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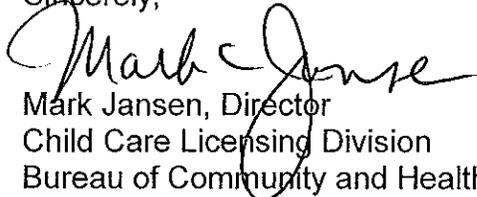
Re: DG500351528

Dear Ms. Hamler:

On or about January 7, 2016, you were mailed a Notice of Intent to Revoke your license to operate a group child care home.

In accordance with that Notice, and because you did not exercise your right of appeal, your license has been revoked effective February 11, 2016. It is further understood that you will not receive children for care now, or in the future, without being legally licensed to do so.

Sincerely,


Mark Jansen, Director
Child Care Licensing Division
Bureau of Community and Health Systems

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cc: Jacquelin Sharkey, Area Manager



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January 5, 2016

Tammi Hamler
46045 Brookside N.
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License #: DG500351528
SIR #: 2015D0195024

Dear Ms. Hamler:

Enclosed is a copy of a NOTICE OF INTENT TO REVOKE YOUR LICENSE to operate a group child care home, alleging that you have violated the Child Care Organizations Act. Your options are as follows:

- 1) You may appeal the Notice of Intent and attend a pre-hearing compliance conference. A Notice of Compliance Conference, which provides the date, time, location, and guidelines of the conference, is enclosed.
- 2) You may appeal the Notice of Intent, waive the compliance conference, and proceed directly to an administrative law hearing.
- 3) You may choose not to appeal the Notice of Intent.

If you choose to appeal the Notice of Intent, the Department must receive your WRITTEN APPEAL within 30 days of your receipt of this Notice. If the Department does not receive your written appeal within 30 days of your receipt of this Notice, you will have WAIVED YOUR RIGHT to an administrative law hearing and the proposed action will be final.

Sincerely,

Mark C. Jansen, Division Director
Child Care Licensing Division
Bureau of Community and Health Systems

Enclosures

Cc: Jacquelin Sharkey, Area Manager

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In the matter of

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Tammi Hamler

NOTICE OF INTENT TO
REVOKE LICENSE

The Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, by Mark C. Jansen, Division Director, Child Care Licensing Division, Bureau of Community and Health Systems, provides notice of the intent to revoke the license of Licensee, Tammi Hamler, to operate a group child care home pursuant to the authority of the Child Care Organizations Act, 1973 PA 116, as amended, MCL 722.111 et seq., for the following reasons:

1. On or about April 22, 2014, Licensee was issued a license to operate a group child care home, with a current licensed capacity of 12, at 46045 Brookside N., Macomb, MI 48044.
2. On August 13, 2015, Licensing Consultant Shelly Naples received complaint information from Child A's Grandmother informing Ms. Naples that Licensee was arrested during a traffic stop with child care children in her vehicle. Child A's Grandmother stated that Licensee was arrested due to being in possession of a crack pipe, under the suspicion of being under the influence of drugs, driving with a suspended driver's license and child endangerment. The child care children were not properly restrained in car seats when Licensee was pulled over. Child A's

Grandmother stated that she had to pick Child A up at the St. Clair Shores Police Department.

3. On August 13, 2015, Ms. Naples received notification of Licensee's August 11, 2015, arrest by the Michigan State Police of one count Felony Dangerous Drugs. Ms. Naples received this information through a RAPBACK, a Michigan State Police fingerprint notification data base.
4. On August 13, 2015, Ms. Naples made an unannounced onsite inspection of Licensee's home. During this inspection Licensee explained to Ms. Naples that when she was arrested she was taking her husband to St. Clair Shores with four child care children in her car. Licensee explained to Ms. Naples that she was arrested for a suspended license and no registration. Ms. Naples informed Licensee that she received information that Licensee was arrested for more than just a suspended license or improper registration. Licensee then admitted that the police officer found a crack pipe in her car and a Chore Boy, a coarse steel or copper scrubbing pad that has also been known to be used to clean crack pipes. Licensee stated that she submitted a blood test with the Michigan State Police for the purpose of a drug screen but the results are still pending.
5. On August 14, 2015, Ms. Naples made an additional unannounced onsite inspection of Licensee's home. During this inspection Licensee further admitted that she did not have written permission to transport child care children from the parents of the child care children who were in her car when she was arrested on August 11, 2015.
6. On August 14, 2015, Ms. Naples spoke with Child D's Mother who stated that recently she had to wake Licensee up when she dropped Child D (F, age 8 months)

off at Licensee's home. On another occasion Child D's Mother arrived at Licensee's home and had to wait until Licensee arrived home before she could drop Child D off. This was at approximately 7:00 to 7:15 a.m.

