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9 **BEFORE THE**  
10 **BOARD OF PHARMACY**  
11 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

12 In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

13 SONICA KANDA  
8500 Banner Court  
Antelope, CA 95843

14 Pharmacy Technician Registration No.  
TCH 55002

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16 Respondent.

Case No. 2877

OAH No. N-2006010014

**DEFAULT DECISION  
AND ORDER**

[Gov. Code, §11520]

17 FINDINGS OF FACT

18 1. On or about August 15, 2005, Complainant Patricia F. Harris, in her  
19 official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, filed Accusation No. 2877  
20 against Sonica Kanda (Respondent) before the Board of Pharmacy.

21 2. On or about January 30, 2004, the Board of Pharmacy (Board) issued  
22 Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH 55002 to Respondent. The original pharmacy  
23 technician registration was in effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will  
24 expire on October 31, 2007, unless renewed.

25 3. On or about November 22, 2005, Jessica Taylor, an employee of the  
26 Department of Justice, served by Certified Mail a copy of the Accusation No. 2877, Statement to  
27 Respondent, Notice of Defense, Request for Discovery, and Government Code sections 11507.5,  
28 11507.6, and 11507.7 to Respondent's address of record with the Board which was, and is, 1773

1 Canyon Creek Drive, Roseville, CA 95747. A copy of the Accusation, the related documents,  
2 and Declaration of Service are attached as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

3 4. Service of the Accusation was effective as a matter of law under the  
4 provisions of Government Code section 11505 subdivision (c).

5 5. On or about November 28, 2005, Respondent signed and returned a Notice  
6 of Defense, requesting a hearing in this matter. A Notice of Hearing was served by mail at  
7 Respondent's address of record and it informed her that an administrative hearing in this matter  
8 was scheduled for April 6, 2006. Respondent failed to appear at that hearing. A copy of  
9 Respondent's Notice of Defense, the Notice of Hearing, and Declaration of Service are attached  
10 hereto as Exhibit B, and are incorporated herein by reference.

11 6. Government Code section 11506 states, in pertinent part:

12 "(c) The respondent shall be entitled to a hearing on the merits if the respondent  
13 files a notice of defense, and the notice shall be deemed a specific denial of all parts of the  
14 accusation not expressly admitted. Failure to file a notice of defense shall constitute a waiver of  
15 respondent's right to a hearing, but the agency in its discretion may nevertheless grant a hearing."

16 7. California Government Code section 11520 states, in pertinent part:

17 "(a) If the respondent either fails to file a notice of defense or to appear at the  
18 hearing, the agency may take action based upon the respondent's express admissions or  
19 upon other evidence and affidavits may be used as evidence without any notice to  
20 respondent."

21 8. Pursuant to its authority under Government Code section 11520, the Board  
22 finds Respondent is in default. The Board will take action without further hearing and, based on  
23 Respondent's express admissions by way of default and the evidence before it contained in  
24 Exhibits A and B, finds that the allegation in paragraph 9 of Accusation No. 2877 that on  
25 November 4, 2004, Respondent violated Business and Professions Code section 4301(j) is true.

26 9. The total costs for investigation and enforcement are \$3,346.75 as of April  
27 4, 2006. A Certification of Costs is attached as Exhibit C and incorporated herein by reference.

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DETERMINATION OF ISSUES

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1. Based on the foregoing findings of fact, Respondent Sonica Kanda has subjected her Pharmacy Technician Registration No. TCH 55002 to discipline.

2. A copy of the Accusation and the related documents and Declaration of Service are attached.

3. The agency has jurisdiction to adjudicate this case by default.

4. The Board of Pharmacy is authorized to revoke Respondent's pharmacy technician license based upon the following violation alleged in the Accusation:

a. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under Business and Professions Code section 4301(j) for violating Health and Safety Code section 11377(a), a controlled substances law, in that, on or about November 4, 2004, Respondent was found with methamphetamine, a controlled substance, in her possession.

