

STATE OF OHIO
COUNSELOR AND SOCIAL WORKER BOARD
77 SOUTH HIGH STREET, 16TH FLOOR
COLUMBUS, OHIO 43266-0340

IN THE MATTER OF:

Woo Joong Kim, AKA Tom Kim
21901 Briarwood Drive
Fairview Park, OH 44126

Before the State of Ohio Counselor and Social Worker Board

FINDINGS, ORDER AND JOURNAL ENTRY

This matter came on for consideration before the State of Ohio Counselor and Social Worker Board on the 15th day of July, 1994.

On May 23, 1994, the Counselor and Social Worker Board issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing on the Proposed Revocation, or Suspension of Woo Joong Kim's AKA Tom Kim's Licensed Social Worker license. The notice advised that the Board's intention was to determine whether to issue a reprimand or suspend or revoke Mr. Kim's license. The Notice addressed the following areas:

1. On or about, July 19, 1993, you knowingly made a false statement on the Social Worker Professional Employment Reference Form that you completed for another social worker, Myta Weisberg, who was in training for Licensed Independent Social Worker, in that you indicated you held a license as a Licensed Independent Social Worker and used the initials LISW when in fact you did not possess such a license.

Your acts, conduct and/or omissions as alleged in paragraph 1, constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code 4757.02 (C); and Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4757-19-01 (C).

2. On or about September 30, 1985 through July 19, 1989, you practiced outside of your scope of practice as a Licensed Social Worker in providing training supervision to Myta Weisberg who was in the process of acquiring social work experience for Licensed Independent Social Worker license, as defined in Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4757-11-02 (C) (2) (a).

Your acts, conduct and or omissions as alleged in paragraph 2, constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code 4757.13 (A): to wit 4757-21-01 (B) (7); 4757-27-01 (C) (8).

3. On or about September 30, 1985 through July 19, 1989, you held yourself out to supervisee, Myta Weisberg, as having credentials outside those you possessed by indicating you were a Licensed Independent Social Worker.

Your acts, conduct and/or omissions as alleged in paragraph 3, constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code 4757.13 (A): to wit 4757-21-01 9C) (6) (7); 4757-27-01 (C) (8).

Mr. Kim did not request a hearing in this matter.

ORDER

Wherefore, it is hereby ORDERED that the social work license held by Woo Joong Kim be SUSPENDED by the Counselor and Social Worker Board for a period of two (2) years. The Board further ORDERS that this suspension be STAYED, subject to the following PROBATIONARY terms, conditions and limitations for a period of two (2) years.

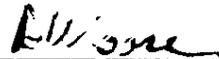
- A. Mr. Kim shall obey all federal, state, and local laws, and all rules governing the practice of Social Work in the State of Ohio.
- B. Mr. Kim shall submit to the Board quarterly declarations under penalty of perjury stating that there has been compliance with all terms of PROBATION.
- C. Mr. Kim shall appear in person for interviews before the full Board or its designated representative at six (6) month intervals or as otherwise directed by the Board.
- D. At six (6) month intervals, Mr Kim shall insure that written reports concerning his employment status and performance be submitted to the Board by his current employer. In the event that the employment status of Mr. Kim changes during the period of probation, Mr. Kim shall immediately advise the Board and insure that written reports concerning his employment performance be submitted by his new employer. These reports shall address Mr. Kim's current job and supervision responsibilities.

The Board further recommended that if Mr. Kim violates the terms of the PROBATION in any respect, or fails to timely comply with Sections B,C and D, above, the Board, after giving him notice and an opportunity to be heard, may set aside the stay order and impose the suspension of Mr. Kim's license to practice social work in Ohio for a period of two (2) years beginning on the date the Board sets aside the stay order.

The Board further orders that, upon successful completion of the PROBATION, Mr. Kim's license be fully restored.

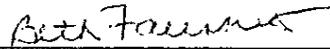
This ORDER shall become effective IMMEDIATELY.

This ORDER is hereby entered upon the Journal of the State of Ohio Counselor and Social Worker Board for the 5th Day of August, 1994, and the original thereof shall be kept with said Journal.



Robert Moore
Chairman

(SEAL)



Beth Farnsworth
Executive Director

AUG 05 1994

Date