

BEFORE THE OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY LICENSING BOARD
OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Application of)	
Reinstatement of OT license for)	CONSENT ORDER FOR
)	PROBATIONARY LICENSE
CHERYL MEEKER)	WITH CONDITIONS
License No 914559)	
Applicant)	Case No. OT-06-01

WHEREAS, Applicant, formerly licensed as an OT in Oregon had her license suspended for a period of one year by the Board on June 2, 2004 by STIPULATED ORDER OF SUSPENSION, is now an Applicant for licensure before the Occupational Therapy Licensing Board; and

WHEREAS, the Board has considered materials submitted by Applicant since her suspension, including compliance with court probation, completion of a drug abuse program; and completed continuing education requirements as specified in the ORDER; and

WHEREAS, the Board and the applicant are desirous of resolving this matter without further proceedings; and to determine stipulated probationary conditions under which applicant can practice occupational therapy in Oregon; and

WHEREAS, the applicant, being aware of her rights, hereby waives her right to further notice, waives the right to a hearing and waives the right to judicial review and agrees to the entry of this CONSENT ORDER FOR PROBATIONARY LICENSE WITH CONDITIONS based on the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Applicant was licensed in Oregon until her license expired on May 31, 2004 at which time the Board found there were grounds based on felony convictions to suspend her license pursuant to ORS 675.300(1)(a) and OAR 339-010-0020(5)(d).
2. Applicant's license was suspended for a period of one year on June 2, 2004. The Stipulated Order of Suspension states that the Board would reevaluate whether to issue Applicant a license or place Applicant on probationary status with conditions upon her ability to practice Occupational Therapy after a period of one year if the conditions set forth were complied with when she submitted her application.
3. The Stipulated Order of Suspension required that Applicant comply with all the conditions. Proof of completion of the conditions were submitted to the Board at its Feb. 3, 2006 meeting; at which time the Board postponed any decision until the May 5, 2006 meeting.
4. At the May 5, 2006 the Board considered what probationary conditions to include in the CONSENT ORDER FOR PROBATIONARY LICENSE WITH CONDITIONS to assure that the Board protects the public.

WHEREAS the Board has agreed with the applicant on the conditions under which the applicant Cheryl Meeker can practice occupational therapy in Oregon, under a probationary license with conditions.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. That the applicant be given a probationary license; her license will contain the words "Probationary License with conditions";
2. The applicant shall continue to complete the required 30 CE points for every two years for continuing education courses as required for all licensees under OAR 339-020-0010;

3. The applicant will show to the satisfaction of the Board that she has successfully completed the applicant's court probation in case number 200310437.
4. The applicant shall submit to random drug tests submitted twice a month by RSS, and shall continue to test negative for use of controlled substances. The required number of monthly tests will be re-evaluated by the Board in six months. An agreement with RSS shall be completed, signed and in place prior to the Board granting a probationary license.
5. The applicant's immediate supervisor in the facility where she works will consent to supervise her under close supervision which is defined as daily, direct contact in person at the work site. The supervisor shall submit monthly reports directly to the Board director. If there is any indication of problems with applicant's occupational therapy work or any indication of a lapse in recovery, the supervisor must immediately contact the OT Licensing Board. The agreement with any supervisor must be signed and submitted to the Board director prior to Applicant starting work.
6. After the applicant has successfully completed the probationary conditions in effect until her license renewal in May, 2008 the Board will re-evaluate whether to modify or delete the provisions of the probationary license.

DATED this 22nd day of May, 2006.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY LICENSING BOARD

Signature on File

Felicia Holgate, Executive Director

CONSENT

I hereby acknowledge that I read the foregoing Consent Order and that I understand its provisions. I agree to the Board entering this Consent Order for Probationary License with Conditions to be granted to me from May 31, 2006 to May 31, 2008.

6/07/06
Date

Signature on File

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REISSUED

**STATE OF OREGON
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY LICENSING BOARD
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST PROBATIONARY LICENSE WITH CONDITIONS**

EFFECTIVE DATE: 06/13/2006

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\$185.00

EXPIRATION
DATE

MO. DAY YR.

May 31 2008

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*She did not Renew her license.
She moved to Colorado*

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