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By: Amber Greene  
Deputy Agency Clerk

STATE OF FLORIDA  
BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,

Petitioner,

vs.

DOH CASE NO.: 2013-07764  
DOAH CASE NO.: 17-001358PL  
LICENSE NO.: MA 56509

LAUREN DILLMAN-BELL,

Respondent.

FINAL ORDER

THIS CAUSE came before the BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY (Board) pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57(1), Florida Statutes, on July 27, 2017, in Orlando, Florida, for the purpose of considering the Administrative Law Judge's Recommended Order (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A) in the above-styled cause. Petitioner was represented by Oaj Gilani, Assistant General Counsel. Respondent was not present.

Upon review of the Recommended Order, the argument of the parties, and after a review of the complete record in this case, the Board makes the following findings and conclusions.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The findings of fact set forth in the Recommended Order are approved and adopted and incorporated herein by reference.
2. There is competent substantial evidence to support the findings of fact.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Board has jurisdiction of this matter pursuant to Section 120.57(1), Florida Statutes, and Chapter 464, Florida Statutes.

2. The conclusions of law set forth in the Recommended Order with regard to Count I of the Administrative Complaint are approved and adopted and incorporated herein by reference. Count II of the Administrative Complaint is DISMISSED.

PENALTY

Upon a complete review of the record in this case, the Board determines that the penalty recommended by the Administrative Law Judge be ACCEPTED. WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED:

The license of LAUREN DILLMAN-BELL is REVOKED.


RULING ON MOTION TO ASSESS COSTS

The Board granted Petitioner's motion to bifurcate the assessment of investigative costs and retains jurisdiction for that purpose.

This Final Order shall take effect upon being filed with the Clerk of the Department of Health.

DONE AND ORDERED this 7 day of September,  
2017.

BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

  
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Kama Monroe  
Executive Director  
for Lydia Nixon, Chair

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO JUDICIAL REVIEW

A PARTY WHO IS ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY THIS FINAL ORDER IS ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW PURSUANT TO SECTION 120.68, FLORIDA STATUTES. REVIEW PROCEEDINGS ARE GOVERNED BY THE FLORIDA RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE. SUCH PROCEEDINGS ARE COMMENCED BY FILING ONE COPY OF A NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE AGENCY CLERK OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND A SECOND COPY, ACCOMPANIED BY FILING FEES PRESCRIBED BY LAW, WITH THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST DISTRICT, OR WITH THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL IN THE APPELLATE DISTRICT WHERE THE PARTY RESIDES. THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE FILED WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF RENDITION OF THE ORDER TO BE REVIEWED.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Final Order has been provided by certified mail to LAUREN DILLMAN-BELL, 5033 Lords Avenue, Sarasota FL 34231; to J. Lawrence Johnston, Administrative Law Judge, Division of Administrative Hearings, The DeSoto Building, 1230 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3060; and by email to Department of Health-PSU, [Oaj.Gilani@flhealth.gov](mailto:Oaj.Gilani@flhealth.gov) this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017.

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