#### 2 3 6 8 BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY 9 DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 12 In the Matter of the Petition to Revoke Case No. 4546 Probation Against: 13 14 MOHAMMAD ALI BAZYAR **DEFAULT DECISION AND ORDER** 4977 Edgar Court #3 15 San Jose, CA 95118 Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH [Gov. Code, §11520] 16 104369 17 Respondent. 18 19 **FINDINGS OF FACT** 20 On or about April 8, 2013, Complainant Virginia K. Herold, in her official capacity as 1. 21 the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs, filed Petition 22 to Revoke Probation No. 4546 against Mohammad Ali Bazyar (Respondent) before the Board of 23 Pharmacy. (Petition to Revoke Probation attached as Exhibit A.) 24 2. On or about May 31, 2012, the Board of Pharmacy (Board) issued Pharmacy 25 Technician Registration No. TCH 104369 to Respondent. The Pharmacy Technician Registration 26 expires on September 30, 2013, Unless renewed. 27

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3. On or about April 17, 2013, Respondent was served by Certified and First Class Mail copies of the Petition to Revoke Probation No. 4546, Statement to Respondent, Notice of Defense, Request for Discovery, and Discovery Statutes (Government Code sections 11507.5, 11507.6, and 11507.7) at Respondent's address of record which, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 4100, is required to be reported and maintained with the Board. Respondent's address of record was and is:

4977 Edgar Court #3 San Jose, CA 95118.

- 4. Service of the Petition to Revoke Probation was effective as a matter of law under the provisions of Government Code section 11505, subdivision (c) and/or Business & Professions Code section 124.
  - 5. Government Code section 11506 states, in pertinent part:
  - (c) The respondent shall be entitled to a hearing on the merits if the respondent files a notice of defense, and the notice shall be deemed a specific denial of all parts of the accusation not expressly admitted. Failure to file a notice of defense shall constitute a waiver of respondent's right to a hearing, but the agency in its discretion may nevertheless grant a hearing.
- 6. Respondent failed to file a Notice of Defense within 15 days after service upon him of the Petition to Revoke Probation, and therefore waived his right to a hearing on the merits of Petition to Revoke Probation No. 4546.
  - 7. California Government Code section 11520 states, in pertinent part:
  - (a) If the respondent either fails to file a notice of defense or to appear at the hearing, the agency may take action based upon the respondent's express admissions or upon other evidence and affidavits may be used as evidence without any notice to respondent.
- 8. Pursuant to its authority under Government Code section 11520, the Board finds Respondent is in default. The Board will take action without further hearing and, based on the relevant evidence contained in the Default Decision Evidence Packet in this matter, as well as taking official notice of all the investigatory reports, exhibits and statements contained therein on file at the Board's offices regarding the allegations contained in Petition to Revoke Probation No.

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#### 1 **ORDER** IT IS SO ORDERED that Probation previously ordered in revoked and Pharmacy 2 Technician Registration No. TCH 104369, heretofore issued to Respondent Mohammad Ali 3 Bazyar, is revoked. 4 Pursuant to Government Code section 11520, subdivision (c), Respondent may serve a 5 written motion requesting that the Decision be vacated and stating the grounds relied on within 6 seven (7) days after service of the Decision on Respondent. The agency in its discretion may 7 vacate the Decision and grant a hearing on a showing of good cause, as defined in the statute. 8 This Decision shall become effective on October 4, 2013. 9 10 It is so ORDERED ON September 4, 2013. 11 **BOARD OF PHARMACY** DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS 12 STATE OF CALIFORNIA 13 14 (. Wussin 15 By 16 **Board President** 17 18 default decision LIC.rtf DOJ Matter ID:SF2013403826 19 Attachment: Exhibit A: Petition to Revoke Probation 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27

