



Nevada State Board of Massage Therapy

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December 7, 2021

Selma Repic

Re: Notice of meeting of the Nevada State Board of Massage Therapy to consider her character, alleged misconduct, competence, or physical or mental health.

Dear Ms. Repic:

Pursuant to your request, the Board has agreed to reconsider your application in connection with your Application Review, the Nevada State Board of Massage Therapy (Board) may consider your character, alleged misconduct, competence or physical or mental health at its meeting(s) on January 12, 2022. There will be no physical location for this meeting. Participants can join the meeting via Zoom. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m:

Zoom sign-in available at 8:30 a.m.
Register in advance for both meetings:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86981107368?pwd=cVhxOFhuVGRNOTV3dHvTnRPOUZkdz09>

Meeting ID: 869 8110 7368

Password: 627930

The meeting is a public meeting. You are not required to attend; however, attendance is recommended. Pursuant to NAC 640C.070 your completed investigation results may be discussed. You may choose to have an attorney or other representative of your choosing present during the meeting, present written evidence, provide testimony, present witnesses relating to your character, alleged misconduct, professional competence, or physical or mental health. Please be aware you are one of many agenda items, and the Board may take items out of order. The meeting may last until 4:30 p.m.

If the Board determines it necessary, after considering your character, alleged misconduct, professional competence, or physical or mental health whether in a closed meeting or open meeting, it may take administrative action against you at this meeting. This informational statement is in lieu of any notice that may be required pursuant to NRS 241.034. This notice is provided to you under NRS 241.033.

In the event you need an interpreter, please provide one at your own expense.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the office at (775) 687-9955.

Sincerely,


Sandra J. Anderson
Executive Director

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Tereza Van Horn

From: Nevada Board of Massage Therapists
Subject: FW: Selma Repic

From: selma repic
Sent: Monday, November 22, 2021 11:41 AM
To: Nevada Board of Massage Therapists <nvmassagebd@lmt.nv.gov>
Subject: Re: Selma Repic

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Hello Ms Teresa,

My question is why is my character being questioned to the point that it's been determined that I don't deserve to get a massage license?

I work. I take care of 2 kids that are not mine for past 11 years. I turned myself in jail instead of paying a fine because I worked a minimum wage job in that particular time that only payed me \$10/h and I was also going to school full time so I couldn't afford to miss work or school or afford to a pay fine. I was living in California and rent there is very expensive. So I decided to turn myself in when I had a holiday break from my school and I was able to send my step kids to their family because they were also off from school at that time.

In general, Nevada's professional licensing boards may deny applicants licenses for having poor moral character. This typically comprises having been convicted of such "crimes of moral turpitude" as:

- fraud crimes
- theft crimes
- violent crimes

My criminal record doesn't include any of that kind of crimes or any of crimes that are indicate in NRS640.700(9)

Also people with misdemeanor convictions from several years ago (mine last misdemeanor for DUI was in 2016) are more likely to get a license than people with recent felony convictions even if crimes they committed are fraud, theft or violation crime.

I'm very dissatisfied with this judgment that has been put upon me when I've put in the time, money and effort and am being denied what I have worked so hard to obtain. Please let me know if the case can be reopened because I have put my all into this. I'm willing to do whatever it takes to have the situation rectified. Thank you for your time and I hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

Selma Repic

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

On Monday, November 22, 2021, 10:00 AM, Nevada Board of Massage Therapists <nvmessagebd@lmt.nv.gov> wrote:

Ms. Repic,

Did you have a question?

Sincerely,

Tereza

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From: selma repic

Sent: Sunday, November 21, 2021 3:51 PM

To: Nevada Board of Massage Therapists <nvmessagebd@lmt.nv.gov>

Subject: Re: Selma Repic

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On Sunday, November 21, 2021, 3:49 PM, selma repic wrote:

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On Sunday, November 21, 2021, 2:46 PM, selma repic wrote:

I also have 2 jobs at the moment, full time cocktails servers job at Harrahs casino and part time caregiving job in Homestead of Boulder City and nobody at my jobs think I am "unethical or unprofessional"

I also gat a full custody/ guardianship of my step kids in 2018 and I believe judge also didn't think I'm unethical because of DUIs or she will never take the custody of the kids away from their parents and give it to me.