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Exhibit A  
Accusation No. 2877,  
Related Documents and Declaration of Service

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**A C C U S A T I O N**

13 Original Pharmacy Technician Registration No.  
14 TCH 55002

15 Respondent.

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17 Complainant alleges:

18 PARTIES

19 1. Patricia F. Harris (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in her  
20 official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer  
21 Affairs.

22 2. On or about January 30, 2004, the Board of Pharmacy issued Original  
23 Pharmacy Technician Registration Number TCH 55002 to Sonica Kanda (Respondent). The  
24 original pharmacy technician registration was in effect at all times relevant to the charges brought  
25 herein and will expire on October 31, 2005, unless renewed.

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JURISDICTION

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2           3.     This Accusation is brought before the Board of Pharmacy (Board),  
3 Department of Consumer Affairs, under the authority of the following laws. All section  
4 references are to the Business and Professions Code unless otherwise indicated.

5           4.     Section 4301 of the Code states in pertinent part:

6           "The board shall take action against any holder of a license who is guilty of  
7 unprofessional conduct or whose license has been procured by fraud or misrepresentation or  
8 issued by mistake. Unprofessional conduct shall include, but is not limited to, any of the  
9 following:

10           "(j) The violation of any of the statutes of this state or of the United States  
11 regulating controlled substances and dangerous drugs.

12           "(l) The conviction of a crime substantially related to the qualifications, functions,  
13 and duties of a licensee under this chapter. The record of conviction of a violation of Chapter 13  
14 (commencing with Section 801) of Title 21 of the United States Code regulating controlled  
15 substances or of a violation of the statutes of this state regulating controlled substances or  
16 dangerous drugs shall be conclusive evidence of unprofessional conduct. In all other cases, the  
17 record of conviction shall be conclusive evidence only of the fact that the conviction occurred.  
18 The board may inquire into the circumstances surrounding the commission of the crime, in order  
19 to fix the degree of discipline or, in the case of a conviction not involving controlled substances  
20 or dangerous drugs, to determine if the conviction is of an offense substantially related to the  
21 qualifications, functions, and duties of a licensee under this chapter. A plea or verdict of guilty  
22 or a conviction following a plea of nolo contendere is deemed to be a conviction within the  
23 meaning of this provision.

24           5.     Section 490 of the Code states:

25           "A board may suspend or revoke a license on the ground that the licensee has been  
26 convicted of a crime, if the crime is substantially related to the qualifications, functions, or duties  
27 of the business or profession for which the license was issued. A conviction within the meaning  
28 of this section means a plea or verdict of guilty or a conviction following a plea of nolo





1 was convicted as described in paragraph 9, above, of a crime substantially related to the duties  
2 and functions of a pharmacy technician.

3 PRAYER

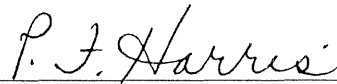
4 WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein  
5 alleged, and that following the hearing, the Board of Pharmacy issue a decision:

6 A. Revoking or suspending Original Pharmacy Technician Registration  
7 Number TCH 55002, issued to Sonica Kanda.

8 B. Ordering Sonica Kanda to pay the Board of Pharmacy the reasonable costs  
9 of the investigation and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and Professions Code  
10 section 125.3;

11 C. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

12 DATED: 8/15/05

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15 PATRICIA F. HARRIS  
16 Executive Officer  
17 Board of Pharmacy  
18 Department of Consumer Affairs  
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**REQUEST FOR DISCOVERY**

[Gov. Code § 11507.6]

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18 TO RESPONDENT:

19 Under section 11507.6 of the Government Code of the State of California, parties  
20 to an administrative hearing, including the Complainant, are entitled to certain information  
21 concerning the opposing party's case. A copy of the provisions of section 11507.6 of the  
22 Government Code concerning such rights is included among the papers served.

