# IN AND BEFORE THE OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND SUPERVISION STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF	)
THE APPLICATION OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA ON BEHALF OF	NOV 0 2 2007
	) OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
DIANE F. MEIER, OTA	) MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION
	) Case No. 90-08-1095
FOR TERMINATION OF	)
PROBATION FOR	)
LICENSE NO. OTA70	

## ORDER TERMINATING PROBATION

This matter came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on November 1, 2007, at the Board office, 5104 N. Francis, Suite C, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, pursuant to notice given as required by law and rules of the Board.

Diane F. Meier, OTA, holding Oklahoma occupational therapy assistant license no. OTA70, appeared in person and pro se. Tom Sosbee, Compliance and Education Coordinator, appeared on behalf of the State of Oklahoma and Board Staff.

The Board sitting *en banc* after hearing testimony, reviewing the request and other materials presented, and being fully apprised of the premises, made the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Orders:

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Board *en banc* has jurisdiction over the subject matter herein, and notice has been given in all respects as required by law and the rules of the Board.
- 2. Ms. Meier currently holds Oklahoma occupational therapy assistant license no. OTA70 under an indefinite term of probation that commenced on November 16, 2000.
- 3. Board Staff has requested that her probation be terminated based upon the fact that she has complied to date with all terms of the probation and no useful purpose would be served in requiring her to remain on indefinite probation.
- 4. Ms. Meier has complied to date in all respects with the terms of probation, and the purposes of the probationary period have been accomplished. Board Staff has presented sufficient evidence to support the requested early termination.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Board has jurisdiction to hear this matter pursuant to 59 O. S. § 480 et seq.
- 2. Board Staff has presented satisfactory evidence to justify termination of the remainder of Ms. Meier's probationary period. The purposes of the probationary period have been accomplished by Ms. Meier's compliance with the probationary terms. No useful purpose would be gained by having Ms. Meier serve the remainder of her probationary term.

### ORDER

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** by the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision as follows:

- 1. Board Staff's application to terminate Ms. Meier's probation is **GRANTED** and her probationary period is terminated effective November 1, 2007.
  - 2. A copy of this written order should be sent to Ms. Meier as soon as it is processed.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of November, 2007.

Gerald C. Zumwalt, M.D., Secretary Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision

### Certificate of Service

On the 2 day of November, 2007, a true and correct copy of this order was mailed, postage prepaid, to Diane Meier, 15 Dry Creek Rd., Kaw City, OK 74641-9604.

Janet Swindle