

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY EXAMINERS  
OF THE STATE OF IOWA**

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Re:	)	Case No. 2006-05
Pharmacist License of	)	
<b>STEVEN D. CASLOW</b>	)	<b>STATEMENT OF CHARGES</b>
License No. 13743	)	
Respondent.	)	

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**COMES NOW**, the Complainant, Lloyd K. Jessen, and states:

1. He is the Executive Secretary/Director for the Iowa Board of Pharmacy Examiners and files this Statement of Charges solely in his official capacity.
2. The Board has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to Iowa Code Chapters 155A and 272C (2005).
3. On September 2, 1970, the Board issued Respondent, Steven D. Caslow, by examination, a license to engage in the practice of pharmacy as evidenced by license number 13743, subject to the laws of the State of Iowa and the rules of the Board.
4. Respondent's pharmacist license is current and active until June 30, 2006.
5. Respondent's current address is 1310 Sunnyside Lane, Atlantic, Iowa 50022-2204.
6. Respondent was, at all times material, employed as a staff pharmacist at Atlantic medical Center Pharmacy, 1501 East 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Atlantic, Iowa 50022.

**A. CHARGES**

**COUNT I – LACK OF PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY**

The Respondent is charged with lack of professional competency in violation of Iowa Code §§ 155A.12(2)(c) (2005) and 657 Iowa Administrative Code 36.1(4)(b), as demonstrated by willful and repeated departures from, and a failure to conform to, the minimal standard and acceptable and prevailing practice of pharmacy in the state of Iowa.

**COUNT II – DISPENSING MISLABELED DRUGS**

The Respondent is charged with dispensing mislabeled prescription drugs in violation of Iowa Code § 155A.15(2)(f) and 657 Iowa Administrative Code 36.1(4)(c).

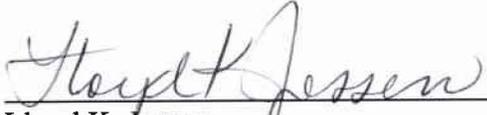
COUNT III – PRESCRIPTION PROCESSING DOCUMENTATION

The Respondent is charged with failing to maintain complete and adequate records relating to documentation of receipt of new or refill prescription authorization in violation of Iowa Code § 155A.12(4) and 657 Iowa Administrative Code 6.8(124,155A).

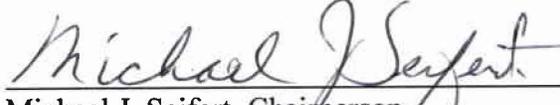
B. CIRCUMSTANCES

Circumstances supporting the above charges are set forth in Attachment A.

WHEREFORE, the Complainant prays that a hearing be held in this matter and that the Board take such action as it may deem to be appropriate under the law.

  
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Lloyd K. Jessen  
Executive Secretary/Director

On this 15 day of Nov . 2006, the Iowa Board of Pharmacy Examiners found probable cause to file this Statement of Charges and to order a hearing in this case.

  
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Iowa Board of Pharmacy Examiners  
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**VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF PHARMACIST LICENSE**

I, Steven D. Caslow, a resident of Atlantic, Iowa, of my own free will and without any mental reservation and not as a result of any inducement, promise or threat on the part of anyone, do hereby voluntarily surrender my State of Iowa pharmacist license, number 13743, to the Iowa Board of Pharmacy, for an indefinite period of time. This surrender of license shall become effective upon my notarized signature being affixed to this voluntary surrender document.

I, Steven D. Caslow, of my own free will and without any mental reservation and not as a result of any inducement, promise or threat by any representative, officer, or employee of the Iowa Board of Pharmacy, or by any other state official, do hereby further acknowledge that by signing this surrender statement I am knowingly and willingly giving up my right to exercise the following legal rights:

- (1) My right to a formal hearing before the Iowa Board of Pharmacy on the matter of my continued licensure as a pharmacist pursuant to Iowa Code Chapter 155A (2009).
- (2) My right to be represented by an attorney in preparation for and during such formal hearing before the Iowa Board of Pharmacy.
- (3) My right to submit evidence and to have witnesses called on my own behalf at formal hearing.

