

BEFORE THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF
MASSAGE THERAPY

In the Matter of:

Hong Lu,

Licensed Reflexologist
Nevada License No. NVRF.0112,

Respondent.

Case No. NVMT-C-22005

**COMPLAINT AND
NOTICE OF HEARING**

The Nevada State Board of Massage Therapy (Board), by and through its Executive Director, Sandra Anderson, hereby notifies Hong Lu (“Respondent”) of an administrative hearing, which is to be held pursuant to Chapters 233B, 622, 622A of the Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) and 640C of the Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) and the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC). The purpose of the hearing is to consider the allegations stated below and to determine if the Respondent should be subject to an administrative penalty as set forth in NRS 640C.710, if the stated allegations are proven at the hearing by the evidence presented.

Respondent is currently and at all times mentioned herein, licensed as a massage therapist in the State of Nevada and is therefore, subject to the jurisdiction of the Board and the provisions of NRS Chapter 640C.

IT IS HEREBY ALLEGED AND CHARGED AS FOLLOWS:

ALLEGED FACTS

1. On or about March 2, 2022, Respondent, while working at Sister’s Foot Spa located at 9555 S. Las Vegas Blvd., #1113-114, Las Vegas, Nevada 89123, massaged male client while her genitals were exposed.
2. Respondent is not licensed with the Board as a massage therapist license; Respondent is licensed with the Board as a reflexologist.
3. Respondent failed to properly drape male client while performing his massage.

1 **VIOLATIONS OF LAW**

2 **COUNT ONE**

- 3 4. By massaging male client while her genitals were exposed, Respondent was soliciting
4 sexual activity during the course of practicing a massage, Respondent violated the
5 provisions of NRS 640C.700(4) and/or (9). This is grounds for discipline pursuant to NRS
6 640C.700(2).

7 **COUNT TWO**

- 8 5. By massaging male client without being licensed by the Board as a massage therapist,
9 Respondent violated NRS 700(14) and/or (9). This is grounds for discipline pursuant to
10 NRS 640C.700(2).

11 **COUNT THREE**

- 12 6. By failing to properly drape male client during the course of a massage, Respondent
13 violated NAC 640C.400(8) and/or NRS 640C.700(9). This is grounds for discipline
14 pursuant to NRS 640C.700(2).

15 **PRAYER FOR RELIEF**

16 WHEREFORE, Executive Director, Sandra Anderson, prays as follows:

- 17 7. That the Board conduct a hearing on this complaint as provided by statute, and after such
18 hearing, that the Board impose upon Respondent the discipline permitted by NRS
19 640C.710, which may include the following, (a) the imposition of an administrative fine of
20 not more than \$5,000.00 per violation, (b) recovery of reasonable investigative fees and costs
21 incurred, (c) recovery of attorney fees pursuant to NRS 622.400, (d) licensee be publicly
22 reprimanded, (e) suspend, revoke or place conditions on the licensee's license, (f) place the
23 licensee on probation, and/or (g) such other impositions as may be permitted by Nevada law.

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25 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a disciplinary hearing has been set to consider this
26 Administrative Complaint against the above-named Respondent in accordance with Chapters 233B,
27 622, 622A and 640C of the Nevada Revised Statutes.
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1 THE HEARING WILL TAKE PLACE on **Wednesday, June 8, 2022, commencing at 9:00**
2 **a.m.** or as soon thereafter as the Board is able to hear the matter with video conferencing by Zoom.

3 Zoom sign-in available at 8:30 a.m.
4 Register in advance for this meeting:

5 <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86823524551?pwd=ZkllZWVhDRWw0QWNYSWZvRm5tY0w5dz09>

6 Meeting ID: 868 2352 4551

7 Password: 854386

8 PURSUANT TO NRS 622A.320, Respondent may, but is not required to, file an answer to
9 this Complaint with the Board.

10 PURSUANT TO NRS 622A.330, Respondent may seek limited discovery from the Board.

11 As the Respondents, you are specifically informed that you have the right to appear and be
12 heard in your defense, either personally or through counsel of your choice. You have the right to
13 respond and to present relevant evidence and argument on all issues involved. You have the right to
14 call and examine witnesses, introduce exhibits, and cross-examine opposing witnesses on any matter
15 relevant to the issues involved.

16 You have the right to request that the Board issue subpoenas to compel witnesses to testify
17 and/or evidence to be offered on your behalf. In making this request, you may be required to
18 demonstrate the relevancy of the witnesses' testimony and/or evidence.

19 The purpose of the hearing is to determine if the Respondent has violated the provisions of
20 Chapter 640C of NRS and if the allegations contained herein are substantially proven by the evidence
21 presented to further determine what administrative penalty is to be assessed against the Respondent,
22 if any, pursuant to NRS 640C.710.

23 Should the Respondent fail to appear at the hearing, a decision may still be reached by the
24 Board. As the Respondent, you are further advised that you may be charged with the attorney's fees
25 and/or costs associated with the hearing pursuant to NRS 622.400.

26 Pursuant to NRS 233B.121(5), informal disposition of this case may be made by stipulation,
27 agreed settlement, consent order, or default. Any attempt to negotiate this case should be made by
28 contacting Sandra Anderson, (775) 687-9951 or sjanderson@lmt.nv.gov.

Pursuant to NRS 241.033(2)(b), the Nevada State Board of Massage Therapy may, without
further notice, take administrative action against your license and/or certificate to practice within the
State of Nevada if the Board determines that such administrative action is warranted after considering
your character, alleged misconduct, professional competence, or physical or mental health.

1 Dated this 4th day of May, 2022.

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3 **NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY**

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5 SANDRA ANDERSON, Executive Director

6 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

7 I HEREBY CERTIFY that on May 4, 2022, I deposited for mailing at Reno, Nevada, via
8 Certified U.S. Mail, with return receipt and postage prepaid, a true and correct copy of the foregoing
9 **COMPLAINT AND NOTICE OF HEARING**, properly addressed as follows:
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11 Hong Lu
12 11156 Tuscolana Street
13 Las Vegas, NV 89141

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15 NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

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Employee