## Exhibit A

Petition to Revoke Probation

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9	DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA					
10	In the Matter of the Petition to Revoke	Case No. 4546				
11	Probation Against,	Case No. 4340				
12	MOHAMMAD ALI BAZYAR 4977 Edgar Court #3	PETITION TO REVOKE PROBATION				
13	San Jose, CA 95118 Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH					
14	104369					
15	Respondent.					
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18	Complainant alleges:					
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20	1. Virginia Herold (Complainant) brings this Petition to Revoke Probation solely in her					
21	official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer					
22	Affairs.					
23	2. On or about May 31, 2012, the Board of Pharmacy issued Pharmacy Technician					
24	License Number TCH 104369 to Mohammad Ali Bazyar (Respondent). The Pharmacy					
25	Technician License expires on September 30, 2013, unless renewed.					
26	3. In a disciplinary action entitled "In the Matter of the Statement of Issues Against					
27	Mohammad Ali Bazyar," Case No. 4091, the Board of Pharmacy issued a decision, effective May					
28	25, 2012, whereby Respondent was to be issued a probationary license upon satisfaction of					

#### FIRST CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION

#### (Failure to Report Quarterly to the Board)

- 9. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 3 of that Order required in pertinent part:
  - **3. Report to the Board.** Probationer shall report to the Board quarterly, on a schedule as directed by the board or its designee. The report shall be made either in person or in writing, as directed. Among other requirements, respondent shall state in each report under penalty of perjury whether there has been compliance with all the terms and conditions of probation. Failure to submit timely reports in a form as directed shall be considered a violation of probation.
- 10. Respondent's probation is subject to revocation in that he failed to comply with Term and Condition 3. Respondent failed to submit timely quarterly reports to the Board. No reports have been received by the Board since the start of probation.

#### SECOND CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION

#### (Failure to Appear for Interviews with the Board Upon Request)

- 11. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 4 of that Order required:
  - 4. Interview with the Board. Upon receipt of reasonable notice, Respondent shall appear in person for interviews with the Board or its designee, at such intervals and locations as are determined by the Board or its designee. Failure to appear for any scheduled interview without prior notification to board staff, or failure to appear at two (2) or more scheduled interviews with the board or its designee during the period of probation shall be considered a violation of probation.
- 12. Respondent's probation is subject to revocation in that he failed to comply with Term and Condition 4. Respondent failed to appear as requested for probation office conferences with the Board on two separate occasions: June 28, 2012 and July 26, 2012. Respondent did not provide notification to Board staff regarding his failure to appear at each conference.
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#### THIRD CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION

#### (Failure to Submit to Random Drug Screening)

- 13. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 16 of that Order required in pertinent part:
  - 16. Random Drug Screening. Respondent, at his own expense, shall participate in random testing, including but not limited to biological fluid testing (urine, blood), breathalyzer, hair follicle testing, or other drug screening program as directed by the board or its designee. Respondent may be required to participate in testing for the entire probation period and the frequency of testing will be determined by the Board or its designee. At all times Respondent shall fully cooperate with the Board or its designee, and shall, when directed, submit to such tests and samples for the detection of alcohol, narcotics, hypnotics, dangerous drugs or other controlled substances as the board or its designee may direct. Failure to timely submit to testing as directed shall be considered a violation of probation.
- 14. Respondent's probation is subject to revocation in that he failed to comply with Term and Condition 16. Respondent failed to report daily and submit to testing as scheduled in the random drug screening program.

#### FOURTH CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION

#### (Failure to Establish a Prescription Coordinator/Monitor)

- 15. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 20 of that Order required in pertinent part:
  - 20. Prescription Coordination and Monitoring of Prescription Use. Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, respondent shall submit to the board, for its prior approval, the name and qualifications of a single physician, nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or psychiatrist of Respondent's choice, who shall be aware of the respondent's history with the use of alcohol and who will coordinate and monitor any prescriptions for respondent for dangerous drugs, controlled substances or mood-altering drugs.

Failure to timely submit the selected practitioner or replacement practitioner to the board for approval, or to ensure the required reporting thereby on the quarterly reports, shall be considered a violation of probation.

Respondent's probation is subject to revocation in that he failed to comply with Term and Condition 20. Respondent has not established a practitioner as his prescription coordinator and monitor.

