NEVADA STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY



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January 19, 2029: (702) 508-0015 www.nycosmo.com

Via regular and certified mail

iNails and Spa S-18291 43 S. Stephanie St. Suite #130 Henderson, NV 89012

Re: Complaint Number C-2020-0971

iNails and Spa:

On September 10, 2020 you were sent via regular and certified mail a complaint and notice of hearing stemming from iNails and Spas' failure to follow Governor Sisolaks mandatory COVID-19 directives.

On or about October 26, 2020 Dien Pahn as owner/manager of iNails and Spa signed a settlement agreement wherein it was agreed that iNails and Spa would settle the complaint and pay a total administrative fine of \$1,500 for two violations of NRS 644A.850 (1) (n) for failing to adhere to Governor Sisolak's emergency directives. Pursuant to the settlement agreement, in addition to the administrative fine, iNails and Spa would be responsible for paying the Board's costs and fees in this matter.

On January 11, 2021 the Nevada Board of Cosmetology, at it's regularly scheduled Board meeting, voted to accept the settlement agreement. Enclosed is a signed copy of the settlement agreement for your records. Also enclosed is an itemized breakdown of the costs associated with your case.

The total owed in this matter is \$3,321.49. Fees are due within 90 days of the date of the signed order. If you require a payment plan, one can be set up for you.

If you have any questions, or need to set up a payment plan please call the office at 702-508-0015 or email inspection@nvcosmo.com.

Respectfully,

Gary K. Landry
Executive Director

Nevada State Board of Cosmetology

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Statement Date	Date	Item	Hours	Rate	Amoun
July 31, 2020	7/30/2020	Review file for potential charge against iNails and Spa/Dien Phan; review statutes and regulations; review Governor's Directive for grounds for possible causes of action; various correspondence with Board staff regarding same.	1.7	154.36	262.41
July 31, 2020	7750/2020	regarding surre.			
August 24, 2020	8/11/2020	Draft e-mail to Board staff regarding iNails Salon matter.	0.2	154.36	30.87
August 31, 2020	8/13/2020	Begin draft of Complaint and Notice of Hearing for iNails and Spa.	0.5	154.36	77.18
	0/15/2020	Revise and supplement Complaint and Notice of Hearing for iNails and			
	8/14/2020	Spa.	2	154.36	308.72
	8/19/2020	Review e-mail from Board staff regarding comments and proposed changes to iNails complaint; revise and supplement complaint per direction, grammar and formatting.	0.6	154.36	92.62
	0/15/2020	discount grant and a second gran			
		Review e-mail from Board staff regarding iNails complaint; review file for		45405	77.18
September 30, 2020	9/21/2020	response; draft response to same	0.5	154.36	
	9/21/2020	Review follow up e-mails from Board Staff regarding iNaiis investigation.	0.1	154.36	15.44
		Draft hearing outline for use in upcoming ALJ hearing against Nails and	1	154.36	154.3
October 31, 2020	10/7/2020	Spa.	1	134.50	104.0
	10/8/2020	Revise and update hearing outline for iNails per discussion with Board staff.	0.5	154.36	77.18
	10/0/2020	Review e-mail from iNails regarding possible settlement negotiations;			
	10/19/2020	multiple telephone calls with Board staff regarding same.	0.3	154.36	46.3
		Telephone call with Dien Phan regarding potential settlement agreement		154.26	46.04
	10/19/2020	for iNails; draft confirming e-mail on same.	0.3	154.36	46.3
	40/40/0000	Follow up telephone call with Board staff regarding possible settlement	0.1	154.36	15.44
	10/19/2020	agreement for iNails. Review e-mail from Dien Phan of iNails regarding confirmation of		W. 200 E. 200	1352.0
	10/19/2020	proposed settlement; forward e-mail to Board staff	0.1	154.36	15.44
	40/20/2022	Review e-mail from Dien Phan of iNails regarding settlement; draft response to same; draft e-mail to board staff regarding same; review voicemail from board staff on same; follow up telephone call with Board	0.3	154.36	46.3
	10/20/2020	staff Review follow up e-mail from Dien Phan for iNails regarding acceptance of	0.0	1150755	
	10/20/2020	settlement amount.	0.1		
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	10/20/2020	Draft and revise proposed settlement agreement for iNails and Spa.	1.8	154.36 154.36	
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	10/20/2020	Draft and revise proposed settlement agreement for iNails and Spa. Review e-mail from Board staff regarding proposed changes to iNails proposed Settlement Agreement; telephone call with Board staff on same,	1.8	154.36	277.8
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November 30, 2020