I really don't understand what DUIs has to do with massage therapy?

Thank you for your time,

Selma Repic

[Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone](#)

On Sunday, November 21, 2021, 2:25 PM, selma repic wrote:

My massage license application was denied based on NRS 640C.700(9)

1. As used in subsection 9 of [NRS 640C.700](#), the Board interprets the phrase "unethical or unprofessional conduct" to include, without limitation:

(a) Offering to practice massage on a client in exchange for sexual favors.

(b) Using health care information to contact a client for the purpose of engaging in a sexual activity with the client.

(c) Using health care information or access to health care information to meet or attempt to meet the sexual needs of the massage therapist.

2. When evaluating whether a massage therapist is prohibited from engaging or attempting to engage in a sexual activity with a client or former client, the Board will consider, without limitation:

(a) Documentation of a formal termination of the professional relationship between the massage therapist and the client or former client;

(b) The transfer of care of the client or former client from the massage therapist to another massage therapist;

(c) The duration of the professional relationship between the massage therapist and the client or former client;

(d) The amount of time that has passed since the last services related to the practice of massage therapy were provided to the client or former client by the massage therapist;

(e) The communication between the massage therapist and the client or former client after the last services related to the practice of massage therapy were provided to the client or former client and before the commencement of the personal relationship;

(f) The extent to which the personal or private information of the client or former client was shared with the massage therapist;

(g) The nature of the health condition of the client or former client, if any, during the professional relationship between the massage therapist and the client or former client and after that professional relationship ended;

(h) The extent of emotional dependence of the client or former client on the massage therapist, if any, and the vulnerability of the client or former client; and

(i) The standard cycle for revisiting a massage therapist as determined by the Board.

However, my criminal record doesn't include anything indicated above.

I had 2 DUI in 2010 & 2016 (I was working as bartender for over 16 years, however this is not excuse for me to get DUI but I was exposed to alcohol every day)

And I also have driving on suspended license because of DUI. So together I have 3 misdemeanors that has nothing to do with NRS 640C.700(9).

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November 9, 2021

Selma Repic

RE: Application Review

Dear Ms. Repic:

After full review of your application for licensure to practice massage in the State of Nevada, your application has been denied based on NRS 640C.700(9).

You are free to reapply for your massage license at any time. Your application will be reviewed by the Board as long as the Criminal History and/or Education applies pursuant to NRS 640C.400 and 640C.420.

If you have further questions, please email us at nvmassagebd@lmt.nv.gov

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Sandra Anderson", is written over a faint, larger version of the same signature.

Sandra Anderson
Executive Director

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j. Review Application Selma Repic. (For Discussion and Possible Action)

Investigator Brunner presented the application of Selma Repic. Ms. Repic’s massage application is before you today for review that could not be approved administratively. Ms. Repic was arrested on August 28, 2010 for DUI by Hawthorne Police Department; January 23, 2016 for DUI; June 14, 2016 for Driving on a suspended license and December 12, 2016 for DUI by Los Angeles Sheriff’s Office. Ms. Repic is requesting to be granted a license under NRS 640C.580 and is before you today for review under NRS 640C.700.

Motioned by Lorna Benedict to deny the application of Selma Repic based on NRS 640C.700(9), seconded by Bianca Smith. Motion carried.

Break 2:35-2:45

Consent agenda items are shown in italics. The Consent Agenda contains matters of routine acceptance. The Board members may approve the consent agenda items as written or, at their discretion, may address individual items for discussion or change.

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c. *Discuss, amend, and approve Board meeting minutes for August 17, 2021. (For Possible Action)*