#### <u>PRA</u>YER

WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged, and that following the hearing, the Board of Pharmacy issue a decision:

- 1. Revoking the probation that was granted by the Board of Pharmacy in Case No. 4091 and imposing the disciplinary order that was stayed thereby revoking Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH 104369 issued to Mohammad Ali Bazyar;
- 2. Revoking or suspending Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH 104369, issued to Mohammad Ali Bazyar;

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4. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

DATED: 4/8/13

VIRGINIA HEROLD

Executive Officer
Board of Pharmacy

Department of Consumer Affairs

State of California Complainant

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## Exhibit A

Decision and Order

Board of Pharmacy Case No. 4091

# BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Statement of Issues Against:

Case No. 4091

MOHAMMAD ALI BAZYAR 4977 Edgar Ct. #3 San Jose, CA 95118

Pharmacy Technician License

Respondent.

#### **DECISION AND ORDER**

The attached Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is hereby adopted by the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs, as its Decision in this matter.

This decision shall become effective on May 25, 2012.

It is so ORDERED on April 25, 2012.

BOARD OF PHARMACY
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Ву

STANLEY C. WEISSER Board President

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8	BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA				
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11	Against:	Case No. 4091			
12	MOHAMMAD ALI BAZYAR	STIPULATED SETTLEMENT AND DISCIPLINARY ORDER			
13	4977 Edgar Ct #3 San Jose, CA 95118				
14	Applicant for Registration as a Pharmacy Technician				
15	Respondent.				
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18	IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to the above-				
19	entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:				
-20	<u>PARTIES</u>				
21	1. Virginia Herold (Complainant) is the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy.				
22	She brought this action solely in her official capacity and is represented in this matter by Kamala				
23	D. Harris, Attorney General of the State of California, by Justin R. Surber, Deputy Attorney				
24	General.				
25	2. Respondent Mohammad Ali Bazyar (Respondent) is representing himself in this				
26	proceeding and has chosen not to exercise his right to be represented by counsel.				
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3. In or about April 2010, Respondent filed an application dated April 13, 2010, with the Board of Pharmacy to obtain registration as a Pharmacy Technician. The application was denied on or about January 10, 2010.

#### JURISDICTION

- 4. Statement of Issues No. 4091 was filed before the Board of Pharmacy (Board),
  Department of Consumer Affairs, and is currently pending against Respondent. The Statement of
  Issues and all other statutorily required documents were properly served on Respondent on
  December 8, 2011.
- 5. A copy of Statement of Issues No. 4091 is attached as exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

#### ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS

- 6. Respondent has carefully read, and understands the charges and allegations in Statement of Issues No. 4091. Respondent has also carefully read, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order.
- 7. Respondent is fully aware of his legal rights in this matter, including the right to a hearing on the charges and allegations in the Statement of Issues; the right to be represented by counsel at his own expense; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against him; the right to present evidence and to testify on his own behalf; the right to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents; the right to reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other rights accorded by the California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.
- 8. Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and every right set forth above.

#### CULPABILITY

9. Respondent admits the truth of each and every charge and allegation in Statement of Issues No. 4091.

10. Respondent agrees that his application for registration as a pharmacy technician is subject to denial and he agrees to be bound by the Board's probationary terms as set forth in the Disciplinary Order below.

#### CONTINGENCY

- 11. This stipulation shall be subject to approval by the Board of Pharmacy. Respondent understands and agrees that counsel for Complainant and the staff of the Board of Pharmacy may communicate directly with the Board regarding this stipulation and settlement, without notice to or participation by Respondent. By signing the stipulation, Respondent understands and agrees that he may not withdraw his agreement or seek to rescind the stipulation prior to the time the Board considers and acts upon it. If the Board fails to adopt this stipulation as its Decision and Order, the Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order shall be of no force or effect, except for this paragraph, it shall be inadmissible in any legal action between the parties; and the Board shall not be disqualified from further action by having considered this matter.
- 12. The parties understand and agree that facsimile copies of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order, including facsimile signatures thereto, shall have the same force and effect as the originals.
- 13. This Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is intended by the parties to be an integrated writing representing the complete, final, and exclusive embodiment of their agreement. It supersedes any and all prior or contemporaneous agreements, understandings, discussions, negotiations, and commitments (written or oral). This Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order may not be altered, amended, modified, supplemented, or otherwise changed except by a writing executed by an authorized representative of each of the parties.
- 14. In consideration of the foregoing admissions and stipulations, the parties agree that the Board may, without further notice or formal proceeding, issue and enter the following Disciplinary Order:

#### DISCIPLINARY ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that upon satisfaction of all statutory and regulatory requirements for registration, Respondent Mohammad Ali Bazyar be granted registration as a

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Pharmacy Technician. The registration shall be and immediately revoked. However, the revocation will be stayed and the Respondent will be placed on three (3) years probation on the following terms and conditions.

