

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

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IN THE MATTER OF
THE APPLICATION OF

KAILASH SAHOO, O.T.,

FOR TERMINATION OF
PROBATION FOR
LICENSE NO. OT779

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OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION

ORDER TERMINATING PROBATION

This matter came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on July 29, 2004, 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.

Applicant, Kailash Sahoo, O.T., holding Oklahoma occupational therapy license no. OT779, appeared in person and with his legal counsel, William Cathey.

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. Mr. Sahoo currently holds occupational therapy license no. OT779 under a two (2) year term of probation that commenced on or around July 17, 2003.
3. Mr. Sahoo has requested that his probation be terminated without serving the remaining one (1) year of his two (2) year probationary term since he has been released by his counselor and no additional counseling has been recommended.
4. Tom Sosbee, Compliance and Education Coordinator for the Board, testified that Mr. Sahoo had complied to date with the terms of probation and that the Board staff did not object to the requested termination .

5. Mr. Sahoo has complied to date in all respects with the terms of probation, and the purposes of the probationary period have been accomplished. Mr. Sahoo 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. Mr. Sahoo has presented satisfactory evidence to justify termination of the remainder of his probationary period. The purposes of the probationary period have been accomplished by Mr. Sahoo's compliance with the probationary terms. No useful purpose would be gained by having Mr. Sahoo serve the remainder of his probationary term.

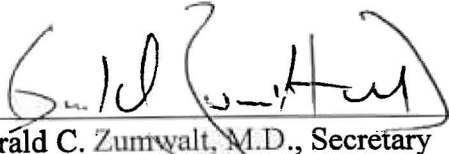
ORDER

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

1. Mr. Sahoo's application to terminate probation is **GRANTED** and his probationary period is terminated effective July 29, 2004.

2. A copy of this written order should be sent to Mr. Sahoo as soon as it is processed.

Dated this 12 day of ^{Aug 62}~~July~~, 2004.


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

Certificate of Service

On the 12 day of August, 2004, a true and correct copy of this order was mailed, postage prepaid, to Kailash Sahoo, 1709 Lahoma Circle, Durant, OK 74701.


Janet Swindle