

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
CITATION ORDER

BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
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CITATION NUMBER: AS-2011-1442
DATE OF ISSUANCE: December 13, 2011
NAME: Lilit Sedrakyan
ADDRESS: 3274 Barbam Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90068

Pursuant to Sections 125.9 of the Business and Professions Code, and Title 16, California Code of Regulations (CCR) Section 1886, KIM MADSEN issues this citation in her official capacity as the Executive Officer for the Board of Behavioral Sciences (hereinafter referred to as the "Board").

Registration/Licensing History

The records of the Board reflect that Lilit **Sedrakyan** was issued Associate Clinical Social Worker registration number **ASW 25619** on **February 2, 2009**. Said license expires on **February 29, 2012**, unless renewed.

Citation

A citation containing a fine and Order of Abatement is hereby issued to you in accordance with Title 16, California Code of Regulations Sections 1886, 1886.10, 1886.20, 1886.30, and 1886.40 for the violation(s) described below.

Applicable Statutes and Regulations

Violation of Section **4992.3(k)** of the Business and Professions Code, which states as follows:

"The commission of any dishonest, corrupt, or fraudulent act substantially related to the qualifications, functions, or duties of a licensee or registrant."

Cause for Citation

Investigation revealed that on or about April 11, 2010, you engaged in a dishonest act when you switched price tags at Dillard's Store in Arizona in an attempt to save yourself \$198.09.

On May 23, 2011, Board staff contacted you and requested your explanation. You stated, "I never did that before and did not know that switching tags is shoplifting."

Based on the facts stated above, it is the Board's finding that you violated Business and Professions Code Sections 4992.3 (k).

Cause exists for the Board to take enforcement action. Accordingly, a citation containing an Order of Abatement and a fine has been ordered for the aforementioned violations of the Business and Professions Code.

Orders

(1) Order of Abatement:

The Board of Behavioral Sciences orders you to:

1. Obey all laws governing your registration as an Associate Clinical Social Worker

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Within 30 days from the date of this citation, but no later than **January 12, 2012**, you **must** submit proof that you have brought yourself into compliance with the order imposed by the Board of Behavioral Sciences as stated above. Proof of compliance should be sent to the Board to the attention of the Enforcement Unit at 1625 North Market Blvd., Suite S200, Sacramento, CA 95834.

(2) Order to Pay Administrative Fine:

In addition, you must pay an administrative penalty (fine) in the amount of **\$500.00**, within thirty (30) days from the date this citation was served, but no later than **January 12, 2012**. In assessing this penalty, the Board considered that you were forthcoming with the details of this incident and you have no other misdemeanor convictions.

Payment of the administrative penalty should be made to the Board of Behavioral Sciences (BBS), 1625 North Market Blvd., Suite S200, Sacramento, CA 95834. Please note your citation number on the check or money order.

You may contest this citation, or any portion thereof, by requesting either an Informal Citation Conference or a Formal Administrative Hearing, or both (Title 16, CCR Section 1886.70). Any request you make either for the formal or informal hearing or for both of them must be in writing and must be submitted to the Board within (30) calendar days after service of the citation. If you request both an Informal Citation Conference and a Formal Administrative Hearing, and an Informal Citation Conference is held, your request for a Formal Administrative Hearing shall be deemed withdrawn. Following the conclusion of the Informal Citation Conference, the Executive Officer shall either, affirm, modify or dismiss the citation. If the citation is affirmed or modified, you will then have the opportunity to contest it by filing a written request with the Board for a Formal Administrative Hearing within (30) calendar days after service of the affirmed or modified citation. The Formal Administrative Hearing shall be held pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act, Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 11500) of Part 1 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code. (Please refer to the enclosed Instructions to Cited Person for additional appeal information.)

You may withdraw a Request for Informal Citation Conference at any time prior to the date of the conference. You may withdraw a Request for Administrative Hearing at any time prior to the date of the hearing.

Failure to request an Informal Citation Conference or Administrative Hearing in a timely manner will waive your right to contest this citation. If the citation is not contested, or if the citation is contested and you do not prevail, failure to abate the violation or to pay the assessed fine within the time allowed shall constitute a violation and a failure to comply with the citation or order of abatement.

Further, failure to timely comply with an order of abatement or pay an assessed fine may result in disciplinary action being taken by the board or other appropriate judicial action being taken against you. If you have been issued an order of abatement and you are unable to complete the correction(s) within the time set forth in the citation because of conditions beyond your control after the exercise of reasonable diligence, you may request an extension of time in which to complete the correction from the executive officer of the board. Such a request shall be in writing and shall be made within the time set forth for abatement. (Title 16, CCR section 1886.60.)

Pursuant to Business and Professions code section 125.9, if you do not request a formal Administrative Hearing, payment of the fine does not constitute an admission of the violation(s) alleged. Further, where a fine is paid to satisfy an assessment based on the finding of a violation, payment of the fine shall be represented as satisfactory resolution of the matter for purposes of public disclosure.

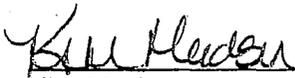
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IF YOU NEITHER PAY THE FINE NOR REQUEST AN INFORMAL CITATION CONFERENCE OR ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING WITHIN THE ALLOTTED TIME FRAME, YOUR REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE RENEWED FOR THE NEXT RENEWAL PERIOD UNTIL THE FINE IS PAID.



Kim Madsen
Executive Officer

Date: December 13, 2011

Attachments: Statement of Rights
Section 125.9, Business and Professions Code
Section 1886.70, Title 16, California Code of Regulations
Notice of Appeal
Acknowledgment Receipt of Citation form