

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
BUREAU OF REGULATORY SERVICES**

In re: Matthew J. Rynaski

Petition No. 98III-072-028

**PRELICENSURE CONSENT ORDER**

WHEREAS, Matthew J. Rynaski of Windsor, Connecticut (hereinafter "respondent") has applied for licensure to practice as a paramedic by the Department of Public Health (hereinafter "the Department") pursuant to Public Act 97-311, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, respondent agrees that:

1. The Department has at no time issued respondent a license to practice the occupation as a paramedic under Public Act 97-311.
2. That respondent has been certified to practice as an emergency medical technician.
3. That on May 11, 1998, he provided services beyond the scope of his certification as an emergency medical technician in that he punctured the skin of a patient with an IV needle attempting to perform advanced life support.
4. The conduct described above constitutes grounds for the denial of respondent's application for licensure pursuant to §19a-14 of the General Statutes of Connecticut.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to §19a-14 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, respondent hereby stipulates and agrees to the following:

1. Respondent waives the right to a hearing on the merits of his application for licensure.
2. After satisfying the requirements for licensure as a paramedic as set forth in Public Act 97-311, respondent's license to practice as a paramedic will be issued.

3. Respondent's license to practice as a paramedic in the State of Connecticut shall, immediately upon issuance, be placed on probation for one year. Within the probationary period, respondent shall attend and successfully complete a thirty (30) hour course in ethics, pre-approved by the Department. Within two weeks of the completion of such coursework, respondent shall provide the Department with proof, to the Department's satisfaction, of the successful completion of such course.
4. Respondent shall comply with all state and federal statutes and regulations applicable to his license.
5. Respondent shall notify the Department of any change(s) in his employment within fifteen (15) days of such change.
6. Respondent shall notify the Department of any change(s) in his home and/or business address within fifteen (15) days of such change.
7. Any deviation from the term(s) of this Prelicensure Consent Order without prior written approval of the Department shall constitute a violation. A violation of any term(s) of this Prelicensure Consent Order shall result in the right of the Department in its discretion to immediately deem respondent's paramedic license rescinded. Any extension of time or grace period for reporting granted by the Department shall not be a waiver or preclude the Department's right to take action at a later time. The Department shall not be required to grant future extensions of time or grace periods. Notice of the rescission of the license shall be sent by the Department to respondent's address of record. Respondent waives any right to a hearing on the issue of violation of the terms of this Prelicensure Consent Order.
8. That correspondence and reports required by the terms of this Prelicensure Consent Order

are to be addressed to:

Jeff Kardys, Special Investigator  
Department of Public Health  
Division of Health Systems Regulation  
410 Capitol Avenue, MS#12HSR  
PO Box 340308  
Hartford, Connecticut 06134-0308

9. Legal notice shall be sufficient if sent to respondent's last known address of record reported to the Licensure and Registration Section of the Division of Health Systems Regulation of the Department.
10. Respondent understands that this Prelicensure Consent Order may be considered as evidence of the above-admitted violations in any proceeding before the Department in which (1) his compliance with this Prelicensure Consent Order is at issue, or (2) his compliance with Section 14 of Public Act 97-311, as amended, is at issue.
11. This Prelicensure 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, this Prelicensure Consent Order is not subject to appeal or review under the provisions of Chapters 54 and 368a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, provided that this stipulation shall not deprive respondent of any other rights that he may have under the laws of the State of Connecticut or of the United States.
12. This Prelicensure 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.
13. This Prelicensure Consent Order is effective when accepted and approved by a duly appointed agent of the Department.
14. Respondent understands this Prelicensure Consent Order is a matter of public record.

15. Respondent understands he has the right to consult with an attorney prior to signing this Prelicensure Consent Order.

I, Matthew J. Rynaski have read the above Prelicensure Consent Order, and I agree to the terms and allegations set forth therein. I further declare the execution of this Prelicensure Consent Order to be my free act and deed.

Matthew J. Rynaski  
Matthew J. Rynaski

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 1998.

[Signature]  
Notary Public or person authorized  
by law to administer an oath or  
affirmation

My Commission Expires October 31, 2002

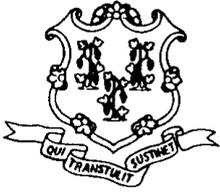
The above Prelicensure Consent Order having been presented to the duly appointed agent of the

Commissioner of the Department of Public Health on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September

       1998, it is hereby ordered and accepted.

Cynthia Denne  
Cynthia Denne, Director  
Division of Health Systems Regulation

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# STATE OF CONNECTICUT

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

September 14, 1999

Matthew J. Rynaski  
112 Mountain Road  
Windsor, CT 06095

Re: Prelicensure Consent Order  
Petition No. 98III-072-028  
License No. 001302

**Completion of Probation**

Dear Mr. Rynaski:

Please be advised that the probationary terms of the above-referenced Prelicensure Consent Order have been satisfied, effective September 4, 1999.

Notice will be sent to the Department's Licensure and Registration section to remove all restrictions from License No. 001302, related to the above-referenced Consent Order.

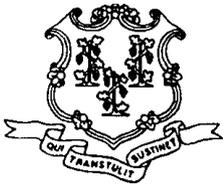
Sincerely,

Richard Goldman  
Paralegal Specialist II  
Division of Health Systems Regulation

cc: Debra Tomassone, PHSM  
Bonnie Pinkerton, RNC



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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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September 4, 1998

Matthew J. Rynaski  
112 Mountain Road  
Windsor, CT 06095

Dear Mr. Rynaski:

On behalf of the Department of Public Health, I want to congratulate you upon the successful completion of all requirements for licensure as a paramedic in the State of Connecticut.

Connecticut license number 001302 has been issued to you, effective the date of this letter. You are eligible to begin the practice as a paramedic as of this date.

Also, enclosed is a copy of the fully executed Consent Order in accordance with which your license is being issued. The Consent Order is effective as of the date of licensure noted above.

You will receive your license in about eight (8) weeks, at the address shown above. Full instructions regarding future renewal will also be enclosed.

It is your responsibility to notify the Department of Public Health, in writing of any future changes of name and/or address. Such notification to the Department is required by law, and failure to provide same will jeopardize the status of your license.

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Failure to renew your license within ninety (90) days of the due date will result in your license becoming void. In that event, re-licensure would require a new application to the Department and a review of all credentials to determine whether you would satisfy current licensing requirements. In order to avoid such a process, be sure that you renew your license in a timely manner each year in the month of your birth.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact this office at (860) 509-7558.

Sincerely,



Debra L. Johnson  
Health Program Supervisor  
Division of Health Systems Regulation

cc: Debra Tomassone, PHSM  
Kay Zarrella, PHSM  
Jeff Kardys, SI  
Stanley Peck, Director, Legal Office

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