary, the matter of CoverMyMeds Pharmacy ("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, makes the following findings, conclusions and order:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Board has previously issued Respondent Registration No. 22-122651 which entitles Respondent to function as a Pharmacy in the State of Kansas ("Respondent's Registration").
- 2. On July 1, 2024, Respondent's Pharmacist-in-Charge ("PIC"), Rebecca Wilson, allowed their Kansas pharmacist license to expire for nonrenewal.
- 3. On August 6, 2024, Respondent resigned as Pharmacist-in-Charge ("PIC") from CoverMyMeds Pharmacy, effective immediately.

- 4. On August 12, 2024, the Board received a Change in PIC Form BA-50, notifying the Board of a change in Respondent's PIC on August 6, 2024 and designating a new PIC beginning August 7, 2024.
 - 5. On or about August 12, 2024, the Board processed the PIC change.

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.S.A. 65-1627(e)(1), the Board may take action against the registration of a pharmacy upon a finding that such pharmacy has been operated in such manner that violations of the provisions of the pharmacy act of the state of Kansas or of the rules and regulations of the Board have occurred in connection therewith.
- 3. Pursuant to K.A.R. 68-7-12a(a)(4), each nonresident pharmacy shall designate a Kansas-licensed PIC to remain registered in Kansas by the Board.
- 4. Pursuant to K.A.R. 68-1-2a(a), each pharmacy or registrant required to have a PIC that operates for more than 30 days without a Kansas-licensed PIC shall be deemed to be in violation of K.S.A. 65-1627(e).
- 5. Since Respondent's previous PIC's Kansas license expired for nonrenewal effective July 1, 2024, Respondent had 30 days to designate a Kansas-licensed PIC by notification to the Board, or until August 1, 2024.
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7. Respondent's failure to designate a Kansas-licensed PIC within 30 days is a basis to take action against Respondent's Registration pursuant to K.A.R. 68-1-2a and K.S.A. 65-1627(e)(1).

ORDER

Based upon the foregoing findings of fact and conclusions of law, Respondent is ordered to pay a fine of \$1,740 to the Board. Respondent has 30 days from the date of this order to pay the fine.

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

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

IT IS SO ORDERED.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I did, on the 3rd day of September, 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:

CoverMyMeds Pharmacy 910 John St, Ste 3A Columbus OH 43222

Mansas Board of Pharmacy Staff