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BEFORE THE BOARD OF NATUROPATHIC EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF OREGON

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In the Matter of the License of)
CLAUDE THOMAS DAHL, N.D.)
_____)

FINAL ORDER ON DEFAULT -
REVOCATION OF LICENSE TO
PRACTICE NATUROPATHY

1.

On April 16, 1990, the Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners mailed a certified true copy of the original Notice of Proposed Revocation of License to Claude Thomas Dahl, at his Lebanon address. Said certified true copy was mailed by regular mail and certified mail/return receipt requested. The copy mailed by regular mail did not return to the Board and the return receipt was returned to the Board, having been receipted by Mrs. Dahl.

2.

Dahl failed to respond to the license revocation notice within the time period set according to the notice and statutes. On May 22, 1990, counsel for the Board telephoned Mrs. Dahl who said that Mr. Dahl was no longer pursuing a career in naturopathy and did not intend to contest the license revocation.

3.

The Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners has jurisdiction, pursuant to ORS 685.110, to suspend, limit or revoke a naturopath's license to practice. The grounds for such discipline include conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude and conduct which does or might constitute a danger to the safety of a patient or the public or does or might impair his ability safely and skillfully to practice naturopathy. The Oregon Board of Naturopathic

1 Examiners may revoke a license upon the default of the licensed
2 physician in a revocation proceeding. ORS 183.415(5).

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4 The record of this action includes a copy of the Linn County
5 District Attorney's Information and Judgment and Sentencing Order
6 from the Linn County District Court concerning a conviction for
7 Sexual Abuse II of the licensee, Claude Thomas Dahl. The
8 Sentencing Order was dated January 31, 1990.

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10 The Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners finds that Claude
11 Thomas Dahl was convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude and
12 that such conduct might constitute a danger to the safety of a
13 patient or the public. These reasons constitute grounds for
14 discipline under ORS 685.110.

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16 Dahl is subject to license revocation under ORS 685.110
17 because of the conviction of a crime involving moral turpitude.

18 THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT, the license to practice
19 naturopathy of Claude Thomas Dahl is revoked effective May 31,
20 1990.

21 DATED this 26 day of May, 1990

Signature on file

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23 Dr. DON C. WALKER, Chairman
24 Board of Naturopathic Examiners
25 for the State of Oregon

26 **NOTICE:** You are entitled to judicial review of this order.
Judicial review may be obtained by filing a petition for review
within 60 days of the service of this Order. Judicial review is
pursuant to the provisions of ORS 183.482 to the Oregon Court of
Appeals.

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) PRACTICE NATUROPATHY

The Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners (Board) proposes to revoke the license to practice naturopathy of Claude Thomas Dahl, who was convicted on January 31, 1990 in Linn County Circuit Court for the offense of Sexual Abuse II on or about April 4, 1989.

The Board proposes to revoke Dahl's license pursuant to the provisions of ORS 685.110(5) and (15) and OAR 850-10-190(2) and (3) in that he was convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude and such conduct does or might constitute a danger to the safety of a patient or the public or does or might impair his ability safely and skillfully to practice naturopathy, or is unprofessional or dishonorable.

Claude Thomas Dahl is entitled to a hearing as provide by the Administrative Procedures Act (chapter 183, Oregon Revised Statutes). He may be represented by counsel at the hearing. If he desires a hearing, he must notify the Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners in writing that he requests a hearing within 21 days of the date of the mailing of this Notice to Claude Thomas Dahl. If a request for a hearing is not received within this 21-day period, Claude Thomas Dahl's right to a hearing shall be considered waived unless excused for mistake, inadvertence, surprise or excusable neglect. Upon receipt of the request for a hearing from Claude Thomas Dahl, the Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners will notify him of the time and place of the hearing.

If Claude Thomas Dahl requests a hearing, he will be given information on the procedures, rights of representation and other rights of parties relating to the conduct of hearing as required under ORS 183.412(2) before commencement of the hearing. If Claude Thomas Dahl requests a hearing, he shall include with the request an answer which comports to the requirements of OAR 850-01-015, admitting or denying each factual matter alleged in this notice and a short and plain statement of each relevant affirmative defense he may have. If Claude Thomas Dahl fails to request a hearing within 21 days, or fails to file an answer, or fails to appear at a scheduled hearing, the Oregon Board of Naturopathic Examiners may issue a final order by default revoking the license to practice naturopathy of Claude Thomas Dahl.

Dated this 11 day of April, 1990

Signature on file

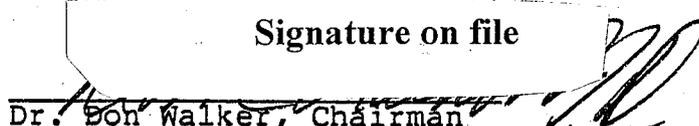
Dr. Don Walker, Chairman
 Oregon Board of Naturopathic
 Examiners

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have today deposited in the United States mail, a certified true copy of the original Notice of Proposed Revocation of License, with postage prepaid thereon, addressed to Claude Thomas Dahl, at 40353 Providence Dr Scio, OR 97374, by first class mail; and I have also transmitted a certified true copy to the same address by certified mail/return receipt requested.

DATED this 12 day of April, 1990.

Signature on file


Dr. Don Walker, Chairman
Oregon Board of Naturopathic
Examiners

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