

BEFORE THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF
MASSAGE THERAPY

In the Matter of:
SILU LIU,

Licensed Massage Therapist
Nevada License No. NVMT.12234

Respondent.

Case No. NVMT-C-25034

**COMPLAINT AND
NOTICE OF HEARING**

The Nevada State Board of Massage Therapy (Board), by and through its Executive Director, Elisabeth Barnard, hereby notifies SILU LIU ("Respondent") of an administrative hearing, which is to be held pursuant to Chapters 233B, 241, 622, and 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 12, 2025, Respondent, while employed with Wonderful Spa located at 4110 S. Maryland Parkway Las Vegas, NV 89119, you were cited for engaging in/soliciting prostitution. (Case Report No. LLV250300044127).

2. Specifically, on that day, it is alleged that an undercover Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Detective (hereinafter "UC") entered into Wonderful Spa and asked for a 30-minute massage.

3. It is further alleged that, during the massage, you were not wearing clothing appropriate for a massage therapist.

1 4. It is further alleged that, during the massage, you removed all draping/covering from
2 the nude UC and massaged his inner thigh area.

3 5. It is further alleged that, while performing the massage, you solicited the UC for a sex
4 act in exchange for money. Specifically, without being solicited, and through a combination of verbal
5 responses and non-verbal gestures, you agreed to perform manual sex and have sexual intercourse
6 with the UC in exchange for \$100 and \$200, respectively.

7 6. As a result of the foregoing, you were cited for engaging in unlawful prostitution.

8 7. It was further discovered during a police search of the business that you had been
9 residing within the business and had personal belongings there within apparent living quarters. You
10 also voluntarily admitted to living within the business. As such, you were also charged with living in
11 or about a brothel/house of prostitution.

12 8. As a result of the foregoing events, you are currently facing multiple criminal charges
13 (Case No. 25-CR-023473).

14 **VIOLATIONS OF LAW**

15 **COUNT ONE**

16 9. As stated herein, Respondent violated multiple provisions of NRS 640C and NAC 640C,
17 as such, she is in violation of NRS 640C.700(2).

18 **COUNT TWO**

19 10. Soliciting sexual intercourse is defined as "sexual activity" under NAC 640C.400. As
20 such, Respondent violated NRS 640C.700(4) by engaging in and/or soliciting sexual activity during
21 the course of practicing massage.

22 **COUNT THREE**

23 11. As stated herein, Respondent failed to abide by Nevada statutes and regulations relating
24 to the practice of massage therapy, which constitutes "Unethical or unprofessional conduct" under
25 NAC 640C.410(1)(b)(17). As such, Respondent has violated NRS 640C.700(9).

26 **COUNT FOUR**

12. As stated herein, Respondent engaged in and/or solicited sexual activity with the UC, which constitutes "Unethical or unprofessional conduct" under NAC 640C.410(1)(b)(13) and (18). As such, Respondent has violated NRS 640C.700(9).

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Executive Director, Elisabeth Barnard, prays as follows:

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

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a disciplinary hearing has been set to consider this Administrative Complaint against the above-named Respondent in accordance with Chapters 233B, 622, 622A and 640C of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

THE HEARING WILL TAKE PLACE on **August 12, 2025, commencing at 9:00 a.m.** or as soon thereafter, at 1755 E Plumb Ln., Suite 254, Reno, NV 89502. The hearing may also be attended virtually via Zoom. The Zoom information is as follows:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81303628625?pwd=uTi5F27rbUmImc3kOydXNtTTpsalHM.1>

Meeting ID: 813 0362 8625
Passcode: 445214

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

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

As the Respondents, you are specifically informed that you have the right to appear and be heard in your defense, either personally or through counsel of your choice. You have the right to

1 respond and to present relevant evidence and argument on all issues involved. You have the right to
2 call and examine witnesses, introduce exhibits, and cross-examine opposing witnesses on any matter
3 relevant to the issues involved.

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

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

11 If you require the services of an interpreter, one will be provided for you at no charge. Please
12 notify our office by calling (775) 687-9955 or emailing nvmassgebd@lmt.nv.gov by Wednesday,
13 August 6, 2025, of your request.

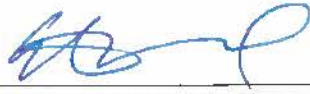
14 Should the Respondent fail to appear at the hearing, a decision may still be reached by the
15 Board. As the Respondent, you are further advised that you may be charged with the attorney's fees
16 and/or costs associated with the hearing pursuant to NRS 622.400.

17 Pursuant to NRS 233B.121(5), informal disposition of this case may be made by stipulation,
18 agreed settlement, consent order, or default. Any attempt to negotiate this case should be made by
19 contacting **Senior Deputy Attorney General Todd M. Weiss Esq.** at **702-486-3103**

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

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25 Dated this 15th day of July, 2025.
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NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY



ELISABETH BARNARD, Executive Director

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on July 15, 2025 I deposited for mailing at Reno, Nevada, via Certified U.S. Mail, with return receipt and postage prepaid, a true and correct copy of the foregoing **COMPLAINT AND NOTICE OF HEARING**, properly addressed as follows:

Silu Liu
4370 Sanderling Cir., Unit 51
Las Vegas, NV 89103

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