No Charges Posted

herein, issued Salon License No. S-18291 by the State Board of Cosmetology. Accordingly,

Licensee is subject to the provisions of NRS Chapter 644A and NAC Chapter 644A.

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2. Pursuant to NRS Chapter 644A, the Board is vested with the legal power and authority to take disciplinary action, including, but not limited to, the suspension and/or revocation of licenses to practice cosmetology in the State of Nevada.

STIPULATED FACTS

- 3. Licensee INAILS AND SPA understands the nature of the allegations under consideration by the Board. Licensee INAILS AND SPA acknowledges that the conduct described below constitutes violations of NRS Chapter 644A and NAC Chapter 644A governing the practice of cosmetology in the State of Nevada and that if proven by a preponderance of the evidence, Licensee is subject to disciplinary action by the Board. In an effort to resolve these allegations and to avoid the necessity and cost of a hearing, Licensee INAILS AND SPA agrees to the terms of this Agreement:
- a. Licensee INAILS AND SPA was at all relevant times mentioned herein licensed by the Board to operate a cosmetological establishment, and was issued Salon License No. S-18291.
- b. On March 12, 2020, Nevada State Governor Steve Sisolak issued a
 Declaration of Emergency to facilitate the State's response to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- c. On March 20, 2020, Governor Sisolak issued Declaration of Emergency for COVID-19 Directive 003 that required the closure of non-essential businesses, including "aesthetic services such as beauty shops, barber shops, nail salons, tanning salons, and wax salons."
- d. On May 7 2020, Governor Sisolak issued Declaration of Emergency Directive 018 that allowed nail care salons and hair salons licensed by the Board to reopen to customers, provided that:
- (1) Salons and barber shops with walls or partitions between stations or chairs may utilize all stations, but under no circumstances may more than one customer or client be seated at any given station or chair.
- (2) Salons and barber shops without wall or partitions between stations may only seat customers or clients at every other station or chair, or arrange

stations or chairs so that a minimum of 6 feet of separation between customers is maintained.

- (3) Salons and barber shops may not accept customers or clients on a walk-in basis, and technicians, stylists and barbers may not serve or accept appointments for more than one customer at any given time.
- (4) Customers waiting for appointments must wait outside the facility and must practice social distancing by maintaining a minimum of 6 feet of separation between customers not residing in the same household.
- (5) Technicians, stylists, barbers, and other employees must wear face coverings at all times.
- (6) Persons licensed by the Nevada Board of Cosmetology or State Barber's Health and Sanitation Board must abide by all guidelines promulgated by their respective boards. Boards are directed to impose disciplinary measures against licensees who violate this provision.
- e. On or about May 7, 2020, Industry-Specific Guidance was issued, including guidance on reopening nail care salons. Therein, the Guidance specifically noted "face masks" as being mandatory under the Infection Prevention Item Checklist. Further, the Guidance required that nail care salons "must follow the strict guidance set forth under Section 16 of Emergency Directive 018."
- f. On May 10, 2020, the Board performed an inspection of Licensee INAILS AND SPA's cosmetological establishment and found proof that Licensee INAILS AND SPA was possibly allowing employees to perform esthetic services. The Board inspector noted that it appeared that there was more than one client per licensee in Licensee's establishment.
- g. On June 7, 2020, the Board received a Consumer Complaint against Licensee INAILS AND SPA, that Licensee's staff was not wearing face coverings.
- h. On June 8, 2020, the Board performed an inspection of Licensee INAILS AND SPA 's cosmetological establishment and found that Licensee's employees were not wearing face coverings.

i. On July 15, 2020, the Board performed a follow-up inspection of Licensee INAILS AND SPA's cosmetological establishment and again found Licensee's employees were not wearing face coverings.

