BEFORE THE IOWA BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY ARTS AND SCIENCES

IN THE MATTER OF: : Case No. CO 09-079

TANYA CHRISTIE : STIPULATION AND
License No. 61111 : CONSENT ORDER
Respondent. :

Pursuant to Iowa Code ' ' 17A.10(2) and 272C.3(4) (2009), and 645 Iowa Administrative Code ' 12.1, the Iowa Board of Cosmetology Arts and Sciences (hereinafter, "Board"), and Tanya Christie (hereinafter, "Respondent"), enter into the following Stipulation and Consent Order settling a disciplinary proceeding pending before the Board.

Allegations specified in a Statement of Charges against Respondent shall be resolved without proceeding to hearing, as the Board and Respondent stipulate as follows:

1. Respondent was issued an Iowa cosmetology license no. 61111 which will expire on March 31, 2012.

2. A Notice of Hearing and Statement of Charges against Respondent was adopted by the Board on December 3, 2010.

3. The Board has jurisdiction over the parties and jurisdiction over the subject matter of these proceedings.

4. Respondent has chosen not to contest the allegations set forth in the Notice of Hearing and Statement of Charges and acknowledges that the allegations, if proven in a contested case proceeding, would constitute grounds for the discipline described herein.
5. On the date of the Board’s approval of this Stipulation and Consent Order, Respondent’s license shall be suspended until Respondent has obtained a substance abuse evaluation and said evaluation has been submitted to and approved by the Board. Respondent agrees to sign all necessary medical releases to authorize the submission of results from alcohol and drug testing and any related medical records, including but not limited to the substance abuse evaluation, to the Board.

6. Upon submission to and approval by the Board of the Respondent’s substance abuse evaluation, Respondent’s license shall be placed on probation on terms which shall include the following:
   a. Respondent agrees to comply with the terms of probation.
   b. The period of probation shall be 2 (two) years, provided, however, that only those periods during which Respondent has a valid licenses issued by the Board shall count toward exhaustion of the probationary period.

During the period of probation Respondent shall comply with the following:

1. Respondent agrees to sign all necessary medical releases to authorize the submission of results from alcohol and drug testing and any related medical records to the Board. Respondent shall ensure that such results are sent to the Board at least on a quarterly basis.

2. Respondent shall attend at least four Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) or Narcotics Anonymous (NA) or similar alcohol or substance abuse meetings monthly. Respondent
shall obtain documentation of attendance and include the
documentation within her quarterly reports to the Board.

3. Respondent agrees to submit quarterly written reports
to the Board no later than January 1, April 1, July 1, and
October 1 during the period of probation. The quarterly
reports should include all information necessary to verify
Respondent’s compliance with the terms of probation,
including:

(1) The time period covered by report;

(2) The name and address of any place
Respondent is employed as a cosmetologist and a
description of her duties;

(3) Record of compliance with AA/NA attendance
requirement; and

(4) Record of any controlled substances or
prescription medications used by or administered to
Respondent.

c. Respondent shall be assessed a civil penalty in the amount
of $500. This civil penalty shall be paid within thirty (30) days after the Board’s
approval of this Stipulation and Consent Order, and shall be made payable to the
Treasurer of Iowa and mailed to the administrator of the Board, Susan Reynolds,
Bureau of Professional Licensure, Lucas State Office Building 5th Floor, 321 E.
12th, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0075. All civil penalty payments shall be
deposited into the State of Iowa general fund.

d. Respondent shall attend two hours of continuing education in the areas of Iowa law and sanitation. Said continuing education shall be in addition to the continuing education hours Respondent needs to maintain her cosmetology license and must be obtained by and certification of completion submitted to the Iowa Board of Cosmetology Arts and Sciences by March 31, 2011.

e. Respondent shall obey all federal and state laws, rules, and regulations related to the practice of cosmetology.

f. Respondent shall report to the Board quarterly, in a typewritten format. The report shall include Respondent’s place of business or employment, current address and phone number, Respondent’s most recent efforts to implement the provisions of this Stipulation and Consent Order, by date, and any further information deemed necessary by the Board from time to time.

g. Respondent shall inform the Board, in writing, of any change of home or business address, place of employment, home telephone number, or work telephone number, within ten (10) days of such a change.

h. Respondent shall appear informally before the Board, upon the request of the Board, for the purpose of reviewing her performance during the probationary period. Respondent shall be given reasonable notice of the date, time, and place for the appearances.

i. Such other reasonable terms as the Board may wish to
impose during the probationary period.

7. By entering into this Order, Respondent voluntarily waives any right to a contested case hearing on the allegations contained in the Notice of Hearing and Statement of Charges and voluntarily waives any objections to the terms of this Order, including the right to appeal.

8. This Order is voluntarily submitted by Respondent to the Board for consideration. Respondent agrees that counsel for the State may present this Order to the Board.

9. This Order is subject to approval of the Board. If the Board fails to approve this Order it shall be of no force or effect to either party.

10. This Order shall be part of the Respondent's permanent record and shall be considered by the Board in determining the nature and severity of any discipline to be imposed as a result of future disciplinary proceedings.

11. In the event Respondent violates or fails to comply with any of the terms of this Order, the Board may initiate action to revoke or suspend Respondent’s license or to impose other licensee discipline in accordance with Iowa Code ' 272C.3(2)(a).

12. Upon Board approval, this Order shall become a public record available for inspection and copying.

13. The Board’s approval of this Order shall constitute a FINAL ORDER. This Stipulation and Consent Order is approved by the Board February 18, 2011.