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SPRINGFIELD, IL - The Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR) announced today that the Director of the Division of Professional Regulation, Daniel E. Bluthardt, signed the following disciplinary actions taken during the month of **October 2007**.

ACCOUNTANT

Terrence Michael Navarro, Northbrook – certified public accountant license (065-025732) placed on probation for two years to run concurrent with Federal Supervised Release, effective retroactive to 06/20/2006 and fined \$2,000 for aiding and abetting a false bank entry.

ARCHITECTS, LAND SURVEYORS, PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS

Kenneth Byerly, Des Plaines – architect license (001-008224) indefinitely suspended and fined \$5,000 for sealing plans while license was in non-renewed status.

Garry Shoda, Northbrook – architect license (001-009348) indefinitely suspended and fined \$5,000 for failure to complete required continuing education hours.

Govin Bhatia, Bloomington – structural engineer license (081-003660) license indefinitely suspended and fined \$5,000 for failure to complete required continuing education hours.

Navin Shah, Shaker Heights, OH – structural engineer license (081-003808) indefinite suspended and fined \$5,000 for failure to complete required continuing education hours.

Architectural Integrity, St. Charles – (unlicensed) ordered to cease and desist unlicensed practice of architecture.

BARBER, COSMETOLOGY, ESTHETICS AND NAIL TECHNOLOGY

Mark L. Allen, Collinsville – cosmetologist license (011-206476) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Kelly E. Barr, Country Club Hills – cosmetologist license (011-234627) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Tony O. Burnette, Chicago – cosmetologist license (011-231908) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Laura E. Dundas Gulley, Evanston – cosmetologist license (011-262693) placed on indefinite probation after defaulting on an Illinois educational loan and has now entered into a repayment agreement.

Emily M. Ehle, Waukegan – cosmetologist license (011-246921) revoked and assessed a civil penalty of \$2,000 after practicing on a non-renewed license.

Denia L. Ellis, Dolton – cosmetologist license (011-236840) placed on indefinite probation after defaulting on an Illinois educational loan and has now entered into a repayment agreement.

Linda Greenwood, Calumet City – cosmetologist license (011-222078) eligible for restoration with reprimand after submitting required documentation and fined \$500 based on failure to submit Continuing Education Hours within the required timeframe.

John C. Mendez, Belleville – cosmetologist license (011-237698) restored to indefinite probation.

Bridget K. Ridgway, Bartlett – cosmetologist license (011-259360) placed on indefinite probation after defaulting on an Illinois educational loan and has now entered into a repayment agreement.

Sonia M. Roxo, Melrose Park – cosmetologist license (011-250950) placed on indefinite probation after defaulting on an Illinois educational loan and has now entered into a repayment agreement.

Mac Tonya M. Schoon, Toledo – cosmetologist license (011-245480) placed on indefinite probation after defaulting on an Illinois educational loan and has now entered into a repayment agreement.

Elvira Torres, Carol Stream – cosmetologist license (011-213730) reprimanded with conditions and fined \$750 based on falsification of continuing education hours for the 2003 licensure renewal.

Seon E. Williams, Urbana – cosmetologist license (011-252298) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Ameer J. Boynes, Chicago – barber license (006-062803) revoked for being more than thirty days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Genel L. Diaz, Chicago – nail technician license (169-016501) ordered to cease and desist unlicensed practice of cosmetology.

COLLECTION AGENCY

Specified Credit Associates, Bridgeton, MO – (unlicensed) assessed a civil penalty of \$10,000 due to the unlicensed practice as a collection agency.

DENTAL

Nathan Long, Chicago – dental license (019-017543) placed on indefinite probation for a minimum of three years after provided substandard care to patients and billing irregularities.

Frank Shock, Bolingbrook – dental license (019-015945) placed on indefinite probation for a minimum of three years due to alcohol abuse in an office setting.