7. On September 2, 2015, Ms. Naples contacted Licensee due to receiving information from the Michigan State Police that when Licensee was arrested she used the last name Lewis and that it was her married name. Licensee confirmed that she was married and that her husband had moved into her home. Licensee failed to report this household composition change within 7 working days, as required. Additionally, Licensee failed to authorize the department to conduct a criminal history and protective service background check to assess the good moral character and suitability of the child care home family.
8. On September 3, 2015, Ms. Naples interviewed Trooper DeSnyder of the Michigan State Police Department. Trooper DeSnyder confirmed that he was the officer who arrested Licensee on August 11, 2015. Trooper DeSnyder stated that he pulled Licensee over for an improper lane change and when he stopped her he noticed the Chore Boy on the passenger's seat. Trooper DeSnyder searched the car and discovered a crack pipe between the driver's seat and the center console and he stated that Licensee admitted that the crack pipe was hers. Trooper DeSnyder confirmed that none of the four child care children were properly restrained in Licensee's vehicle and he transported the child care children to the St. Clair Shores Police Department so that the parents could pick them up.

COUNT I

The conduct of Licensee, as set forth in paragraphs 2 through 8 above, evidences a willful and substantial violation of:

- R400.1902(2) Caregiver and child care home family.**
(2) An applicant or the caregiver shall be of responsible character and shall be suitable and able to meet the needs of children and provide for their care, supervision, and protection.

COUNT II

The conduct of Licensee, as set forth in paragraph 7 above, evidences a willful and substantial violation of:

- R400.1903(1)(h) Caregiver responsibilities.**
(1) A caregiver shall be responsible for all of the following provisions:
(h) Report to the department, within 7 working days, any changes in the household composition or when any new or existing member of the household has any of the following:
(i) Arrests or convictions.
(ii) Involvement in substantiated abuse or neglect of children.
(iii) Court-supervised parole or probation of the caregiver or any member of the household.
(iv) Been admitted to, or released from, a correctional facility, or hospital, institution, or facility for the treatment of an emotional, mental, or substance abuse problem.

COUNT III

The conduct of Licensee, as set forth in paragraph 7 above, evidences a willful and substantial violation of:

R400.1903(7)

Caregiver responsibilities.

(7) The caregiver shall authorize the department to conduct a criminal history and protective service background check to assess the good moral character and suitability of the child care home family.

COUNT IV

The conduct of Licensee, as set forth in paragraph 5 above, evidences a willful and substantial violation of:

R400.1952(2)

Parent permission and notification required; child information cards when off-premises.

(2) The caregiver shall obtain and keep on file written permission from a child's parent before each time a child is transported in a vehicle.

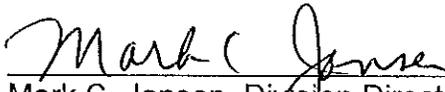
NOTICE IS GIVEN that, Licensee is offered the opportunity to show compliance with all lawful requirements for retention of the license. If Licensee appeals the Notice of Intent and compliance is not shown, formal proceedings will be commenced pursuant to the Child Care Organizations Act, 1973 PA 116, as amended, MCL 722.111 et seq., rules promulgated thereunder, and the Administrative Procedures Act, 1969 PA 306, as amended; MCL 24.201 et seq. Should formal proceedings commence, you have the right to attorney representation at your own expense.

LICENSEE IS NOTIFIED that pursuant to MCL 722.121(2) of the Child Care Organizations Act, Licensee has 30 days from the date of receipt of the Notice of Intent to file a written appeal of the proposed action. The appeal shall be addressed to Joshua Hargrove, Departmental Analyst, Bureau of Community and Health Systems, Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs. Your written appeal must include your name and license number, and must be submitted using one of the following methods:

- Mail your written appeal to the Bureau of Community and Health Systems, P.O. Box 30664, Lansing, MI 48909. You should obtain some type of delivery confirmation to verify delivery;
- Fax your written appeal to the Bureau of Community and Health Systems at (517) 284-9709. You should keep a copy of your fax confirmation as proof of submittal;
or
- Email your written appeal to DAappeals@Michigan.gov. You should keep a copy of the sent email as proof of submittal.

LICENSEE IS FURTHER NOTIFIED that failure to file a written appeal of this action within 30 days will result in revocation of the license.

DATED: 1/6/16



Mark C. Jansen, Division Director
Child Care Licensing Division
Bureau of Community and Health Systems

This is the last and final page of a NOTICE OF INTENT in the matter of Tammi Hamler, DG500351528, consisting of 7 pages, this page included.

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