LOUISIANA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY

IN THE MATTER OF ESTABLISHMENT LICENSE APPLICATION FOR:

Meme Spa, L.L.C. 803 E Prien Lake Road Lake Charles, LA 70601

FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ORDER

Pursuant to La. R.S. 37:3555(B)(1) and applicable provisions of the Louisiana Administrative Procedure Act, an administrative hearing was held before the Louisiana Board of Massage Therapy ("Board") on September 25, 2023 relative to the Notice of Intent to Deny Application for Establishment License to Kiet The Su for the operation of MEME SPA, L.L.C., at 803 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601 ("Applicant").

Present were: Amie Dudzinski; Donna M. Green; Casey A. Little; Kathryn Lea Love, Chair; Karla Swacker; and Rosemary H. Wilkinson, Board Members;

Memry Hodum, Complaint Investigation Officer was

recused from the hearing;

Sheri M. Morris, Counsel for the Board; and

James Raines, Complaint Counsel.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. On or about April 13, 2023 Kiet The Su submitted a Louisiana Application for Establishment License as owner for MEME SPA, L.L.C., with phone number (713) 842-2540 including a Verifying Affidavit, (Board Exhibit A).
- 2. Kiet The Su is the registered agent for and the only member of MEME SPA, LLC listed in the Articles of Organization filed with the Louisiana Secretary of State on February 1, 2023, (Board Exhibit B).
- 3. Applicant did not appear for the administrative hearing.
- 4. On or about May 22, 2023, a Notice of Intent to Deny establishment application was sent to Applicant's email and mailing addresses of record via U.S. regular mail and U.S. Certified Mail No. 9589 0710 5270 0580 6080 13 and Notice of the Administrative Hearing Set for September 25, 2023, at 9:30 a.m., (Board Exhibit D).

- 5. The phone number on the Establishment Application (713-842-2540) and the location of East Prien Lake Road and Lake Charles are listed on sexually oriented websites including WorldEscortsHub SkipTheGames.com, BackpageGals.com, SecretHostess, WorldescortsPage, RubMaps, ScarletArmour.com, AdultSearch, BedPage, EscortsAffair, OnDate, TopEscorts24 and HarlotHub, The advertisements which include Applicant's phone number advertise sexually oriented services and feature women dressed in inappropriate attire, (Board Exhibit D).
- 6. On August 25, 2023, the Board's Investigator visiting the establishment location and observed and photographed a "for rent" sign in the window. The Board's Investigator's Report indicates there was no sign for the establishment at the location, (Board Exhibit C).

CONCLUSION OF LAW

La. R.S.37:3558(D) prohibits licensure of a sexually oriented businesses as a massage establishment.

ORDER

Considering the applicable law and the evidence;

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Application for Establishment license of MEME SPA, L.L.C. submitted by Kiet The Su is hereby denied; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that MEME SPA, L.L.C., and Kiet The Su are ineligible for licensure by the Board until Applicant appears before the Board. Signed this 5 day of March 2024.

For the Louisiana Board of Massage Therapy

Kathryn Lea Loye, Chair

Please notify via Certified U.S. Mail and Regular Mail:

MEMA SPA, LLC 803 E Prien Lake Rd. Lake Charles, LA 70601 Kiet The Su 133-48 Avery Ave. Flushing, NY 11355

Kiet The Su 1304 McKean St. Philadelphia, PA 19148