



### **NOTICE OF SURRENDER – Mario Possamai**

Mario R. Possamai (“Mr. Possamai”) was referred to the Discipline Committee in relation to the following allegations of professional misconduct.

- 1) he sexually abused a client on or about July 14, 2012;
- 2) he contravened a standard of practice of the profession or a published standard of the College on or about July 14, 2012; and
- 3) he engaged in conduct or performed an act relevant to the practice of the profession on or about July 14, 2012 that, having regard to all of the circumstances would reasonably be regarded by members as disgraceful, dishonourable or unprofessional.

On December 9, 2013 Mr. Possamai entered into an Undertaking with the College whereby he agreed to surrender his Certificate of Registration and to forever withdraw from the practice of Massage Therapy as a Massage therapist in the province of Ontario, or elsewhere in Canada and the United States in lieu of the College staying the discipline proceedings in relation to the allegations outlined above.

Mr. Possamai agreed to:

1. Surrender his Certificate of Registration with the College;
2. Refrain from practising and/or holding himself out as a Registered and/or regulated Massage Therapist anywhere in Canada;
3. Refrain from applying for the reinstatement of his Certificate of Registration with the College, or from applying for registration with any other licensing body governing the practice of Massage Therapy in any other jurisdiction within Canada and the United States, and;
4. The terms of the Undertakings/Agreement with the College will be published in the College’s routine publications.