

**BEFORE THE
ACUPUNCTURE BOARD
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. 1A-2019-58

HAICHAO HUANG

**402 8th Avenue, Ste 203
San Francisco CA 94118**

Acupuncture License No. 8705

Respondent.

DECISION AND ORDER

The attached Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby adopted by the Acupuncture Board, Department of Consumer Affairs, as its Decision in this matter.

This Decision shall become effective on July 31, 2020.

It is so ORDERED July 21, 2020.

Original Signature on File
FOR THE ACUPUNCTURE BOARD
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

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**STIPULATED SURRENDER OF
LICENSE AND ORDER**

14 Acupuncture License No. AC 8705

15 Respondent.

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17 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to the above-
18 entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:

19 **PARTIES**

20 1. Benjamin Bodea (Complainant) is the Executive Officer of the Acupuncture Board
21 (Board). He brought this action solely in his official capacity and is represented in this matter by
22 Xavier Becerra, Attorney General of the State of California, by Jane Zack Simon, Supervising
23 Deputy Attorney General.

24 2. Haichao Huang, L.Ac. (Respondent) is representing himself in this proceeding.

25 3. On October 2, 2002, the Board issued Acupuncture License No. AC 8705 to Haichao
26 Huang, L.Ac. The Acupuncture License is renewed and current, with an expiration date of
27 March 31, 2022.

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1 **JURISDICTION**

2 4. Accusation No. 1A-2019-58 was filed before the Board, and is currently pending
3 against Respondent. The Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly
4 served on Respondent. A copy of Accusation No. 1A-2019-58 is attached as Exhibit A.

5 **ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS**

6 5. Respondent has carefully read and understands the charges and allegations in
7 Accusation No. 1A-2019-58. Respondent also has carefully read and understands the effects of
8 this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order.

9 6. Respondent is fully aware of his legal rights in this matter, including the right to a
10 hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to confront and cross-examine
11 the witnesses against him; the right to present evidence and to testify on his own behalf; the right
12 to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of
13 documents; the right to reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other
14 rights accorded by the California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.

15 7. Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and
16 every right set forth above.

17 **CULPABILITY**

18 8. Respondent understands that the charges and allegations in Accusation No. 1A-2019-
19 58, if proven at a hearing, constitute cause for imposing discipline upon his Acupuncture License.

20 9. For the purpose of resolving the Accusation without the expense and uncertainty of
21 further proceedings, Respondent agrees that, at a hearing, Complainant could establish a factual
22 basis for the charges in the Accusation and that those charges constitute cause for discipline.
23 Respondent hereby gives up his right to contest that cause for discipline exists based on those
24 charges.

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ENDORSEMENT

The foregoing Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Acupuncture Board of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

DATED: 7/6/20

XAVIER BECERRA
Attorney General of California

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Exhibit A

Accusation No. 1A-2019-58