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24 PURSUANT TO SECTION 11507.6 OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE, YOU  
25 ARE HEREBY REQUESTED TO:

26 1. Provide the names and addresses of witnesses to the extent known to the  
27 Respondent, including, but not limited to, those intended to be called to testify at the hearing, and

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1           2.     Provide an opportunity for the Complainant to inspect and make a copy of any of  
2 the following in the possession or custody or under control of the Respondent:

3           a.     A statement of a person, other than the Respondent, named in the initial  
4 administrative pleading, or in any additional pleading, when it is claimed that the act or  
5 omission of the Respondent as to this person is the basis for the administrative  
6 proceeding;

7           b.     A statement pertaining to the subject matter of the proceeding made by any  
8 party to another party or persons;

9           c.     Statements of witnesses then proposed to be called by the Respondent and  
10 of other persons having personal knowledge of the acts, omissions or events which are the  
11 basis for the proceeding, not included in (a) or (b) above;

12          d.     All writings, including but not limited to reports of mental, physical and  
13 blood examinations and things which the Respondent now proposes to offer in evidence;

14          e.     Any other writing or thing which is relevant and which would be  
15 admissible in evidence, including but not limited to, any patient or hospital records  
16 pertaining to the persons named in the pleading;

17          f.     Investigative reports made by or on behalf of the Respondent pertaining to  
18 the subject matter of the proceeding, to the extent that these reports (1) contain the names  
19 and addresses of witnesses or of persons having personal knowledge of the acts,  
20 omissions or events which are the basis for the proceeding, or (2) reflect matters  
21 perceived by the investigator in the course of his or her investigation, or (3) contain or  
22 include by attachment any statement or writing described in (a) to (e), inclusive, or  
23 summary thereof.

24                 For the purpose of this Request for Discovery, "statements" include written  
25 statements by the person, signed, or otherwise authenticated by him or her, stenographic,  
26 mechanical, electrical or other recordings, or transcripts thereof, of oral statements by the person,  
27 and written reports or summaries of these oral statements.

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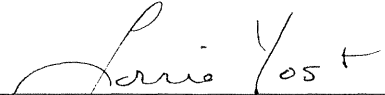
YOU ARE HEREBY FURTHER NOTIFIED that nothing in this Request for Discovery should be deemed to authorize the inspection or copying of any writing or thing which is privileged from disclosure by law or otherwise made confidential or protected as attorney's work product.

Your response to this Request for Discovery should be directed to the undersigned attorney for the Complainant at the address on the first page of this Request for Discovery **within 30 days after service** of the Accusation.

Failure without substantial justification to comply with this Request for Discovery may subject the Respondent to sanctions pursuant to sections 11507.7 and 11455.10 to 11455.30 of the Government Code.

DATED: 8-19-05

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of the State of California

  
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**STATEMENT TO RESPONDENT**

[Gov. Code §§ 11504, 11505(b)]

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14 Original Pharmacy Technician Registration No.:  
TCH 55002

15 Respondent.  
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18 **TO RESPONDENT:**

19 Enclosed is a copy of the Accusation that has been filed with the Board of  
20 Pharmacy of the Department of Consumer Affairs (Board), and which is hereby served on you.

21 Unless a written request for a hearing signed by you or on your behalf is delivered  
22 or mailed to the Board, represented by Deputy Attorney General Lorrie M. Yost, within fifteen  
23 (15) days after a copy of the Accusation was personally served on you or mailed to you, you will  
24 be deemed to have waived your right to a hearing in this matter and the Board may proceed upon  
25 the Accusation without a hearing and may take action thereon as provided by law.

26 The request for hearing may be made by delivering or mailing one of the enclosed  
27 forms entitled "Notice of Defense," or by delivering or mailing a Notice of Defense as provided  
28 in section 11506 of the Government Code, to

1                   Lorrie M. Yost  
2                   Deputy Attorney General  
3                   1300 I Street, Suite 125  
4                   P.O. Box 944255  
5                   Sacramento, California 94244-2550.

