



## College of Massage Therapists of Ontario

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### **Discipline Hearing Summary – Scott Dartnall, RMT (Hamilton, ON)**

**January 22, 2016**

#### **Decision**

On January 22, 2016, the CMTO's Discipline Committee found that Mr. Scott Dartnall, a Registered Massage Therapist (RMT), committed acts of professional misconduct in that he:

- 1) Contravened a term, condition or limitation imposed on his Certificate of Registration; and
- 2) 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 members as disgraceful, dishonourable or unprofessional.

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

The Discipline Committee made the following order:

1. Suspension of the registrant's Certificate of Registration for six months with two to four months remittance upon the registrant complying with the conditions described in clauses 2 to 5 (below);
2. A public and recorded reprimand;
3. Submit mock client files reflecting treatments for the following client types:
  - a. a motor vehicle accident case;
  - b. a relaxation client case;
  - c. a torn rotator cuff case; and
  - d. a sciatic condition case;
4. Submit his professional portfolios from November 1, 2009 – October 31, 2015;
5. Submit proof of 500 hours of direct client care, or proof of completion of a Massage Therapy program, or proof of completion of a Massage Therapy refresher course;
6. Contribute to the investigation and prosecution costs of the College in the amount of \$2,500;
7. Submit to an inspection of his practice at his own expense within six months of the date on which he resumes practice; and
8. The Discipline Committee's decision shall be published in the ordinary course.

The complete Decision and Reasons is available online on the Canadian Legal Information Institute (CanLII) website.

<https://www.canlii.org/en/on/oncmto/doc/2016/2016canlii96559/2016canlii96559.html>