VIOLATIONS OF LAW

- 4. The foregoing alleged conduct by Licensee INAILS AND SPA would violate NRS 644A.850(1)(n) for engaging in any unfair or unjust practices, methods, or dealings, by failing to comply with Section 16 of Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 018, when Licensee INAILS AND SPA's employees failed to wear a facial covering on June 8, 2020.
- 5. The foregoing alleged conduct by Licensee INAILS AND SPA would violate NRS 644A.850(1)(n) for engaging in any unfair or unjust practice, methods, or dealings, by failing to comply with Section 16 of Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 018, when Licensee INAILS AND SPA's employees failed to wear a facial covering on July 15, 2020.

DISCIPLINE AUTHORIZED

6. Pursuant to NRS 644A.850(2), the Board may impose discipline, including (a) refusing to issue or renew a license or certificate of registration; (b) revoking or suspending license or certificate of registration; (c) placing the licensee or holder of a certificate of registration on probation for a specified period; (d) imposing a fine not to exceed \$2,000.00 per violation; or (e) taking any combination thereof.

SETTLEMENT

- 7. The Board prepared and filed a formal complaint against Licensee INAILS AND SPA pursuant to NAC 644A.935 and was also prepared to present a case based upon the Complaint. Licensee INAILS AND SPA does not contest the violations as alleged herein. The Parties desire to compromise and settle the instant controversy upon the following terms and conditions:
- a. Licensee INAILS AND SPA agrees to pay a total administrative fine of \$1,500.00, as follows: \$500.00 for the first alleged Violation of Law as stated in Paragraph

4 of this Settlement Agreement, Recommendations and Order; and \$1,000.00 for the second alleged Violation of Law as stated in Paragraph 5 of this Settlement Agreement, Recommendations, and Order.

- b. Licensee INAILS AND SPA agrees to reimburse the Board for its attorneys' fees and costs expended in this matter. The Board will provide Licensee INAILS AND SPA with an exact tally of its attorneys' fees and costs expended within fifteen (15) days of the date of the Board's Order approving this Agreement. Licensee INAILS AND SPA may contact the Board staff to coordinate a payment plan, if necessary.
- c. Licensee INAILS AND SPA and the Board agree that by entering into this Agreement, the Board does not concede any defense or mitigation Licensee INAILS AND SPA may assert and that once this Agreement is approved and fully performed, the Board will close its file in this matter.
- d. Licensee INAILS AND SPA further acknowledges that the Board will retain jurisdiction over this matter until all terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement have been met to the satisfaction of the Board.
- e. Licensee INAILS AND SPA further agrees that if the administrative fine and/or attorneys' fees and costs are not timely paid, or if Licensee INAILS AND SPA fails to comply with any of the terms of this Agreement, the Board may, at its option, rescind this Agreement and proceed with the formal complaint and prosecution thereon before the Board. Further, debt collection actions for unpaid monetary assessments in this matter may be instituted by the Board.
- f. Licensee INAILS AND SPA hereby expressly acknowledges that Licensee has freely and voluntarily entered into this Agreement, and Licensee is aware of its rights to contest the charges pending against Licensee. These rights include the right to representation by an attorney at Licensee's own expense, the right to file an answer in response to a formal complaint, the right to a public hearing on any charges or allegations formally filed, the right to confront and cross-examine witnesses called to testify against Licensee, the right to represent evidence on Licensee's own behalf, the right to testify on