6                   You may, but need not, be represented by counsel at any or all stages of these  
7 proceedings.

8                   The enclosed Notice of Defense, if signed and filed with the Board, shall be  
9 deemed a specific denial of all parts of the Accusation, but you will not be permitted to raise any  
10 objection to the form of the Accusation unless you file a further Notice of Defense as provided in  
11 section 11506 of the Government Code within fifteen (15) days after service of the Accusation  
12 on you.

13                   If you file any Notice of Defense within the time permitted, a hearing will be held  
14 on the charges made in the Accusation.

15                   The hearing may be postponed for good cause. If you have good cause, you are  
16 obliged to notify the Office of Administrative Hearings, 560 J Street, Suite 340/360, Sacramento,  
17 California 95814, within ten (10) working days after you discover the good cause. Failure to  
18 notify the Office of Administrative Hearings within ten (10) days will deprive you of a  
19 postponement.

20                   Copies of sections 11507.5, 11507.6, and 11507.7 of the Government Code are  
21 enclosed.

22                   If you desire the names and addresses of witnesses or an opportunity to inspect  
23 and copy the items mentioned in section 11507.6 of the Government Code in the possession,  
24 custody or control of the Board you may send a Request for Discovery to the above designated  
25 Deputy Attorney General.

26                   **NOTICE REGARDING STIPULATED SETTLEMENTS**

27                   It may be possible to avoid the time, expense and uncertainties involved in an  
28 administrative hearing by disposing of this matter through a stipulated settlement. A stipulated  
settlement is a binding written agreement between you and the government regarding the matters

1 charged and the discipline to be imposed. Such a stipulation would have to be approved by the  
2 Board of Pharmacy but, once approved, it would be incorporated into a final order.

3 Any stipulation must be consistent with the Board's established disciplinary  
4 guidelines; however, all matters in mitigation or aggravation will be considered. A copy of the  
5 Board's Disciplinary Guidelines will be provided to you on your written request to the state  
6 agency bringing this action.

7 If you are interested in pursuing this alternative to a formal administrative hearing,  
8 or if you have any questions, you or your attorney should contact Deputy Attorney General Lorrie  
9 M. Yost at the earliest opportunity.

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Respondent.

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**NOTICE OF DEFENSE**

[Gov. Code §§ 11505 and 11506]

I, the undersigned Respondent in the above-entitled proceeding, hereby acknowledge receipt of a copy of the Accusation; Statement to Respondent; Government Code sections 11507.5, 11507.6 and 11507.7, Complainant's Request for Discovery; and two copies of a Notice of Defense.

I hereby request a hearing to permit me to present my defense to the charges contained in the Accusation.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

Respondent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Respondent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Respondent's Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Respondent's Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Check appropriate box:**

I do not consent to electronic reporting.

The hearing in this case will be electronically reported/recorded, unless you check the above-left box to indicate that you do not consent to electronic recording, in which case the hearing will be reported by a stenographic reporter. If you do not check this box, you may withdraw your consent to electronic recording at any point up to fifteen (15) calendar days prior to the date set for hearing, by a written statement served on the Office of Administrative Hearings and on counsel for Complainant. If the box is not checked, and no written withdrawal of consent is served on the Office of Administrative Hearing and on counsel for Complainant by fifteen (15) calendar days prior to the hearing, you waive any right to stenographic reporting.



- I am represented by counsel, whose name, address and telephone number appear below:

Counsel's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel's Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel's Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

- I am not now represented by counsel. If and when counsel is retained, immediate notification of the attorney's name, address and telephone number will be filed with the Office of Administrative Hearing and a copy sent to counsel for Complainant so that counsel will be on record to receive legal notices, pleadings and other papers.

The agency taking the action described in the Accusation may have formulated guidelines to assist the administrative law judge in reaching an appropriate penalty. You may obtain a copy of the guidelines by requesting them from the agency in writing.

