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HONOLULU - The Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (DCCA) and the various state boards and commissions that oversee professions and vocations have taken steps to ensure that people who have obtained professional and vocational licenses in Hawaii are performing up to the standards prescribed by law.

The following is a summary of disciplinary actions taken by DCCA and the boards and commissions through the month of February 2006. These disciplinary actions include dispositions based upon either the results of contested case hearings or settlement agreements submitted by the parties.

DCCA DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

(Through February 2006)

BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

| Respondent | Sanction | Effective Date |
|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Timothy R. Simmons (MAS 2004-3-L, MAS 2003-103-L) | License revoked, \$5,000.00 fine | 2-1-06 |

COLLECTION AGENCY PROGRAM

| Respondent | Sanction | Effective Date |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Capital Recovery Service, LLC (COL 2005-11-L) | \$500.00 fine | 2-1-06 |

BOARD OF PHARMACY

| Respondent | Sanction | Effective Date |
|------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Immediate Pharmaceutical Services, Inc. (PHA 2005-17-L) | \$500.00 fine | 2-16-06 |

| <u>Respondent</u> | Sanction | Effective Date |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|
| Falah H. Khalifa (PHA 2004-14-L) | Voluntary surrender of license | 2-16-06 |

BOARD OF NURSING

| Respondent | Sanction | Effective Date |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Donna Mae K. Hookano (RNS 2003-2-L) (Maui) | License revoked, \$1,000.00 fine | 2-3-06 |

| <u>Respondent</u> | Sanction | Effective Date |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| Ellen R. McAllister (RNS 2004-27-L) | License suspended for one year, \$1,000.00 fine, successful completion of continuing nursing education course | 2-3-06 |

REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

| <u>Respondent</u> | Sanction | Effective Date |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Brad K. Hironaka (REC 2005-260-L) | \$500.00 fine | 2-24-06 |

CONTRACTORS LICENSE BOARD

| Respondent | Sanction | Effective Date |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Gary A. Cordery & Commercial Facility's Specialists, Inc. (CLB 2005- 346-L) | \$1,000.00 fine | 2-17-06 |

| Respondent | Sanction | Effective Date |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Dela Marie Barino, Individually and dba A & D Fencing, Inc. (CLB 2005- 154-L) (Maui) | \$1,000.00 fine | 2-17-06 |

The decisions and settlement agreements reported in this release may be found online at <u>www.hawaii.gov/dcca/areas/oah/oah_decisions/</u>.

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