



CITY OF SAINT PAUL
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May 25, 2011

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND LICENSE

Jennifer M. Torres
c/o Avivage Massage on Grand
1053 Grand Avenue, Ste. #101
St. Paul, MN 55105

RE: Massage Practitioner license held by Jennifer M. Torres d/b/a Jennifer M. Torres for the premises located at 1053 Grand Avenue, Ste. #101 in Saint Paul
License ID #20100002273

Dear Ms. Torres:

The Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) has recommended suspension of the Massage Practitioner license held by Jennifer M. Torres d/b/a Jennifer M. Torres for the premises located at 1053 Grand Avenue, Ste. #101 in Saint Paul. The basis for the recommendation is as follows:

On February 28, 2011, you were sent a letter and RENEWAL INVOICE from the Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) stating that your Massage Practitioner license expired as of November 15, 2010. You now owe \$135.00 in delinquent license and late fees. You were also asked to submit the following information: 1) current certificates of General and Professional Liability insurance with a 30-day notice of cancellation and naming the City of Saint Paul as additional insured; 2) Proof of Affiliation and 3) a completed Certificate of Compliance Minnesota Workers' Compensation Law form.

You were given until March 21, 2011, to pay the license and late fees and submit the requested information. As of today's date neither has been received.

In addition to the suspension of your Massage Practitioner license, per Saint Paul Legislative Code §310.05 (m) (2), the licensing office will also recommend a \$500.00 matrix penalty for failure to submit required insurance information in order to maintain your license.

At this time, you have three options on how to proceed:

1. You can pay the delinquent license and late fees and submit the requested information. If this is your choice, you should send the payment and information directly to the Department of Safety and Inspections, at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than **Monday, June 6, 2011**. Information should be directed to the attention of Christine Rozek. A self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience. Payment of the delinquent license and late fees and submission of the requested information will be considered to be a waiver of the hearing to which you are entitled.

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2. If you wish to admit the facts but contest the penalty, you may have a public hearing before the Saint Paul City Council, you will need to send me a letter with a statement admitting the facts and requesting a public hearing. We will need to receive your letter by **Monday, June 6, 2011**. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council for a public hearing to determine whether to suspend your license and impose the \$500.00 matrix penalty. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.
3. If you no longer wish to do business in the City of Saint Paul, you will need to send a written statement to that effect to the Department of Safety and Inspections, at 375 Jackson Street, Ste. 220, St. Paul, Minnesota 55101-1806 no later than **Monday, June 6, 2011**. Information should be directed to the attention of Christine Rozek.

If you have not contacted me by Monday, June 6, 2011, I will assume that you do not contest the suspension of your license and imposition of the \$500.00 matrix penalty. In that case, the matter will be placed on the City Council Consent Agenda for approval of the recommended penalty.

If you have questions about these options, please feel free to contact me at 266-8710.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Kyle Lundgren in cursive, followed by a forward slash and the initials 'jk'.

Kyle Lundgren
Assistant City Attorney

cc: Christine Rozek, Deputy Director of DSI
Jennifer M. Torres, 2520-18th Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN 55404

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AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY U.S. MAIL

COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

Julie Kraus, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that on the 25th day of May, she served the attached **NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUSPEND LICENSE** a correct copy thereof in an envelope addressed as follows:

Jennifer M. Torres
c/o Avivage Massage on Grand
1053 Grand Avenue, Ste. #101
St. Paul, MN 55105

Jennifer M. Torres
2520-18th Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55404

(which is the last known address of said person) depositing the same, with postage prepaid, in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.

Julie Kraus
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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 25th day of May, 2011

Rita M. Bossard
Notary Public

