

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
DIVISION OF HEALTHCARE QUALITY AND SAFETY
CENTER FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

In the Matter of: JASMEEN AINA COMPLAINT NO. C24-0430

CONSENT ORDER

Pursuant to R. I. Gen. Laws §§ 23-4.1-1 *et seq.*, Emergency Medical Transportation Services, and 216-RICR-20-10-2, Emergency Medical Services, the Rhode Island Department of Health, Division of Healthcare Quality and Safety, Center for Emergency Medical Services ("RIDOH") has reviewed the license application submitted by **JASMEEN AINA** ("Applicant"). After review and consideration by RIDOH, the following are and shall constitute:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- Respondent was a licensed as a Rhode Island Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)
 Paramedic, license number EMT16779. Her license expired on March 31, 2023.
- 2. Subsequent to March 31, 2023, Respondent continued to treat and transport patients without an active license.
- 3. Subsequent to March 31, 2023, Respondent failed to notify her employer, the Providence Fire Department, that her license had expired, and continued to work as an EMT on behalf the Providence Fire Department.
- 4. The conduct described in paragraphs one and two above constitutes unprofessional conduct in violation of R.I. Gen. Laws § 22-4.1-9 and 216-RICR-20-10-2.5(E) and (G).
- 5.6. That Respondent has applied to have her EMT license reinstated.
- Respondent admits to, and hereby agrees to remain under, the jurisdiction of RIDOH.
- Respondent has read this Consent Order and understands that the purpose of this Consent Order
 is to resolve the complaint of unprofessional conduct alleged against the Respondent and to
 reissue her EMT license.
- 9. This Consent Order is an agreement between RIDOH and Respondent; and any failure to adhere to the terms and conditions of this Consent Order may constitute unprofessional conduct and may subject Respondent to further disciplinary action at the discretion of RIDOH, including but not

limited to Suspension or Revocation.

10. Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:

(a) The right to have an administrative hearing on this matter;

(b) The right to represent himself or be represented by an attorney of their own choosing at said hearing;

(c) The right to present testimony, evidence and witnesses on his behalf;

(d) The right to cross-examine witnesses presented by RIDOH;

(e) The right to further procedural steps except for those specifically contained herein;

(f) The right to take an appeal from this Consent Order; and

(g) Any objection that this Consent Order may be reported to the National Practitioner Data Bank, become a permanent part of Respondent's record maintained by RIDOH and a part of a public record of this proceeding, or posted on RIDOH's public website.

ACCORDINGLY, AND BASED ON THE FOREGOING

RIDOH and Respondent hereby agree as follows:

- (1) Respondent's EMT license will be reinstated with the status of "Probation" for a period of 18 months, effective on the date of ratification of this Consent Order by RIDOH.
- (2) During the period of Probation, Respondent must:
 - (a) Complete a comprehensive review of the *Rhode Island Emergency Medical Services Rules* and *Regulations* [216-RICR-20-10-2], conducted by a Rhode Island licensed EMS Instructor/Coordinator selected or approved by the Department, within thirty (30) days of the start of this probationary period.
 - (b) Complete the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians (NAEMT) "Principles of Ethics and Personal Leadership" 16-hour online course, which must be completed within thirty (30) days of the start of this probationary period. A certificate of completion must be provided to the department.
 - (c) During the period of probation, if Respondent changes employment and/or volunteer service, Respondent shall notify the Department forthwith of said change including the name and address of the new employer(s) and/or licensed ambulance service, as well as the reason for change in ambulance service affiliation.
- (3) A copy of this Consent Order shall be forwarded by the Department to Respondent's current employer(s) and/or volunteer service and all future employer(s) and/or volunteer service during the period of probation.

(4) Nothing herein shall affect any other license currently held by Respondent.

This Consent Order is a public record.
Signed this, 2024
JASMEEN AINA LICENSEE NO.: EMT16779
Ratified this 3 day of WAy, 2024.
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Division of Healthcare Quality and Safety

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