

College of Massage Therapists of Ontario

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Discipline Hearing Summary – Bo Lu, RMT (Greater Toronto Area, ON) January 8, 2018

Decision

On January 8, 2018, the Discipline Committee found that Ms. Bo Lu, a Registered Massage Therapist (RMT), committed acts of professional misconduct in that she:

- 1. Contravened a Standard of Practice of the profession or a published standard of the College, or failed to maintain the Standard of Practice of the profession;
- 2. Falsified a record relating to the registrant's practice; and
- 3. 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.

Penalty Order and Cost Award Imposed

The Discipline Committee made the following order:

- 1. The Registrant is required to appear before a panel of the Discipline Committee immediately following the hearing of this matter 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 is directed to suspend the registrant's Certificate of Registration for a period of three (3) months, effective immediately.
- 3. The Registrar is directed to impose the following terms, conditions or limitations on the registrant's Certificate of Registration:
 - a. Within three (3) months of the date of the Order, the registrant must provide proof, acceptable to the Registrar, of successful completion of the College's Professionalism Workshop, which is to be taken at her own expense; and
 - b. Within three (3) months of the date of the Order, the registrant must provide proof, acceptable to the Registrar, of successful completion of the College's Standards and Regulations Workshop, which is to be taken at her own expense.
- 4. The Registrant is required to pay to the College costs in the amount of \$2,500.00, payable over twelve (12) months of the date of the Order in equal monthly installments of \$208.33 (in the form of post-dated cheques which shall be provided to the College on

the date of the hearing), starting one (1) month after the date of the Order and continuing every month until paid in full.

The complete Decision and Reasons will be available online on the Canadian Legal Information Institute (CanLII) <u>website</u>.