#### 1. Certification Prior to Resuming Work

Respondent shall be automatically suspended from working as a pharmacy technician until he is certified as defined by Business and Professions Code section 4202(a)(4) and provides satisfactory proof of certification to the board. Respondent shall not resume working as a pharmacy technician until notified by the board. Failure to achieve certification within one (1) year shall be considered a violation of probation. Respondent shall not resume working as a pharmacy technician until notified by the board.

During suspension, respondent shall not enter any pharmacy area or any portion of any other board licensed premises (wholesaler, veterinary food-animal drug retailer or any other distributor of drugs) any drug manufacturer, or any other location where dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances are maintained. Respondent shall not do any act involving drug selection, selection of stock, manufacturing, compounding or dispensing; nor shall respondent manage, administer, or assist any licensee of the board. Respondent shall not have access to or control the ordering, manufacturing or dispensing of dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances. Respondent shall not resume work until notified by the board.

Subject to the above restrictions, respondent may continue to own or hold an interest in any licensed premises by the board in which he holds an interest at the time this decision becomes effective unless otherwise specified in this order.

Failure to comply with this suspension shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 2. Obey All Laws

Respondent shall obey all state and federal laws and regulations.

Respondent shall report any of the following occurrences to the board, in writing, within seventy-two (72) hours of such occurrence:

an arrest or issuance of a criminal complaint for violation of any provision of the

Pharmacy Law, state and federal food and drug laws, or state and federal controlled

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substances laws

- a plea of guilty or note contendre in any state or federal criminal proceeding to any criminal complaint, information or indictment
- □ a conviction of any crime
- discipline, citation, or other administrative action filed by any state or federal agency which involves respondent's pharmacy technician license or which is related to the practice of pharmacy or the manufacturing, obtaining, handling, distributing, billing, or charging for any drug, device or controlled substance.

Failure to timely report any such occurrence shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 3. Report to the Board

Respondent shall report to the board quarterly, on a schedule as directed by the board or its designee. The report shall be made either in person or in writing, as directed. Among other requirements, respondent shall state in each report under penalty of perjury whether there has been compliance with all the terms and conditions of probation. Failure to submit timely reports in a form as directed shall be considered a violation of probation. Any period(s) of delinquency in submission of reports as directed may be added to the total period of probation. Moreover, if the final probation report is not made as directed, probation shall be automatically extended until such time as the final report is made and accepted by the board.

#### 4. Interview with the Board

Upon receipt of reasonable prior notice, respondent shall appear in person for interviews with the board or its designee, at such intervals and locations as are determined by the board or its designee. Failure to appear for any scheduled interview without prior notification to board staff, or failure to appear at two (2) or more scheduled interviews with the board or its designee during the period of probation, shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 5. Cooperate with Board Staff

Respondent shall cooperate with the board's inspection program and with the board's monitoring and investigation of respondent's compliance with the terms and conditions of his probation. Failure to cooperate shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 6. Notice to Employers

During the period of probation, respondent shall notify all present and prospective employers of the decision in case number 4091 and the terms, conditions and restrictions imposed on respondent by the decision, as follows:

Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, and within fifteen (15) days of respondent undertaking any new employment, respondent shall cause his direct supervisor, pharmacist-in-charge (including each new pharmacist-in-charge employed during respondent's tenure of employment) and owner to report to the board in writing acknowledging that the listed individual(s) has/have read the decision in case number 4091 and the terms and conditions imposed thereby. It shall be respondent's responsibility to ensure that his employer(s) and/or supervisor(s) submit timely acknowledgement(s) to the board.

If respondent works for or is employed by or through a pharmacy employment service, respondent must notify his direct supervisor, pharmacist-in-charge and owner at every pharmacy of the terms and conditions of the decision in case number 4091 in advance of the respondent commencing work at each pharmacy. A record of this notification must be provided to the board upon request.

