

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
BUREAU OF HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS**

In re: Gloria Duque

Petition No. 2003-0422-000-029

**CEASE AND DESIST CONSENT ORDER**

WHEREAS, the Connecticut Examining Board for Barbers, Hairdressers and Cosmeticians (hereinafter "the Board") is a state agency charged with the regulation of the professional practice of hairdressing and cosmetology;

WHEREAS, Gloria Duque of Darien, Connecticut (hereinafter "respondent") has at no time been issued a license to practice hairdressing and cosmetology by the Department of Public Health (hereinafter "the Department") under the General Statutes of Connecticut, Chapter 387;

WHEREAS, the General Statutes of Connecticut, §20-252 provides that no person shall engage in the practice of hairdressing and cosmetology in this State until she is issued a license by the Department;

WHEREAS, respondent admits that in 2003 she engaged in the practice of hairdressing without having a valid license;

WHEREAS, the Board is authorized by the General Statutes of Connecticut §19a-11 to issue an appropriate order to any person found to be violating an applicable statute; and,

WHEREAS, respondent agrees that the above allegations shall have the same effect as if proven and ordered after a full hearing held pursuant to §§19a-9 and 19a-10 of the General Statutes of Connecticut.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to Chapter 387 and §19a-11 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, respondent hereby stipulates and agrees to the following:

1. She waives her right to a hearing on the merits of this matter.
2. She agrees to cease and desist in the practice of hairdressing and cosmetology or in any other practice that requires licensure in the State of Connecticut without first obtaining an appropriate license.
3. This Cease and Desist Consent Order and terms set forth herein are not subject to reconsideration, collateral attack or judicial review under any form or in any forum. Further, that said Consent Order is not subject to appeal or review under the provisions of Chapters 54 or 368a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, provided that this stipulation shall not deprive respondent of any other rights that she may have under the laws of the State of Connecticut or of the United States.
4. This Cease and Desist Consent Order is a revocable offer of settlement which may be modified by mutual agreement or withdrawn by the Department at any time prior to its being executed by the last signatory.
5. This Cease and Desist Consent Order is effective after the last signature is affixed to this document.
6. Respondent permits a representative of the Legal Office of the Bureau of Healthcare Systems of the Department to present this Cease and Desist Consent Order and the factual basis for

said Cease and Desist Consent Order to the Board. Respondent understands that said Board has complete and final discretion as to whether or not an executed Cease and Desist Consent Order is approved or granted.

7. Respondent understands that she has the right to consult with an attorney prior to signing this document.
8. This Cease and Desist Consent Order is a matter of public record.
9. Respondent understands that this Cease and Desist Consent Order may be considered evidence of the above admitted violations in any subsequent proceeding in which (1) her compliance with this Cease and Desist Consent Order is at issue, or (2) her compliance with the provisions of Title 20 of the Connecticut General Statutes is at issue.

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I, Gloria Duque, have read the above Cease and Desist Consent Order, and I agree to the terms and allegations set forth therein. I further declare the execution of this Cease and Desist Consent Order to be my free act and deed.



Gloria Duque

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October 2003.



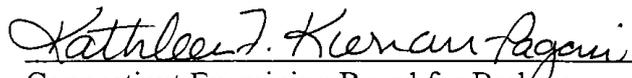
Notary Public or person authorized  
by law to administer an oath or affirmation  
*Commissioner of the Superior Court*

The above Cease and Desist Consent Order having been presented to the duly appointed agent of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Health on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 2003, it is hereby accepted.



Stanley K. Peck, Director, Legal Office  
Bureau of Healthcare Systems

The above Cease and Desist Consent Order having been presented to the duly appointed agent of the Connecticut Examining Board for Barbers, Hairdressers and Cosmeticians on the 26 day of January 200~~3~~<sup>4</sup>, it is hereby ordered and accepted.



Connecticut Examining Board for Barbers,  
Hairdressers and Cosmeticians