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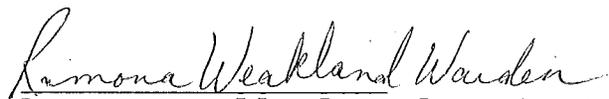
DEPARTMENT OF REGULATION AND LICENSING

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Ramona Weakland Warden, Director, Bureau of Health Service Professions in the Wisconsin Department of Regulation and Licensing and custodian of the official records of the Chiropractic Examining Board, do hereby certify that the annexed rules were duly approved and adopted by the Chiropractic Examining Board on the 14th day of November, 1991.

I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this office and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the board at 1400 East Washington Avenue, Madison, Wisconsin this 14th day of November, 1991.


Ramona Weakland Warden, Director
Bureau of Health Service Professions
Department of Regulation and
Licensing

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STATE OF WISCONSIN
CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF RULE-MAKING	:	ORDER OF THE
PROCEEDINGS BEFORE THE	:	CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINING BOARD
CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINING BOARD	:	ADOPTING RULES
	:	(CLEARINGHOUSE RULE 89-208)

ORDER

An order of the Chiropractic Examining Board to amend Chir 4.02; to create Chir 4.02 (2) and Chir 4.05 (2) (e) of the administrative code relating to instruments used in the practice of chiropractic.

Analysis prepared by the Department of Regulation and Licensing.

ANALYSIS

Statutory authority: ss. 15.08 (5) (b), 227.11 (2) (a)
Statutes interpreted: s. 446.01 (2)

As the science of chiropractic develops, certain instruments are developed which are purported to be of use in the practice. The board, in creating Chir 4.02 (2), wishes to define those types of instruments the use of which is considered to be within the scope of practice. In creating Chir 4.05 (2) (e), the board begins a list specifying those instruments the use of which it is prohibiting because of their questionable safety and effectiveness.

TEXT OF RULE

SECTION 1. Chir 4.02 is amended to read:

Chir 4.02 DEFINITIONS. As used in this chapter:

(1) "~~chiropractic~~ Chiropractic science" means that body of systematic and organized knowledge relating primarily to the identification, location, removal or reduction of any interference to nervous system integrity or nerve energy expression and the resulting change in biomechanical or physiological homeostasis. It is based on the major premise that disease or abnormal function may be caused by abnormal nerve impulse transmission or expression due to biochemical factors, compression, traction, pressure or irritation upon nerves as a result of bony segments, especially of the spine or contiguous structures, either deviating from normal juxtaposition or function which irritates nerves, their receptors or effectors.

SECTION 2. Chir 4.02 (2) is created to read:

Chir 4.02 (2) "Instrument" means a device employed or applied in accordance with the principles and techniques of chiropractic science, which is used in the practice of chiropractic to diagnose, analyze, treat or prevent the cause of departure from complete health and proper condition of the human.

SECTION 3. Chir 4.05 (2) (e) is created to read:

Chir 4.05 (2) (e) The use of any device in the practice of chiropractic to diagnose, analyze, treat or prevent the cause of departure from complete health and proper condition of the human, which is not employed or applied in accordance with the principles and techniques of chiropractic science is prohibited. Such devices include, but are not limited to:

1. The following electro-diagnostic devices: EAV, VEGATEST, BIOTRON 1000, ACCUPATH 1000, VI-TEL 618, INTERRO System, PRO-PHYLE, or substantially similar counterparts of any of these devices.

The rules adopted in this order shall take effect on the first day of the month following publication in the Wisconsin administrative register, pursuant to s. 227.22(2)(intro), Stats.

Dated: November 14, 1991

Agency

Wendell Hughes Burke, D.C.
Chairperson
Chiropractic Examining Board

10/30/91

CORRESPONDENCE/MEMORANDUM

STATE OF WISCONSIN

DATE: November 15, 1991

TO: Gary Poulson
Assistant Revisor of Statutes

FROM: Pamela Haack, Administrative Assistant
Department of Regulation and Licensing

SUBJECT: Final Rulemaking Order

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Attached is a copy and a certified copy of a final order adopting rules.

Would you please publish these rules in the code.

Thank you.