DETECTIVE, ALARM, SECURITY AND LOCKSMITH

Janice Skrzypek, Duluth, MN and James R. Skrzypek, Pekin – private detective license (115-000998), private security contractor license (119-000730) and permanent employee registration card (129-000028) belonging to Janice Skrzypek are revoked due to multiple Federal felony convictions, including mail fraud and conspiracy to defraud the United States. James Skrzypek's private detective license (115-000750) and private security contractor license (119-000609) revoked due to multiple federal felony convictions including mail fraud and conspiracy to defraud the United States.

Shawn L. Smith, Liberty – permanent employee registration card (129-230451) restored to probation for two years; private detective license (115-001637) and firearm authorization card (229-055859) not restored but may petition for restoration after January 1, 2008.

Michael R. Adams, Lockport – private alarm contractor license (124-000930) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Lior Dinar, Des Plaines – permanent employee registration card (129-283659) revoked and fined \$11,500 due to conviction for home repair fraud of senior citizen while working on assignment for Price Line Locksmiths, a crime of dishonesty that is also related to the practice of security; unethical, unprofessional and dishonorable conduct; and failure to report arrest and conviction.

John W. Gilmore, Chicago – permanent employee registration card (129-006221) indefinitely suspended for failure to file and/or pay Illinois state income taxes.

Jessica Heath, Chicago – permanent employee registration card (129-305756) issued and placed on probation for two years due to criminal conviction.

Jeffery A. Lavery, Tinley Park – permanent employee registration card (129-272986) placed in refuse to renew status due to felony conviction on three counts of mail fraud in the amount of approximately \$135,000 of client of an alarm company where petitioner had been employed as a salesman, Advance Fire and Security.

Howard A. Libet, Chicago – permanent employee registration card (129-243079) placed in refuse to renew status for failure to file and/or pay Illinois state income taxes.

Reesha S. Sanders, East St. Louis – permanent employee registration card (129-306588) issued and placed on probation for one year due to criminal conviction.

Paul W. Solomon, Granite City – permanent employee registration card (129-187233) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Artesia M. Valdery, Chicago – permanent employee registration card (129-236941) placed on probation for one year due to criminal conviction.

Anthony M. Williams, Bloomington – permanent employee registration card (129-306599) issued and placed on probation for one year due to criminal conviction.

Keith Wilson, Chicago – permanent employee registration card (129-225661) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Eugene Witherspoon, Willowbrook – permanent employee registration card (129-218015) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Dependable Locks, Inc., Bronx, NY and David Peer, Bensenville – Dependable Locks, Inc. – locksmith agency license (192-000245) indefinitely suspended after obtaining license through fraud and deception; willfully deceived the public on a material matter and claimed to be the licensee in charge without active participation in the Dependable Locks in Illinois and David Peer – locksmith license (191-000811) indefinitely suspended for a minimum of five years and fined \$6,000.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS & EMBALMERS

Otho Elmaurice Evans, Chicago – funeral director and embalmer license (034-011181) placed in refuse to renew status after attempting to obtain a license based on misrepresentation, unprofessional conduct and failure to acquire continuing education hours.

John K. Mick, Granite City – funeral director and embalmer license (034-015407) revoked due to violation of state regulations, incompetence or untrustworthiness, unprofessional conduct, and false or misleading advertising.

Clarence Seals, Chicago – funeral director and embalmer license (034-011162) indefinitely suspended due to income tax violations, violation of probation, violation of Director's final administrative action, unprofessional conduct and untrustworthiness.

MASSAGE THERAPY

Miranda R. Meredith, LeClaire, IA – massage therapist license (227-008443) issued and placed on probation for four years due to a felony conviction.

Harry C. Vershaw, East Moline – massage therapist license (227-008444) issued with reprimand for failure to reveal criminal conviction history on application.

Diana S. Wessel, Highland – massage therapist license (227-008601) issued and placed on probation for one year due to criminal conviction reduced to misdemeanor conviction in January 2007, the act for which involved an element of dishonesty.

Kimberly Marie Williams, Wheeling – massage therapist license (227-008602) issued and placed on probation for two years due to a criminal felony conviction in May 2001 for Mail Fraud.