Furthermore, within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, and within fifteen (15) days of respondent undertaking any new employment by or through a pharmacy employment service, respondent shall cause his direct supervisor with the pharmacy employment service to report to the board in writing acknowledging that he has read the decision in case number 4091 and the terms and conditions imposed thereby. It shall be respondent's responsibility to ensure that his employer(s) and/or supervisor(s) submit timely acknowledgment(s) to the board.

Failure to timely notify present or prospective employer(s) or to cause that/those employer(s) to submit timely acknowledgements to the board shall be considered a violation of probation.

"Employment" within the meaning of this provision shall include any full-time, part-time, temporary or relief service or pharmacy management service as a pharmacy technician or in any position for which a pharmacy technician license is a requirement

or criterion for employment, whether the respondent is considered an employee, independent contractor or volunteer.

#### 7. Probation Monitoring Costs

Respondent shall pay any costs associated with probation monitoring as determined by the board each and every year of probation. Such costs shall be payable to the board on a schedule as directed by the board or its designee. Failure to pay such costs by the deadline(s) as directed shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 8. Status of License

Respondent shall, at all times while on probation, maintain an active, current pharmacy technician license with the board, including any period during which suspension or probation is tolled. Failure to maintain an active, current license shall be considered a violation of probation.

If respondent's pharmacy technician license expires or is cancelled by operation of law or otherwise at any time during the period of probation, including any extensions thereof due to tolling or otherwise, upon renewal or reapplication respondent's license shall be subject to all terms and conditions of this probation not previously satisfied.

#### 9. License Surrender While on Probation/Suspension

Following the effective date of this decision, should respondent cease work due to retirement or health, or be otherwise unable to satisfy the terms and conditions of probation, respondent may tender his pharmacy technician license to the board for surrender. The board or its designee shall have the discretion whether to grant the request for surrender or take any other action it deems appropriate and reasonable. Upon formal acceptance of the surrender of the license, respondent will no longer be subject to the terms and conditions of probation. This surrender constitutes a record of discipline and shall become a part of the respondent's license history with the board.

Upon acceptance of the surrender, respondent shall relinquish his pharmacy technician license to the board within ten (10) days of notification by the board that the surrender is accepted. Respondent may not reapply for any license, permit, or registration from the board for three (3) years from the effective date of the surrender. Respondent shall meet all requirements

applicable to the license sought as of the date the application for that license is submitted to the board.

## 10. Notification of a Change in Name, Residence Address, Mailing Address or Employment

Respondent shall notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of any change of employment. Said notification shall include the reasons for leaving, the address of the new employer, the name of the supervisor and owner, and the work schedule if known. Respondent shall further notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of a change in name, residence address and mailing address, or phone number.

Failure to timely notify the board of any change in employer(s), name(s), address(es), or phone number(s) shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 11. Tolling of Probation

Except during periods of suspension, respondent shall, at all times while on probation, be employed as a pharmacy technician in California for a minimum of 20 hours per calendar month. Any month during which this minimum is not met shall toll the period of probation, i.e., the period of probation shall be extended by one month for each month during which this minimum is not met. During any such period of tolling of probation, respondent must nonetheless comply with all terms and conditions of probation.

Should respondent, regardless of residency, for any reason (including vacation) cease working as a pharmacy technician for a minimum of 20 hours per calendar month in California, respondent must notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of cessation of work and must further notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of the resumption of the work. Any failure to provide such notification(s) shall be considered a violation of probation.

It is a violation of probation for respondent's probation to remain tolled pursuant to the provisions of this condition for a total period, counting consecutive and non-consecutive months, exceeding thirty-six (36) months.

"Cessation of work" means calendar month during which respondent is not working for at least 20 hours as a pharmacy technician, as defined in Business and

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Professions Code section 4115. "Resumption of work" means any calendar month during which respondent is working as a pharmacy technician for at least 20 hours as a pharmacy technician as defined by Business and Professions Code section 4115.

#### 12. Violation of Probation

If a respondent has not complied with any term or condition of probation, the board shall have continuing jurisdiction over respondent, and probation shall automatically be extended, until all terms and conditions have been satisfied or the board has taken other action as deemed appropriate to treat the failure to comply as a violation of probation, to terminate probation, and to impose the penalty that was stayed.