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Counsel's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel's Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel's Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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**SECTION 11507.7: Petition to compel discovery; Order; Sanctions**

(a) Any party claiming the party's request for discovery pursuant to Section 11507.6 has not been complied with may serve and file with the administrative law judge a motion to compel discovery, naming as respondent the party refusing or failing to comply with Section 11507.6. The motion shall state facts showing the respondent party failed or refused to comply with Section 11507.6, a description of the matters sought to be discovered, the reason or reasons why the matter is discoverable under that section, that a reasonable and good faith attempt to contact the respondent for an informal resolution of the issue has been made, and the ground or grounds of respondent's refusal so far as known to the moving party.

(b) The motion shall be served upon respondent party and filed within 15 days after the respondent party first evidenced failure or refusal to comply with Section 11507.6 or within 30 days after request was made and the party has failed to reply to the request, or within another time provided by stipulation, whichever period is longer.

(c) The hearing on the motion to compel discovery shall be held within 15 days after the motion is made, or a later time that the administrative law judge may on the judge's own motion for good cause determine. The respondent party shall have the right to serve and file a written answer or other response to the motion before or at the time of the hearing.

(d) Where the matter sought to be discovered is under the custody or control of the respondent party and the respondent party asserts that the matter is not a discoverable matter under the provisions of Section 11507.6, or is privileged against disclosure under those provisions, the administrative law judge may order lodged with it matters provided in subdivision (b) of Section 915 of the Evidence Code and examine the matters in accordance with its provisions.

(e) The administrative law judge shall decide the case on the matters examined in camera, the papers filed by the parties, and such oral argument and additional evidence as the administrative law judge may allow.

(f) Unless otherwise stipulated by the parties, the administrative law judge shall no later than 15 days after the hearing make its order denying or granting the motion. The order shall be in writing setting forth the matters the moving party is entitled to discover under Section 11507.6. A copy of the order shall forthwith be served by mail by the administrative law judge upon the parties. Where the order grants the motion in whole or in part, the order shall not become effective until 10 days after the date the order is served. Where the order denies relief to the moving party, the order shall be effective on the date it is served.

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**DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**  
(Separate Mailings)

Case Name: **In the Matter of the Accusation Against: Sonica Kanda**

No.: **2877**

I declare:

I am employed in the Office of the Attorney General, which is the office of a member of the California State Bar at which member's direction this service is made. I am 18 years of age or older and not a party to this matter. I am familiar with the business practice at the Office of the Attorney General for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service. In accordance with that practice, correspondence placed in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General is deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day in the ordinary course of business.

On November 22, 2005, I served the attached **Accusation; Request for Discovery; Statement to Respondent; Notice of Defense; Applicable Government Code Sections** by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope as certified mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and return receipt requested, and another true copy of the **Accusation; Request for Discovery; Statement to Respondent; Notice of Defense; Applicable Government Code Sections** was enclosed in a second sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General at 1300 I Street, Suite 125, P.O. Box 944255, Sacramento, CA 94244-2550, addressed as follows:

**BY U.S. & CERTIFIED MAIL TO:**

Sonica Kanda  
1773 Canyon Creek Drive  
Roseville, CA 95747

Certified Article Number

7160 3901 9848 4990 0572

SENDER'S RECORD

**BY U.S. MAIL ONLY TO:**

Patricia F. Harris  
Executive Officer  
Board of Pharmacy  
400 R Street, Suite 4070  
Sacramento, CA 95814-6200

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on November 22, 2005, at Sacramento, California.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Jessica L. Taylor  
Declarant

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*Jessica L. Taylor*  
Signature

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**TO:** Sonica Kanda  
1773 Canyon Creek Drive  
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
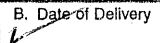


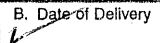


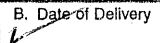

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**REFERENCE:**  
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PS Form 3800, June 2000

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Exhibit B

Notice of Defense, Notice of Hearing, and Declaration of Service

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

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

SONICA KANDA  
8500 Banner Court  
Antelope, CA 95843

Original Pharmacy Technician Registration No.:  
TCH 55002

Respondent.