I, Steven D. Caslow, do hereby further acknowledge that, pursuant to 657 Iowa Administrative Code § 36.15, a pharmacist license which has been voluntarily surrendered shall be considered a revoked license with respect to any future request for reinstatement. Any request for reinstatement will be handled under terms established by 657 Iowa Administrative Code § 36.13, which provides:

Any person whose license to practice pharmacy or to operate a pharmacy or whose wholesale drug license or permit to handle precursor substances or whose pharmacy technician registration or pharmacist-intern registration has been revoked or suspended shall meet the following eligibility requirements for reinstatement:

36.13(1) Pre-requisites. The individual shall satisfy all terms of the order of revocation or suspension or court proceedings as they apply to that revocation or suspension. If the order of revocation or suspension did not establish terms and conditions upon which reinstatement might occur, or if the license, registration, or permit was voluntarily surrendered, an initial application for reinstatement may not be made until one year has elapsed from the date of the board's order or the date of voluntary

surrender.

36.13(2) Pharmacist license revoked or surrendered-- examinations required. A person whose license to practice pharmacy was revoked or voluntarily surrendered must successfully pass the North American Pharmacist Licensure Examination (NAPLEX) or an equivalent examination as determined by NABP and the Multistate Pharmacy Jurisprudence Examination (MPJE), Iowa Edition.

36.13(3) Proceedings. The respondent shall initiate all proceedings for reinstatement by filing with the board an application for reinstatement of the license, registration, or permit. The application shall be docketed in the original case in which the license, registration, or permit was revoked, suspended, or surrendered. All proceedings upon petition for reinstatement, including all matters preliminary and ancillary thereto, shall be subject to the same rules of procedure as other cases before the board. The board and the respondent may informally settle the issue of reinstatement. The respondent may choose to have an informal reinstatement conference before the board, as provided in rule 36.14 (17A, 124B, 147, 155A, 272C).

36.13(4) Burden of proof. An application for reinstatement shall allege facts which, if established, will be sufficient to enable the board to determine that the basis for the revocation or suspension no longer exists and that it will be in the public interest for the license, registration, or permit to be reinstated. The burden of proof to establish such facts shall be on the respondent.

36.13(5) Order. An order for reinstatement shall be based upon a decision that incorporates findings of facts and conclusions of law and shall be based upon the affirmative vote of a quorum of the board. This order shall be available to the public as provided in 657 – Chapter 14.

I, Steven D. Caslow, hereby further gives my assurance that I will not engage, in any manner, in the practices of a pharmacist in the State of Iowa for which a license is required.

10-15-09

Date of signature

Steven D. Caslow

Steven D. Caslow

State of Iowa,

County of CASS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Steven D. Caslow on this 15 day of October 2009.

Joyce Jensen

NOTARY PUBLIC FOR THE STATE OF IOWA

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**Iowa Notarial Seal**  
**JOYCE JENSEN, RECORDER**  
**Cass County Recorder/Registrar**

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY  
OF THE STATE OF IOWA**

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Re:	)	<b>ORDER</b>
Pharmacist License of	)	<b>ACCEPTING</b>
<b>STEVEN D. CASLOW</b>	)	<b>SURRENDER OF</b>
License No. 13743.	)	<b>PHARMACIST LICENSE</b>

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**COMES NOW**, Vernon H. Benjamin, Chairperson of the Iowa Board of Pharmacy, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 2009, and declares that:

1. On October 15, 2009, Respondent executed a voluntary surrender of his pharmacist license number 13743.

3. On November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009, the Board reviewed Respondent's voluntary surrender of his pharmacist license and agreed to accept it.

This surrender, pursuant to 657 Iowa Administrative Code § 36.15, shall be considered a revoked license with respect to any future request for reinstatement. Any request for reinstatement will be handled under terms established by 657 Iowa Administrative Code § 36.13.

**WHEREFORE**, it is hereby ordered that Respondent's voluntary surrender of his Iowa pharmacist license number 13743 is hereby accepted.

IOWA BOARD OF PHARMACY

  
VERNON H. BENJAMIN, Chairperson