VIP Salon and Day Spa, Chicago – salon license (189-010308) revoked due to unlicensed massage therapy and prostitution.

Crista Haynes, Chicago – (unlicensed) ordered to cease and desist the unlicensed practice as a massage therapist and assessed a civil penalty of \$500 due to unlicensed practice.

Timothy Terronez, Moline – (unlicensed) ordered to cease and desist from the unlicensed practice as a massage therapist and assessed a civil penalty of \$1,500.

MEDICAL

Sharon L. Ahart, Chicago – physician and surgeon license (036-071132) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Washington.

Hilda J. Alcalá, Modesto, CA – physician and surgeon license (036-114339) placed on probation for three years after being disciplined in the state of California.

Surender P. Dhiman, Joliet – physician and surgeon license (036-091853) reprimanded and fined \$1,000 for allegedly transecting right median nerve of a patient during an endoscopic procedure.

Enya S. Diaz, Shreveport, LA – physician and surgeon license (036-057834) physician and surgeon license indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

Ernesto S. Perez Ferreiro, Hinsdale – physician and surgeon license (036-054527) reprimanded with work restriction due to unprofessional conduct by prescribing weight loss drugs without adequately documenting histories or physicals.

Phillip Hommes, Chicago – physician and surgeon license (036-051553) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Massachusetts.

Michael J. Jawitz, Oak Park – physician and surgeon license (036-055018) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Massachusetts.

David H. King, Darien – physician and surgeon license (036-088516) reprimanded and fined \$500 for failure to diagnose Cauda Equina Syndrome.

Mark A. Maltos, Woodridge – physician and surgeon license (036-075486) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Michigan.

Dominador T. Martin, Jr., Danville – physician and surgeon license (036-0528872) reprimanded with continuing education conditions for failure to provide proper treatment to a cardiac patient resulting in death due to myocardial infarction.

Lawrence Metrick, Northbrook – physician and surgeon license (036-038521) reprimanded and fined \$1,000 for performing wrong site surgery on a finger.

Paul A. Mitchell, Chicago – physician and surgeon license (036-095196) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Colorado.

Richard C. Parks, Jonesboro – physician and surgeon license (036-077893) placed on probation for two years after allegedly engaging in immoral conduct of sexual nature with a patient.

Zehra I. Rowjee, Glenview – physician and surgeon license (036-053788) reprimand after being disciplined in the state of Iowa.

Sanagaram S. Shantharam, Fresno, CA – physician and surgeon license (036-072651) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of California.

Joseph Smith, Clinton – physician and surgeon license (036-082577) and controlled substance license (336-044865) indefinitely suspended due to controlled substance violations and substance abuse, unprofessional conduct, self prescribing controlled substances, and suffering from substance abuse.

Michael E. Sturgill, Chicago – physician and surgeon license (036-072690) indefinitely suspended after being disciplined in the state of Idaho.

Jose E. Veizaga-Mendez, Marion – physician and surgeon license (036-047995) indefinitely suspended after being disciplined in the state of Massachusetts.

Enrique Tan Yap, Metropolis – physician and surgeon license (036-037547) placed on indefinite probation for a minimum of three years and fined \$1,000 due to inappropriate conduct relating to a consensual sexual relationship with two patients.

Mohammad Yaseen, Moline – physician and surgeon license (036-096361) placed on probation for five years and fined \$1,000 after been disciplined in the state of Iowa.

Fouad A. Abdel-Hameed, Chicago – chiropractor license (038-004265) indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

Judith A. Adkins, Evanston – chiropractor license (038-005217) indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

W. Martin Egert, Moline – chiropractor license (038-005099) indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

Michael H.W. Hurst, Moline – chiropractor license (038-004345) reprimanded and fined \$1,000 for billing while practicing on a non-renewed license.

Michael J. McLaughlin, Palatine – chiropractor license (038-004181) revoked for practicing on a non-renewed license and failure to respond to a ten day letter with history of prior discipline.