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- Licensee INAILS AND SPA is aware of, understands, and has been advised of 8. the effect of this Settlement Agreement, Recommendations, and Order ("Agreement"), which Licensee has carefully read and fully acknowledges. Licensee INAILS AND SPA has had the opportunity to consult with competent counsel of Licensee's choice.
- 9. If the Agreement is not accepted by the Board, or if this matter proceeds to formal hearing due to Licensee INAILS AND SPA's failure to comply with the terms of the Agreement, Licensee acknowledges and understands that the Administrative Law Judge, hearing officer, and/or Board members who review this matter for approval of this Agreement may be the same members who ultimately hear, consider, and decide the Complaint.
- Licensee INAILS AND SPA understands that this Agreement and other 10. documentation may be subject to public records laws, and that at the time this Agreement is considered by the Board, it also becomes a public document. It is also understood that the meeting in which the Board considers and accepts or rejects this Agreement is open to the public and that the minutes of the Board meeting are a public document, available for inspection by any person so requesting.
- Licensee INAILS AND SPA agrees that the Board-approved Agreement may 11. be used as evidence in any subsequent disciplinary hearing.
- Should the Agreement be rejected by the Board, it is agreed that presentation 12. to and consideration by the Board of such proposed Agreement shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Board or any of its members from further participation, consideration,

- 13. Licensee INAILS AND SPA acknowledges that the Agreement shall only become effective upon being duly executed by both the Board and Licensee INAILS AND SPA.
- 14. In consideration of execution of this Agreement, Licensee INAILS AND SPA hereby releases and forever discharges the State of Nevada, the Nevada State Board of Cosmetology, and each of its respective members, agents, employees, and counsel in their individual and representative capacities, from any and all manner of actions, causes of action, suits, debts, judgments, executions, claims, and demands whatsoever, known or unknown, in law or equity, that Licensee INAILS AND SPA ever had, now has, may have, or may claim to have, against any and all of the persons and/or entities named in this section, arising out of or by reason of the Board's investigation, this disciplinary action, and all matters relating thereto.
- 15. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement of the parties, and is intended to be a complete and exclusive statement of the promises, representations, negotiations, and discussions of the parties. Unless otherwise expressly authorized by its terms, this Agreement shall be binding upon the parties unless the same is in writing and signed by the respective parties hereto.
- 16. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, all of which taken together shall constitute one instrument. Execution and delivery of this Agreement by exchange of facsimile copies bearing the facsimile signature of a Party shall constitute a valid and binding execution and delivery of this Agreement by such Party. Such facsimile copies shall constitute enforceable original documents.

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2	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be					
3	signed and intended to be legally bound thereby.					
4	DATED this 26 day of Oct. , 2020.	DATED this 76 day of OCTOBER, 2020.				
5	INAILS AND \$PA	NEVADA STATE BOARD OF				
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8 9	DIEN PHAN, Manager, on behalf of iNails and Spa	GARY LANDRY, Executive Director of the Board of Cosmetology				
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[1	ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE RECOMMENDATIONS					
12	GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, THER	EOFRE, IT IS HEREBY RECOMMENDED				
13	that the foregoing Settlement Agreement, R	ecommendations, and Order be approved and				
14	accepted by the Nevada State Board of Cosmetology.					
15	DATED this day of, 26	020.				
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17		JILL GREINER, Administrative Law Judge				
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19	OR	DER				
20	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED tha	at the foregoing Settlement Agreement,				
21	Recommendations, and Order are approved	and accepted by the Nevada State Board of				
22	Cosmetology.					
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27		GWEN BRAIMOH, President of the Nevada				
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I am an employee of the Nevada State Board of Cosmetology, and that on 1-19-21, I deposited for mailing in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, a true and correct copy of the foregoing SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT, RECOMMENDATIONS AND ORDER addressed to the following:

INAILS AND SPA 43 S. STEPHANIE ST. SUITE #130 HENDERSON, NV 89012

7020 1810 0000 7913 7637

An employee of the

Nevada State Board of Cosmetology