



## College of Massage Therapists of Ontario

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### **Discipline Hearing Summary**

#### **Sarah McIlquham, RMT (Baltimore, ON), March 28, 2018**

##### **Decision**

On March 28, 2018, the Discipline Committee found that Ms. Sarah McIlquham, a Registered Massage Therapist (RMT), committed acts of professional misconduct in that she:

1. sexually abused a client;
2. contravened a Standard of Practice of the profession or a published standard of CMTO, or failed to maintain the Standard of Practice of the profession;
3. physically abused a client;
4. failed to fully cooperate with a College Investigator;
5. engaged in conduct or performed an act relevant to the practice of the profession that, having regard to all the circumstances, would reasonably be regarded by registrants as disgraceful, dishonourable or unprofessional; and
6. engaged in conduct that would reasonably be regarded by registrants as conduct unbecoming a Massage Therapist.

##### **Penalty Order and Cost Award**

The Discipline Committee's order included the following:

1. Ms. McIlquham was required to appear before a Panel of the Discipline Committee within thirty (30) days of the date of the Panel's order to be reprimanded, with the fact of the reprimand and the text of the reprimand to appear on the public register of the College.
2. The Registrar was directed to revoke Ms. McIlquham's Certificate of Registration effective immediately.

3. Ms. McIlquham was required to pay to the College costs in the amount of \$2,500.00 within twelve (12) months of the date of this order.

The complete Decision and Reasons will be available online on the Canadian Legal Information Institute (CanLII) [website](#).