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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

In the Matter of	:	
	:	Administrative Action
TERRI GILLIAM, D.D.S.	:	
	:	CONSENT ORDER
Licensed to Practice Dentistry:	:	
in the State of New Jersey	:	
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry (hereinafter "the Board") upon the receipt of a patient complaint from L.H. The complaint alleged in relevant part that Terri Gilliam, D.D.S. (hereinafter "respondent") did not properly perform a root canal and place a crown for tooth #10. On February 19, 1997, respondent appeared without counsel at an investigative inquiry into the matter held by the Board.

Having reviewed the entire record, including the testimony of respondent at the investigative inquiry, it appears to the Board that respondent did not conform to standard dental practice in the State of New Jersey. This review disclosed that respondent failed to keep adequate patient records on L.H.. In particular, the patient record failed to indicate the name of the dentist who prescribed medication and failed to document a prescription for ethromycin. Further, respondent failed to perform periodontal

Exhibit A

charting and to create a treatment plan. These failures constitute a violation pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21 (c). Moreover, in violation of N.J.A.C. 13:30-8.18, respondent has failed to submit proof of the completion of forty hours of continuing education credit to have been taken between November 1, 1993 and October 31, 1995 for the 1995-1997 biennial license renewal period. In light of respondent's failure to have completed the continuing education requirements for the 1993-1995 license renewal period, this is a second offense and is considered professional misconduct pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:6-10.8.

It appearing that respondent desires to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings and for good cause shown:

IT IS ON THIS 4th DAY OF June 1997,

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

1. Respondent shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of \$500.00 for the failure to keep adequate patient records on L.H., failure to perform periodontal charting, and failure to create a treatment plan.

2. As second offense, respondent shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of \$2,500.00 for failing to complete the continuing education requirement for the 1995-1997 biennial license renewal period.

3. Respondent is hereby assessed the costs of the investigation to the State in this matter in the amount of \$115.21.

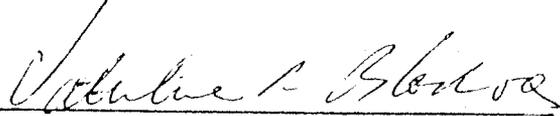
4. It is understood and agreed that the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry is a creditor listed on Schedule F with a claim in the amount of \$3,115.21 in respondent's Chapter 13 Bankruptcy, Case No. 97-11167 GMB. The amount and time of payment to the Board shall be determined by the Bankruptcy Court.

5. Respondent shall successfully complete the following continuing education: seven (7) hours in diagnosis and treatment planning, seven (7) hours in basic periodontics, and seven hours (7) hours in post and core. These courses, which are in addition to the regularly required continuing education hours, shall be approved by the Board in writing prior to attendance, utilizing the attached Pre-Approval Sheet. Respondent also shall be required to complete the attached Continuing Education Report and Proof of Attendance as proof of successful completion of the required course work. The attached forms are made a part of the within Order, and a separate form is to be used for each course. The courses must be completed within nine months of the entry of this Order, and this requirement is in no way related to respondent's bankruptcy proceedings.

6. Respondent shall submit proof of the completion of the forty hours of continuing education for the 1995-1997 biennial renewal period by October 31, 1997. Furthermore, respondent is reminded that an additional forty hours are required by October 31,

1997 for the 1997-1999 biennial renewal period.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

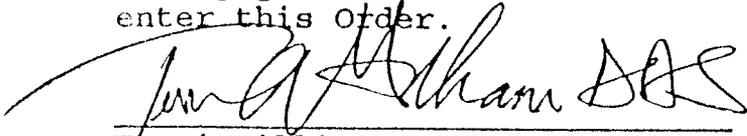


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VICE President

VALENTINE P BLOCH

I have read and understand the within Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.



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	:	ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION
TERRI A. GILLIAM, D.D.S.	:	
	:	CERTIFICATION OF
TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY IN THE	:	AGNES M. CLARKE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY	:	
	:	

AGNES M. CLARKE, being duly sworn, according to law upon her oath deposes and says:

1. I am the Executive Director to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board"). In that capacity, I am the administrative head of the Board office and custodian of the records.

2. On May 21, 1998 Terri A. Gilliam, D.D.S. ("Respondent") was sent a Uniform Penalty Letter advising her that she had failed to comply with the terms of the Consent Order and that such failure constituted professional misconduct pursuant to N.J.S.A. 13:45C1.4. Respondent was offered the opportunity to settle the matter by paying a civil penalty in the amount of \$500.00 and completing the required course work. She was to respond to the correspondence within ten (10) days of receipt of the certified letter.

3. On July 21, 1998, at my direction, the Board office staff forwarded a copy of my May 21, 1998 letter to the Respondent by regular mail.

4. To date, the Board has not received a response or payment from the respondent concerning the 1997 Consent Order or the May 21, 1998 Uniform Penalty Letter.

Exhibit B

2.

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.



Agnes M. Clarke
Executive Director
State Board of Dentistry

Dated: 11-19-98

Ernestine Taylor, November 19, 1998

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
NOTARY PUBLIC
ERNESTINE TAYLOR E.T.
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TODAY'S DATE November 19, 1998

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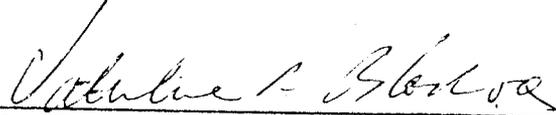
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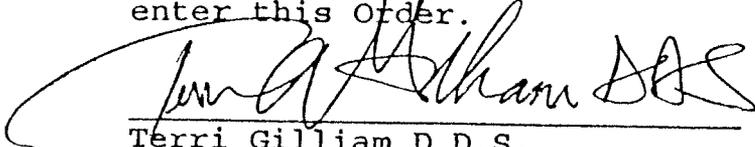


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