### DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE OF THE COLLEGE OF DENTURISTS OF ONTARIO

Hanno Weinberger, Chair	)	
Anita Kiriakou	)	WEDNESDAY, THE 19 <sup>th</sup>
Peter Cassano	)	
Keith Collins	)	DAY OF AUGUST, 2015
Patrick McCahe	)	

BETWEEN:

**COLLEGE OF DENTURISTS OF ONTARIO** 

- and -

MARIA CRYSTAL PENANO

### **ORDER**

THIS HEARING was held in Toronto, Ontario.

**ON READING** the Notice of Hearing, the Agreed Statement of Facts and the Joint Submission on Penalty, and on hearing the submissions of counsel for the College of Denturists of Ontario ("College") and the Member, Ms. Penano.

**A. THE DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE FINDS** that Ms. Penano is guilty of professional misconduct pursuant to paragraph 17 (recommending and providing unnecessary denturist services); and paragraph 47 (engaging in conduct and permitting an act, in the course of practicing denturism

that, having regard to all the circumstances, would reasonably be regarded by members as unprofessional), of section 1 of Ontario Regulation 854/93 under the *Denturism Act, 1991*, S.O. 1991, c.25.

### B. THE DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE ORDERS THE FOLLOWING PENALTY:

- 1. Ms. Penano is required to appear before a panel of the Discipline Committee to be reprimanded.
- 2. The Registrar is directed to suspend Ms. Penano's certificate of registration for a period of four (4) weeks, to commence on a date to be set by the Registrar.
- 3. The Registrar is directed to impose the following terms, conditions or limitations on Ms. Penano's certificate of registration:
  - a. Ms. Penano must submit proof of registration in a course of ethics, approved by the Registrar, within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order, to the Registrar;
  - b. Within six (6) months after the date of the Order, Ms. Penano must, at her own expense, successfully complete to the Registrar's satisfaction, a course in ethics, as approved by the Registrar; and
  - c. Within 30 days of completing the course, Ms. Penano must provide proof acceptable to the Registrar that she has completed the course in ethics and submit a summary of the learning outcomes of the ethics course.
- 4. Ms. Penano is required to pay to the College costs in the amount of \$10,000.00, payable in full no later than six (6) months after the date of the Order.

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Hanno Weinberger, Chair

Discipline Panel

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