Case No. 2877

**NOTICE OF DEFENSE**

[Gov. Code §§ 11505 and 11506]

I, the undersigned Respondent in the above-entitled proceeding, hereby acknowledge receipt of a copy of the Accusation; Statement to Respondent; Government Code sections 11507.5, 11507.6 and 11507.7, Complainant's Request for Discovery; and two copies of a Notice of Defense.

I hereby request a hearing to permit me to present my defense to the charges contained in the Accusation.

DATED: 11.28.05

Respondent's Name

SONICA KANDA

Respondent's Signature

*Sonica Kanda*

Respondent's Mailing Address

1773 CANYON CREEK DR.

City, State and Zip Code

ROSEVILLE CA 95747

Respondent's Telephone Number

(916) 746-7466 (HM) (916) 475-4300 (Mandy)

**Check appropriate box:**

I do not consent to electronic reporting.

The hearing in this case will be electronically reported/recorded, unless you check the above-left box to indicate that you do not consent to electronic recording, in which case the hearing will be reported by a stenographic reporter. If you do not check this box, you may withdraw your consent to electronic recording at any point up to fifteen (15) calendar days prior to the date set for hearing, by a written statement served on the Office of Administrative Hearings and on counsel for Complainant. If the box is not checked, and no written withdrawal of consent is served on the Office of Administrative Hearing and on counsel for Complainant by fifteen (15) calendar days prior to the hearing, you waive any right to stenographic reporting.



I am represented by counsel, whose name, address and telephone number appear below:

Counsel's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel's Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Counsel's Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

I am not now represented by counsel. If and when counsel is retained, immediate notification of the attorney's name, address and telephone number will be filed with the Office of Administrative Hearing and a copy sent to counsel for Complainant so that counsel will be on record to receive legal notices, pleadings and other papers.

The agency taking the action described in the Accusation may have formulated guidelines to assist the administrative law judge in reaching an appropriate penalty. You may obtain a copy of the guidelines by requesting them from the agency in writing.

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1 BILL LOCKYER, Attorney General  
of the State of California  
2 LORRIE M. YOST, State Bar No. 119088  
Deputy Attorney General  
3 California Department of Justice  
1300 I Street, Suite 125  
4 P.O. Box 944255  
Sacramento, CA 94244-2550  
5 Telephone: (916) 445-2271  
Facsimile: (916) 327-8643  
6 Attorneys for Complainant  
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8 **BEFORE THE**  
**BOARD OF PHARMACY**  
9 **DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**  
**STATE OF CALIFORNIA**  
10

11 In the Matter of the Accusation Against:  
12 SONICA KANDA  
13 Respondent.

Case No. 2877

OAH No. N-2006010014

**NOTICE OF HEARING**  
[Gov. Code § 11509]

Hearing: Thursday, April 6, 2006

16  
17 YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a hearing in this matter will commence on  
18 **Thursday, April 6, 2006 at 9:00 a.m.** before an Administrative Law Judge at

19 **Office of Administrative Hearings**  
20 **560 J Street, Suite 300**  
**Sacramento, California 95814.**

21 The hearing will be conducted before the Board of Pharmacy, Department of  
22 Consumer Affairs by an Administrative Law Judge of the Office of Administrative Hearings,  
23 upon the charges made in Accusation No. 2877 served upon you.

24 If you object to the place of hearing, you must notify the presiding officer within  
25 ten (10) days after this notice is served on you. Failure to notify the presiding officer within ten  
26 (10) days will deprive you of a change in the place of hearing.

