BEFORE THE ACUPUNCTURE BOARD DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Petition for Interim Suspension Order Against:

RANDALL JAMES NEUSTAEDTER,

Acupuncture License No. AC 1541

Respondent.

Case No. 1A-2015-157

OAH No. 2015090931

INTERIM SUSPENSION ORDER (Gov. Code, § 11529)

This petition was heard before Administrative Law Judge Cheryl R. Tompkin, State of California, Office of Administrative Hearings, on October 14, 2015. Petitioner was represented by Carolyne Evans, Deputy Attorney General. Respondent was represented by George P. Eshoo, Attorney at Law.

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The evidence and oral argument presented at the noticed hearing on the Petition for Interim Suspension Order have been considered by the undersigned Administrative Law Judge. It is found that the requirements set forth in Government Code section 11529, for issuance of an interim order of suspension, have been met and that good cause exists to immediately suspend the acupuncture license issued to respondent. Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Acupuncture License No. AC 1541 issued to respondent Randall James Neustaedter is immediately SUSPENDED. During the period of suspension, respondent shall be and hereby is immediately restrained and prohibited from practicing or attempting to practice as an acupuncturist in California and from holding or possessing his acupuncturist's wall and wallet certificates. Respondent shall immediately surrender his wall and wallet certificates to petitioner pending a final decision on the accusation filed in this matter.

DATED: October 15, 2015

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Cheryl R. Tompkin

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CHERYL R. TOMPKIN
Presiding Administrative Law Judge
Office of Administrative Hearings

DECLARATION OF SERVICE

Case Name: Neustaedter, Randall James OAH No.: 2015090931

I, <u>Charisse Diaz</u>, declare as follows: I am over 18 years of age and am not a party to this action. I am employed by the Office of Administrative Hearings. My business address is 1515 Clay Street, Suite 206, Oakland, CA 94612. On <u>October 16, 2015</u>, I served a copy of the following document(s) in the action entitled above:

INTERIM SUSPENSION ORDER

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. This declaration was executed at Oakland, California on October 16, 2015.

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Charisse Diaz, Declarant