If respondent violates probation in any respect, the board, after giving respondent notice and an opportunity to be heard, may revoke probation and carry out the disciplinary order that was stayed. Notice and opportunity to be heard are not required for those provisions stating that a violation thereof may lead to automatic termination of the stay and/or revocation of the license. If a petition to revoke probation or an accusation is filed against respondent during probation, the board shall have continuing jurisdiction, and the period of probation shall be automatically extended until the petition to revoke probation or accusation is heard and decided.

#### 13. Completion of Probation

Upon written notice by the board indicating successful completion of probation, respondent's pharmacy technician license will be fully restored.

#### 14. No Ownership of Licensed Premises

Respondent shall not own, have any legal or beneficial interest in, or serve as a manager, administrator, member, officer, director, trustee, associate, or partner of any business, firm, partnership, or corporation currently or hereinafter licensed by the board. Respondent shall sell or transfer any legal or beneficial interest in any entity licensed by the board within ninety (90) days following the effective date of this decision and shall immediately thereafter provide written proof thereof to the board. Failure to timely divest any legal or beneficial interest(s) or provide documentation thereof shall be considered a violation of probation.

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#### 15. Attend Substance Abuse Recovery Relapse Prevention and Support Groups

In the event respondent has a positive test for alcohol or for any drug not lawfully prescribed by a licensed practitioner as part of a documented medical treatment, respondent shall, within 30 days of the positive test, begin regular attendance at a recognized and established substance abuse recovery support group in California, (e.g., Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, etc.) which has been approved by the board or its designee. Respondent must attend at least one group meeting per week unless otherwise directed by the board or its designee. Respondent shall continue regular attendance and submit signed and dated documentation confirming attendance with each quarterly report for the duration of probation. Failure to attend or submit documentation thereof shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 16. Random Drug Screening

Respondent, at his own expense, shall participate in random testing, including but not limited to biological fluid testing (urine, blood), breathalyzer, hair follicle testing, or other drug screening program as directed by the board or its designee. Respondent may be required to participate in testing for the entire probation period and the frequency of testing will be determined by the board or its designee. At all times respondent shall fully cooperate with the board or its designee, and shall, when directed, submit to such tests and samples for the detection of alcohol, narcotics, hypnotics, dangerous drugs or other controlled substances as the board or its designee may direct. Failure to timely submit to testing as directed shall be considered a violation of probation. Upon request of the board or its designee, respondent shall provide documentation from a licensed practitioner that the prescription for a detected drug was legitimately issued and is a necessary part of the treatment of the respondent. Failure to timely provide such documentation shall be considered a violation of probation. Any confirmed positive test for alcohol or for any drug not lawfully prescribed by a licensed practitioner as part of a documented medical treatment shall be considered a violation of probation and shall result in the automatic suspension of work by respondent. Respondent may not resume work as a pharmacy technician until notified by the board in writing.

During suspension, respondent shall not enter any pharmacy area or any portion of or any

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 other board licensed premises (wholesaler, veterinary food-animal drug retailer or any other distributor of drugs) any drug manufacturer, or any other location where dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances are maintained. Respondent shall not do any act involving drug selection, selection of stock, manufacturing, compounding or dispensing; nor shall respondent manage, administer, or assist any licensee of the board. Respondent shall not have access to or control the ordering, manufacturing or dispensing of dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances. Respondent shall not resume work until notified by the board.

Respondent shall not direct, control or perform any aspect of the practice of pharmacy. Subject to the above restrictions, respondent may continue to own or hold an interest in any licensed premises in which he holds an interest at the time this decision becomes effective unless otherwise specified in this order.

Failure to comply with this suspension shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 17. Work Site Monitor

Within ten (10) days of the effective date of this decision, respondent shall identify a work site monitor, for prior approval by the board, who shall be responsible for supervising respondent during working hours. Respondent shall be responsible for ensuring that the work site monitor reports in writing to the board quarterly. Should the designated work site monitor determine at any time during the probationary period that respondent has not maintained sobriety, he shall notify the board immediately, either orally or in writing as directed. Should respondent change employment, a new work site monitor must be designated, for prior approval by the board, within ten (10) days of commencing new employment. Failure to identify an acceptable initial or replacement work site monitor, or to ensure quarterly reports are submitted to the board, shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 18. Notification of Departure

Prior to leaving the probationary geographic area designated by the board or its designee for a period greater than twenty-four (24) hours, respondent shall notify the board verbally and in writing of the dates of departure and return. Failure to comply with this provision shall be considered a violation of probation.

