

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHARMACY

In the Matter of:

William R. Roberson
(License Number 7379)

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CONSENT ORDER

Pursuant to G. S. § 150B-41(c), the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy (Board), and William R. Roberson (Respondent), have agreed to resolve this matter in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Consent Order. This Consent Order memorializes the terms and conditions of discipline presented to the Board and accepted by Respondent and the Board on November 16, 2004. Also incorporated in this Consent Order is the modification approved by the Board on June 21, 2005, allowing Respondent an additional ninety (90) days to complete and pass the Multistate Pharmacy Jurisprudence Examination.

The discipline was based on the following findings of fact and conclusion of law, which were stipulated to by Respondent:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is licensed to practice pharmacy by the Board and is the holder of license number 7379. At all relevant times, Respondent was employed as a pharmacist at various CVS pharmacies in North Carolina.

2. On July 23, 2001, a pre-hearing conference was conducted regarding numerous dispensing errors committed by Respondent during October and November 2000 while employed at two Kroger pharmacies in Raleigh, North Carolina. As a result of the pre-hearing conference, a Consent Order was entered by the Board on September

18, 2001. The Consent Order suspended Respondent's license for seven days, which suspension was stayed for two years pursuant to several conditions.

3. Pursuant to information indicating that Respondent had committed additional dispensing errors, Board Investigator Josh Kohler conducted further investigations concerning Respondent. Investigator Kohler's investigations revealed that Respondent committed the following dispensing errors:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Drug Prescribed</u>	<u>Error</u>
02/03/01	Trazodone 50 mg	Wrong strength dispensed
02/03/01	Cerzone 100 mg	Wrong strength dispensed
02/03/01	Depakote ER 500 mg	Dispensed Depakote 500 mg
02/23/01	TobraDex	Dispensed Tobramycin
04/02/01	Synthroid .125 mcg	Wrong strength dispensed
05/11/01	Paxil 30 mg	Wrong strength dispensed
05/31/01	Colchicine 0.5 mg	Wrong directions
06/11/01	Glyburide 5mg	Wrong directions
11/06/02	Fetinic 150 mg	Dispensed Trinsicon
02/19/04	Phenobarbital 60 mg	Wrong strength dispensed

4. In interviews with Investigator Kohler, Respondent admitted responsibility for the dispensing errors.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The dispensing errors committed by Respondent, as described above, constitute violations of G.S. §§ 90-85.38(a)(6), (7) and (9), 90-85.30, 106-134.1, 21 N.C.A.C. 46.1805, and 21 U.S.C. §§352 and 353.

Based on the foregoing, and with Respondent's consent, IT IS, THEREFORE,
ORDERED as follows:

1. Respondent's license to practice pharmacy in North Carolina is suspended for a period of seven (7) consecutive days, which suspension shall be completed within sixty (60) days of November 16, 2004.

2. Within ninety (90) days from November 16, 2004, Respondent must successfully complete the critical questions from the Board's Practical Examination.

3. Within ninety (90) days from June 21, 2005, Respondent must complete and pass the Multistate Pharmacy Jurisprudence Examination.

4. Prior to renewal for the year 2006, Respondent shall obtain, in addition to the requirements of 21 NCAC 46.2201, at least five hours of continuing education consisting of at least two hours on patient counseling with the remaining additional hours on pharmacy law.

5. Respondent shall violate no laws governing the practice of pharmacy, distribution of drugs, or the rules and regulations of the Board.

6. Violation of any of the foregoing terms and conditions may subject Respondent to further disciplinary action.

This the 9TH day of NOVEMBER, 2006.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHARMACY

By: 

Jack W. Campbell, IV
Executive Director

STATEMENT OF CONSENT

Respondent hereby certifies that he has read the foregoing Consent Order and that he freely and voluntarily consents to the terms and conditions set out therein.

William R. Roberson
William R. Roberson

NOVEMBER 21, 2006
Date

State of North Carolina

Granville County

I, Sherenia Branche, a Notary Public for the above-named County and State, do hereby certify that William R. Roberson personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witnessed my hand and official seal

This the 21 day of Nov, 2006, by William R. Roberson.

Sherenia Branche

Notary Public

Sherenia Branche

Typed or Printed Notary Name

My Commission Expires 8-18-09