Robert B. Moorhead, Wheaton – chiropractor license (038-008460) indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

Farris I. Odeh, Bensenville – chiropractor license (038-006965) indefinitely suspended after being disciplined in the state of Hawaii.

Christopher C. Repass, Round Lake – chiropractor license (038-007792) indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

David J. Scanlan, Arlington Heights – chiropractor license (038-005583) indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

Michael B. Sells, Aztec, NM – chiropractor license (038-008243) indefinitely suspended for failure to complete required continued medical education and for misrepresenting this fact on 2005 renewal application.

NURSING

Jo Ann Bovio, Bartlett – registered nurse license (041-218979) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Arizona.

Richard Broom, Salem – registered nurse license (041-278121) indefinitely suspended for attending a party without having “clocked out” and being in possession of hospital property at the time of the party.

Keona Brown, Chicago – registered nurse license (041app1826702) issued and placed on indefinite probation for a minimum for two years due to a prior felony conviction.

Joy Cesek, Goodyear, AZ – registered nurse license (041-334162) reprimanded after being disciplined in the state of Arizona.

Shannon L. Deptula, Mesa, AZ – registered nurse license (041-332633) indefinitely suspended for having voluntarily surrendered her state of Arizona registered nurse license and failing to report the surrender to the department.

Debra Erlinger, Phoenix, AZ – registered nurse license (041226364) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Arizona.

Gladys Hampton, Chicago – registered nurse license (041-364369) issued and placed on probation for two years due to previous drug abuse.

Cherrile Maria Heard, Patterson, CA – registered nurse license (041-238286) indefinitely suspended after being disciplined in the state of California.

Chi Ann Hedgecock, Walnut – registered nurse license (041-app2326998) issued and placed on probation for two years due to a 1998 felony conviction.

Cynthia Jean Kelly, Hebron, KY – registered nurse license (041-272020) placed on indefinite probation for a minimum of three years after being disciplined in the state of Arizona.

Marcia J. Lomprez-Cocke, Christopher – registered nurse license (041-259672) indefinitely suspended for a minimum of twelve months for failure to abide by terms of a consent order.

Akilaliba Numbere, Chicago – registered nurse license (041-134258) indefinitely suspended for failure to file and/or pay Illinois state income taxes for the years 1999 through 2002.

Allen M. Ohler, Bloomington – registered nurse license (041-309488) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of Arizona.

Valerie J. Passarella, Melrose Park – registered nurse license (041-229861) indefinitely suspended for a minimum of three years for diversion of controlled substances from a facility in the state and having been convicted various times of retail theft and failing to report convictions to the Department.

Dominic M. Sangalang, Harbor City, CA – registered nurse license (041-295494) placed in refuse to renew status after being disciplined in the state of California.

Mary L. Smith-Williams, Highland Park – registered nurse license (041-171620) indefinitely suspended for a minimum of five years and fined \$7,500 for assisting another person to violate the Nursing Act, failure to provide a response to the Department's written request for information and for unprofessional conduct toward a patient suffering from dementia.

Carlos Velazquez, Montgomery – registered nurse license (041-344541) indefinitely suspended for a minimum of one year for diverting Dilaudid from his employer and for being impaired.

Dawn Williams, Chicago – registered nurse license (041-263343) suspended for six months immediately followed by probation for two years due to her substance abuse.

David Davis, Danville – licensed practical nurse license (043-075814) reprimanded for pre-pouring medication.

Schamlain Gathright, Rock Island – licensed practical nurse license (043-104662) issued with reprimand due to a 1998 felony conviction.

Donna Givens, Lincoln – licensed practical nurse license (043-app2288724) issued and placed on indefinite probation not to expire before January 31,2009 due to her prior conviction for felony theft.

Carole Jean Ray, Yorkville – licensed practical nurse license (043-070541) indefinitely suspended after being disciplined in the state of Arizona.

