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STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY  
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
BOARD OF MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY

<u>IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE</u>	:	Administrative Action
<u>APPLICATION OF</u>	:	
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MARLENE F. HUDSON	:	CONSENT ORDER
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TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND	:	
BODYWORK THERAPY IN THE	:	
<u>STATE OF NEW JERSEY</u>	:	

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Massage and Bodywork Therapy ("Board") upon review of Marlene F. Hudson's application for licensure as a massage and bodywork therapist. Upon a review of the application, and the results of the Criminal History Background Check, it was ascertained by the Board that in response to the questions relating to arrests and convictions on the application, the applicant indicated that she had never been charged with or convicted of any crime or offense. However, the background check indicated that the applicant had been charged on two occasions in 1983 with

kidnapping in connection with a child custody dispute; the charges were dismissed. In addition, in 1994 the applicant had been charged with prostitution; the charges were withdrawn.

The Board finds that the applicant knew or should have known that by failing to disclose the fact of her arrests on the application in response to the questions about arrests and/or convictions she was providing misleading information, and that she therefore engaged in misrepresentation on her application in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

The Board finding that licensure as well as entry of the within order are appropriate, and sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS *28<sup>th</sup>* DAY OF *March*, 2016

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

1. A \$100.00 civil penalty is hereby imposed upon respondent for the violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b). Payment shall be in the form of a certified check or money order, and shall be submitted along with this signed order.

2. The applicant's application for licensure shall be granted upon payment of all applicable fees and demonstration of satisfaction of all requirements for licensure, if she has not already done so.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF  
MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY

By: Cynthia Sinicropi-Philibosian  
Cynthia Sinicropi-Philibosian, LMFT  
Chairperson

I have read and understand the  
within Consent Order and  
agree to be bound by its terms.

Marlene Hudson  
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