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KS State Board of Healing Arts

BEFORE THE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

In the Matter of)
Joel S. Jones, D.O.) KSBHA Docket No. 26-HA 20021
Kansas License No. 05-29889)

ORDER IMMEDIATELY SUSPENDING LICENSEE PURSUANT TO K.S.A. 65-28,133

NOW on this 25th day of November, 2025 the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts (“KSBHA”) finds and orders the following:

Findings of Fact

1. Joel S. Jones, M.D. (“Licensee”) is or has been entitled to be engaged in the practice of osteopathic medicine and surgery in Kansas, having been granted an Active license through the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact, K.S.A. 65-28,133 (“IMLC”), on or about January 23, 2023. Licensee’s current license designation is Active.

2. Licensee’s last mailing address known to the Board is: **CONFIDENTIAL**. Licensee’s last email address known to the Board is **CONFIDENTIAL**.

3. Licensee’s State of Principal License under the IMLC is Wisconsin. (Bd. Ex. 1 – Application for Expedited Licensure, p. 3).

4. Licensee is or has been entitled to be engaged in the practice of medicine in North Carolina, having been granted a license to practice by the North Carolina Medical Board (“the North Carolina Board”) on or about November 6, 2023. (Bd. Ex. 2 – North Carolina Consent Order, p. 1).

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5. The North Carolina Board and the KSBHA are “member boards” as defined by K.S.A. 65-28,133, Section 2(h) of the IMLC.

6. On or about October 31, 2025, the North Carolina Board issued a Consent Order, in which Licensee was found to have committed “unprofessional conduct, including, but not limited to, a departure from, or the failure to conform to the standards of acceptable and prevailing medical practice”. (*Id.* at 3)

7. Among other sanctions, Licensee’s license to practice medicine in North Carolina was suspended for six months. (*Id.*)

Applicable Law

8. Under K.S.A. 65-28,133, Section 10(d) of the IMLC:

“If a license granted to a physician by a member board is revoked, surrendered or relinquished in lieu of discipline, or suspended, then any license issued to the physician by any other member board **shall be suspended, automatically and immediately without further action necessary by the other member boards, for 90 days upon entry of the order by the disciplining board**, to permit the member boards to investigate the basis for the action under the medical practice act of that state. A member board may terminate the automatic suspension of the license it issued prior to the completion of the 90-day suspension period in a manner consistent with the medical practice act of that state.” [emphasis added]

Conclusions of Law

9. The KSBHA has jurisdiction over Licensee as well as the subject matter of this proceeding, and such proceeding is held in the public interest.

10. On or about October 31, 2025, the North Carolina Board, a member board of the IMLC, suspended Licensee’s license to practice medicine.

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11. Under K.S.A. 65-28,133 Section 10(d) of the IMLC, because Licensee's license to practice medicine was suspended by an IMLC member board, the KSBHA must automatically and immediately suspend Licensee's license to practice in Kansas for ninety (90) days.

12. Under the same section, a member board "may terminate the automatic suspension of the license it issued prior to the 90-day suspension in a manner consistent with the medical practice act of that state." Licensee, therefore, is entitled to the opportunity to be heard on the subject of whether the KSBHA should terminate the automatic suspension prior to the completion of ninety (90) days.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Licensee's license to osteopathic practice medicine and surgery in Kansas is **SUSPENDED** for a period of **90 days** from the date this Order becomes effective as a Final Order.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that upon becoming effective as a Final Order, this document shall be deemed a public record and be reported to any reporting entities authorized to receive such disclosure.

Dated this 25th day of November, 2025.

**KANSAS STATE BOARD
OF HEALING ARTS**

Susan Gile

Susan Gile
Executive Director

Joel S. Jones, D.O.

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NOTICE OF RIGHTS

Licensee is entitled to a hearing under K.S.A. 65-28,133, Section 10(d), on the specific issue of whether the automatic suspension of the license imposed by this Order should be terminated prior to the completion of ninety (90) day period. If Licensee desires a hearing, Licensee must make a written request within seven (7) days from the date the summary order is served and file the request with the office of the Executive Director at:

Susan Gile, Executive Director
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Ste. 700
Topeka, Kansas 66612

If Licensee requests a hearing, the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts will notify the Licensee of the time and place of the hearing and information on the procedures, right of representation, and other rights of parties relating to the conduct of the hearing before commencement of the same. If a hearing is not requested in the time and manner stated above, this Order shall become effective as a Final Order upon the expiration of time for requesting a hearing. Under K.S.A. 77-613(e), the Executive Director is the agency officer designated to receive service of petition for judicial review on behalf of the agency.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing **Order Immediately Suspending Licensee Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-28,133** was served this 25th day of November, 2025, by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid and via e-mail, and addressed to:

Joel S. Jones, D.O.

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Licensee

and copies were delivered to:

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and the original was filed with the office of the Executive Director:.


Staff

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