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#### 19. Abstain from Drugs and Alcohol Use

Respondent shall completely abstain from the possession or use of alcohol, controlled substances, dangerous drugs and their associated paraphernalia except when the drugs are lawfully prescribed by a licensed practitioner as part of a documented medical treatment. Upon request of the board or its designee, respondent shall provide documentation from the licensed practitioner that the prescription for the drug was legitimately issued and is a necessary part of the treatment of the respondent. Failure to timely provide such documentation shall be considered a violation of probation. Respondent shall ensure that he is not in the same physical location as individuals who are using illicit substances even if respondent is not personally ingesting the drugs. Any possession or use of alcohol, controlled substances, or their associated paraphernalia not supported by the documentation timely provided, and/or any physical proximity to persons using illicit substances, shall be considered a violation of probation.

#### 20. Prescription Coordination and Monitoring of Prescription Use

Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, respondent shall submit to the board, for its prior approval, the name and qualifications of a single physician, nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or psychiatrist of respondent's choice, who shall be aware of the respondent's history with the use of alcohol and who will coordinate and monitor any prescriptions for respondent for dangerous drugs, controlled substances or mood-altering drugs. The approved practitioner shall be provided with a copy of the board's Accusation and decision. A record of this notification must be provided to the board upon request. Respondent shall sign a release authorizing the practitioner to communicate with the board about respondent's treatment(s). The coordinating physician, nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or psychiatrist shall report to the board on a quarterly basis for the duration of probation regarding respondent's compliance with this condition. If any substances considered addictive have been prescribed, the report shall identify a program for the time limited use of any such substances. The board may require that the single coordinating physician, nurse practitioner, physician assistant or psychiatrist be a specialist in addictive medicine. Should respondent, for any reason, cease supervision by the approved practitioner, respondent shall notify the board

immediately and, within thirty (30) days of ceasing treatment, submit the name of a replacement physician, nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or psychiatrist of respondent's choice to the board or its designee for its prior approval. Failure to timely submit the selected practitioner or replacement practitioner to the board for approval, or to ensure the required reporting thereby on the quarterly reports, shall be considered a violation of probation.

If at any time an approved practitioner determines that respondent is unable to practice safely or independently as a pharmacist, the practitioner shall notify the board immediately by telephone and follow up by written letter within three (3) working days. Upon notification from the board or its designee of this determination, respondent shall be automatically suspended and shall not resume practice until notified by the board that practice may be resumed.

During suspension, respondent shall not enter any pharmacy area or any portion of the licensed premises of a wholesaler, veterinary food-animal drug retailer or any other distributor of drugs which is licensed by the board, or any manufacturer, or where dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances are maintained. Respondent shall not practice pharmacy nor do any act involving drug selection, selection of stock, manufacturing, compounding, dispensing or patient consultation; nor shall respondent manage, administer, or be a consultant to any licensee of the board, or have access to or control the ordering, manufacturing or dispensing of dangerous drugs and controlled substances. Respondent shall not resume practice until notified by the board.

During suspension, respondent shall not engage in any activity that requires the professional judgment of a pharmacist. Respondent shall not direct or control any aspect of the practice of pharmacy. Respondent shall not perform the duties of a pharmacy technician or a designated representative for any entity licensed by the board.

Subject to the above restrictions, respondent may continue to own or hold an interest in any licensed premises in which she holds an interest at the time this decision becomes effective unless otherwise specified in this order.

Failure to comply with this suspension shall be considered a violation of probation.

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#### ACCEPTANCE

I have carefully read the Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on registration as a pharmacy technician. I enter into this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Board of Pharmacy.

