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January 24, 2014

NOTICE OF INTENT TO REVOKE LICENSE

Brightstar Harmon Inyang 805 Robert Street South St. Paul, MN 55107

RE:

Massage Practitioner license held by Brightstar Harmon Inyang for the premises located at 2140 Ford Parkway

in Saint Paul

License ID #20120003502

Dear Brightstar Harmon Inyang:

The Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) will recommend revocation of the Massage Practitioner license held by Brightstar Harmon Inyang for the premises located at 2140 Ford Parkway in Saint Paul. The basis for the recommendation is as follows:

On December 30, 2013 you were sent a letter from the Department of Safety and Inspections (DSI) stating that your Massage Practitioner license expired as of October 27, 2013. You currently owe \$117.00 in delinquent license and late fees. You were also asked to submit Proof of Affiliation from a City of Saint Paul license therapeutic massage center. You were given until January 16, 2014 to pay the delinquent license and late fees and submit your Proof of Affiliation. As of today's date, neither has been received.

In addition, DSI received an email from Massage Envy Highland Village on December 30, 2013, stating that you are not currently employed or affiliated with that location. Please note: Massage Practitioner licenses are not transferrable to a new location. If you are operating at another location, you must obtain a new license.

At this time, you have two (2) options how to proceed:

If you wish to admit the facts but you contest the penalty, you may have a public hearing before the Saint Paul 1. City Council. You will need to send me a letter with a statement admitting to the facts and requesting a public hearing. I will need to receive your letter by Monday, February 3, 2014. The matter will then be scheduled before the City Council for a public hearing to determine whether to revoke your Massage Practitioner license. You will have an opportunity to appear before the Council and make a statement on your own behalf.

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2. If you <u>dispute the facts</u> outlined above, you may request a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ). You will need to send me a letter disputing the facts and requesting an administrative hearing no later than **Monday, February 3, 2014.** At that hearing both you and the City will appear and present witnesses, evidence and cross-examine each other's witnesses. After receipt of the ALJ's report (usually within 30 days), a public hearing will then need to be scheduled. At that time, the City Council will decide whether to adopt, modify or reject the ALJ's report and recommendation.

Please note: If you choose an administrative hearing, the Department of Safety and Inspections reserves the right to request that City Council impose the costs of the administrative hearing per Saint Paul Legislative Code § 310.05 (k).

If you have not contacted me by Monday, February 3, 2014, I will assume that you are not contesting the revocation of your Massage Practitioner license. 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,

Geoffrey Karls
Assistant City Attorney

cc: Kristina Schweinler, Senior License Inspector – DSI
Barbara McMonigal-St. Dennis, DSI Environmental Health Inspector

Affirmative Action Equal Opportunity Employer

) ss.

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY U.S. MAIL

COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

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

Brightstar Harmon Inyang 805 Robert Street South St. Paul, MN 55107

(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

Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 24 72 day of January 2014

Votary Public