Tracie J. Sharp, Springfield – licensed practical nurse license (043-083760) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Aigbe Uwadiae, Dolton – licensed practical nurse license (043-104527) issued and placed on probation for two years due to a prior felony conviction.

Yvonne Walker, Chicago – licensed practical nurse license (043-077258) reprimanded after disclosure of a guilty plea to aggravated unlawful use of a weapon in 2001.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Phoebee Leroy, Homewood – occupational therapist license (056-007389) placed on indefinite probation after defaulting on an Illinois educational loan and has now entered into a repayment agreement.

Sadhan Mahanta, Canton, MI – occupational therapist license (056-005678) placed on probation for one year after being disciplined in the state of Michigan.

Sterling J. Shores, Normal – occupational therapist license (056-004225) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

Richard P. Vana, Lansing – occupational therapist assistant license (057-001156) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

PHARMACY

Thomas Esthappan, Jr., Oak Park – pharmacist license (051-292199) issued and placed on probation for two years due to previous criminal conviction.

Robert Stevens, Milwaukee, WI – pharmacist license (051-036795) indefinitely suspended after being disciplined in the state of Wisconsin.

Lori Wickenhauser, Morton – pharmacist license (051-289000) indefinitely suspended after being disciplined in the state of Arizona.

Kristy Caito, East Alton – pharmacy technician license (049-144599) indefinitely suspended due to unprofessional conduct for diverting controlled substances.

Cynthia Thompson, Dolton – pharmacy technician license (049-167302) indefinitely suspended due to unprofessional conduct for diverting controlled substances.

Swedish Covenant Hospital, Chicago – pharmacy license (059-003296) fined \$3,000 for allowing an employee to assist in the practice of pharmacy without appropriate licensure from November 2006 through April 2007.

PHYSICAL THERAPY

Marci D. Aherin, Glenarm – physical therapist license (070-005915) reprimanded due to unprofessional conduct as a result of falsifying treatment records of several patients.

PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

Jan A. Weissbard, Savannah, GA – professional counselor license (178-001929) placed in refuse to renew status for demonstrating professional incompetence in the rendering of professional counseling services.

Paul Weinhold, DeSoto – clinical professional counselor license (180-04027) suspended for three months, immediately followed by probation for three years for violating therapeutic boundaries with a female client.

PSYCHOLOGY

Brian Richardson, Arlington Heights – clinical psychologist license (071-004102) reprimanded and fined \$5,000 due to unprofessional conduct related to client confidentiality.

RESPIRATORY CARE

Jordan Stevan Evans, Palatine – respiratory care practitioner license (194-001437) and pharmacy technician license (049-065665) placed in refuse to renew status for being more than 30 days delinquent in the payment of child support.

ROOFING CONTRACTORS

Tri County Roofing Inc., McHenry – roofing contractor license (104-007347) reprimanded for dissolving the corporation and operating under a similar name.

SHORTHAND REPORTING

Lorlein Raybum, Carlinville – certified shorthand reporter license (084-003672) placed in refuse to renew status for unprofessional conduct/failure to deliver transcripts in a timely manner.

VETERINARY MEDICINE

Cathy Crighton, Palos Park – veterinarian license (090-007557) and controlled substance license (390-003173) indefinitely suspended for voluntary surrender of Controlled Substance license for cause to the US Drug Enforcement administration.

Lester Thomson, Lincoln – veterinarian license (090-002270) reprimanded for violating administrative rules regarding controlled substances.

Samuel G. Walton, Effingham – (090-003244) reprimanded for violation of the Administrative Rules of Professional Conduct for failing to adequately supervise veterinary clinic support staff.

Stephen Dale Warren, Edwards, CO – veterinarian license (090-003732) reprimanded after being disciplined in the state of Colorado.

WHOLESALE DRUG DISTRIBUTORS

Alliance Wholesale Distributor, Richton Park – wholesale distributor license (004-000676) fined \$1,000 for purchasing prescription medications from a source that was not properly licensed.

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