DATED: March 109/2012

MOHAMMAD ALTBAZYAR Respondent

#### **ENDORSEMENT**

The foregoing Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Board of Pharmacy of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

Dated: 3/21/12

Respectfully submitted,

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Exhibit A

Statement of Issues No. 4091

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10	STATE OF	CALIFORNIA				
11	In the Matter of the Statement of Issues	Case No. 4091				
12	Against:					
13	MOHAMMAD ALI BAZYAR 4977 Edgar Ct #3	STATEMENT OF ISSUES				
14	San Jose, CA 95118					
15	Applicant for Registration as a Pharmacy Technician					
16	Respondent.					
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1.8	Complainant alleges:					
19	PAR	TIES				
20	1. Virginia Herold (Complainant) brings this Statement of Issues solely in her official					
21	capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs.					
22	2. In 2010, the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs received an					
23	application for Registration as a Pharmacy Technician from Mohammad Ali Bazyar					
24	(Respondent). On or about April 13, 2010, Mohammad Ali Bazyar certified under penalty of					
25	perjury to the truthfulness of all statements, answers, and representations in the application. The					
26	Board denied the application on January 10, 2011.					
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#### JURISDICTION

- This Statement of Issues is brought before the Board of Pharmacy (Board), Department of Consumer Affairs, under the authority of the following laws. All section references are to the Business and Professions Code unless otherwise indicated.
  - Section 4300 of the Code states:
- "...(c) The board may refuse a license to any applicant guilty of unprofessional conduct, The board may, in its sole discretion, issue a probationary license to any applicant for a license who is guilty of unprofessional conduct and who has met all other requirements for licensure. The board may issue the license subject to any terms or conditions not contrary to public policy, including, but not limited to, the following:
  - "(1) Medical or psychiatric evaluation.
  - "(2) Continuing medical or psychiatric treatment.
  - "(3) Restriction of type or circumstances of practice.
  - "(4) Continuing participation in a board-approved rehabilitation program.
  - "(5) Abstention from the use of alcohol or drugs.
  - "(6) Random fluid testing for alcohol or drugs.
  - "(7) Compliance with laws and regulations governing the practice of pharmacy.
  - Section 4301 of the Code states:
- "The board shall take action against any holder of a license who is guilty of unprofessional conduct or whose license has been procured by fraud or misrepresentation or issued by mistake. Unprofessional conduct shall include, but is not limited to, any of the following:
- "(i) The violation of any of the statutes of this state, or any other state, or of the United States regulating controlled substances and dangerous drugs.
  - 6. Section 480 of the Code states:
- "(a) A board may deny a license regulated by this code on the grounds that the applicant has one of the following:

- "(3) (A) Done any act that if done by a licentiate of the business or profession in question, would be grounds for suspension or revocation of license.
  - 7. Health and Safety Code section 11350(a) sates:

"(a) Except as otherwise provided in this division, every person who possesses (1) any controlled substance specified in subdivision (b) or (c), or paragraph (1) of subdivision (f) of Section 11054, specified in paragraph (14), (15), or (20) of subdivision (d) of Section 11054, or specified in subdivision (b) or (c) of Section 11055, or specified in subdivision (h) of Section 11056, or (2) any controlled substance classified in Schedule III, IV, or V which is a narcotic drug, unless upon the written prescription of a physician, dentist, podiatrist, or veterinarian licensed to practice in this state, shall be punished by imprisonment in the state prison."

#### DRUGS INVOLVED

8. Cocaine is a Schedule II controlled substance as designated by Health and Safety Code section 11055(b) and a dangerous drug as designated by Business and Professions Code section 4022. It is a narcotic drug.

#### CAUSE FOR DENIAL OF APPLICATION

#### (Violation of Drug Laws)

9. Respondent's application is subject to denial under sections 480(a)(3) and 4300(c) of the Code in conjunction with section 4301(j) of the Code in that Respondent violated a California statute regulating controlled substances and dangerous drugs. On or about May 31, 2010, Respondent possessed cocaine in violation of Health and Safety Code section 11350.

#### PRAYER

WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged, and that following the hearing, the Board of Pharmacy issue a decision:

1. Denying the application of Mohammad Ali Bazyar for registration as a Pharmacy Technician;

1	2. T	Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.	
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3	DATED:	VIRGINIA HEROLD	
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