27 You may be present at the hearing. You have the right to be represented by an  
28 attorney at your own expense. You are not entitled to the appointment of an attorney to represent

1 you at public expense. You are entitled to represent yourself without legal counsel. You may  
2 present any relevant evidence, and will be given full opportunity to cross-examine all witnesses  
3 testifying against you. You are entitled to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of  
4 witnesses and the production of books, documents, or other things by applying to the Office of  
5 Administrative Hearings, 560 J Street, Suite 300, Sacramento, California 95814, telephone:  
6 (916) 445-4926.

7 INTERPRETER: Pursuant to section 11435.20 of the Government Code, the  
8 hearing shall be conducted in the English language. If a party or a party's witness does not  
9 proficiently speak or understand the English language and before commencement of the hearing  
10 requests language assistance, an agency subject to the language assistance requirement in section  
11 11435.15 of the Government Code shall provide a certified interpreter or an interpreter approved  
12 by the administrative law judge conducting the proceedings. The cost of providing the  
13 interpreter shall be paid by the agency having jurisdiction over the matter if the administrative  
14 law judge or hearing officer so directs, otherwise by the party for whom the interpreter is  
15 provided. If you or a witness require the assistance of an interpreter, ample advance notice of  
16 this fact should be given to the Office of Administrative Hearings so that appropriate  
17 arrangements can be made.

18 CONTINUANCES: Under section 11524 of the Government Code, the agency  
19 may grant a continuance, but when an administrative law judge of the Office of Administrative  
20 Hearings has been assigned to the hearing, no continuance may be granted except by him or her  
21 or by the presiding Administrative Law Judge for good cause. When seeking a continuance, a  
22 party shall apply for the continuance within ten (10) working days following the time the party  
23 discovered or reasonably should have discovered the event or occurrence which establishes good  
24 cause for the continuance. A continuance may be granted for good cause after the ten (10)  
25 working days have lapsed only if the party seeking the continuance is not responsible for and has  
26 made a good faith effort to prevent the condition or event establishing the good cause.

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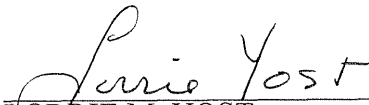
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Continuances are not favored. If you need a continuance, immediately write or call the Office of Administrative Hearings, 560 J Street, Suite 300, Sacramento, California 95814, telephone: (916) 445-4926.

DATED: 1-24-06

BILL LOCKYER, Attorney General  
of the State of California

  
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LORRIE M. YOST  
Deputy Attorney General

Attorneys for Complainant

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**DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL**

(Separate Mailings)

Case Name: **In the Matter of the Accusation Against: Sonica Kanda**

No.: **2006010014**

I declare:

I am employed in the Office of the Attorney General, which is the office of a member of the California State Bar at which member's direction this service is made. I am 18 years of age or older and not a party to this matter. I am familiar with the business practice at the Office of the Attorney General for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service. In accordance with that practice, correspondence placed in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General is deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day in the ordinary course of business.

On January 25, 2006, I served the attached **Notice of Hearing** by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope as certified mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and return receipt requested, and another true copy of the **Notice of Hearing** was enclosed in a second sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General at 1300 I Street, Suite 125, P.O. Box 944255, Sacramento, CA 94244-2550, addressed as follows:

**BY U.S. & CERTIFIED MAIL TO:**

Sonica Kanda  
1773 Canyon Creek Drive  
Roseville, CA 95747

**Certified Article Number**

**7160 3901 9848 9138 7208**

**SENDERS RECORD**

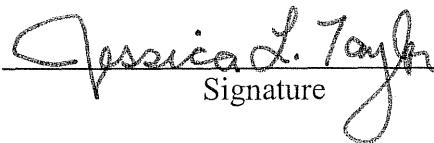
**BY U.S. MAIL ONLY TO:**

Patricia F. Harris  
Executive Officer  
Board of Pharmacy  
1625 North Market Boulevard, Suite N-219  
Sacramento, CA 95834

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on January 25, 2006, at Sacramento, California.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Jessica L. Taylor

Declarant

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

cc: OAH



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3. Service Type **CERTIFIED MAIL**

Restricted Delivery? (Extra Fee)  Yes

Title Addressed to:

Sonica Kanda  
773 Canyon Creek Drive  
Roseville, CA 95747

SA2005300377/Kanda/NOH  
PS Form 3811, July 2001

Domestic Return Receipt

Lorrie M. Yost

7160 3901 9848 9138 7208

**TO:** Sonica Kanda  
1773 Canyon Creek Drive  
Roseville, CA 95747

**SENDER:** Lorrie M. Yost

**REFERENCE:** SA2005300377/Kanda/NOH

PS Form 3800, June 2000

RETURN RECEIPT SERVICE	Postage	
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US Postal Service  
**Receipt for  
Certified Mail**  
No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do Not Use for International Mail

POSTMARK OR DATE

D. Is delivery address different from item 1?  
If YES, enter delivery address below:

Yes  
 No

C. Signature  
*Lorrie M. Yost*

Agent  
 Addressee

1773 Canyon Creek Drive 4/1/02

Exhibit C  
Certification of Costs



**California State Board of Pharmacy**

400 R Street, Suite 4070, Sacramento, CA 95814  
Phone (916) 445-5014  
Fax (916) 327-6308  
www.pharmacy.ca.gov

STATE AND CONSUMERS AFFAIRS AGENCY  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, GOVERNOR

**CERTIFICATION OF COSTS  
OF INVESTIGATIVE AND PROSECUTION  
BY AGENCY EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

I, Patricia Harris, declare that I am the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, and in that capacity certify pursuant to the provisions of the Business and Professions Code Sections 4350 and 4359, that I filed Accusation Number **2877** against **Sonica Kanda**, who holds the pharmacy technician registration number **TCH 55002**.

**CERTIFICATION OF COSTS  
INCURRED THROUGH THE  
FILING OF THE ACCUSATION**

In my capacity as the Executive Officer, I review and approve payment for costs incurred by the Board of Pharmacy in the enforcement of the laws and regulations under its jurisdiction. I have reviewed the records of the agency and these reflect that the following costs and fees have been incurred by the agency in connection with the investigation and prosecution of Accusation Number **2877** as of the filing of the Accusation on **August 15, 2005**.

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|---|----|---------------|
| 1. Inspector's costs for                      |    |               |
| 4 hours at <b>\$65.00</b> per hour            | \$ | <b>260.00</b> |
| 2. Attorney General's costs for               |    |               |
| <b>2.25</b> hours at <b>\$139.00</b> per hour | \$ | <b>312.75</b> |
| 3. Attorney General's costs for               |    |               |
| 5 hours at <b>\$146.00</b> per hour           | \$ | <b>730.00</b> |

Total costs incurred through  
the filing of the Accusation:       **\$ 1,302.75**



**CERTIFICATION OF COSTS INCURRED  
AFTER FILING ACCUSATION**

Subsequent to filing the Accusation, the agency incurred the following additional costs in the investigation and prosecution of Accusation Number **2877** up to the commencement of the hearing of the matter before the Office of Administrative Hearings.

1. Attorney General's costs for 14 hours at \$146.00 per hour	\$ 2,044.00
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Total costs incurred from filing of Accusation to date:	\$ 2,044.00
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The total of the costs and fees paid and incurred by the agency in the investigation and prosecution of Case Number **2877** from commencement of the investigation through **April 4, 2006**, in the sum of:

\$ 3,346.75

**CERTIFICATION**

I certify pursuant to the provisions of Section 125.3 of the Business and Professions Code of the State of California that, to the best of my knowledge, the foregoing statement of costs incurred by the Board of Pharmacy is true and correct and that the amounts set forth therein do not exceed the actual and reasonable costs of investigation and prosecution in Case Number **2877**.

Dated: April 5, 2006



Patricia F. Harris  
Executive Officer