

BEFORE THE
STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL BOARD
DEPARTMENT OF PESTICIDE REGULATION
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

MASTERCARE TERMITE CONTROL
SOUTH BAY; WILLIAM WHITE,
PRESIDENT; LEONARDO J. CRUZ, JR.,
QUALIFYING MANAGER
24404 South Vermont Avenue, Ste. 303
Harbor City, CA 90710

Company Registration Certificate No. PR
5620, Br. 3
Operator's License No. OPR 11324, Br. 3

CESAR G. SILVANO
17341 East Hurley Street, Apt. 6
La Puente, CA 91744

Operator's License No. OPR 11237, Br. 3

and

BETTY ANN WEBSTER
2472 South Bundy Drive,
Los Angeles, CA 90064

Field Representative's License No. FR
32347, Br. 2 and 3

Respondents.

Case No. 2013-7

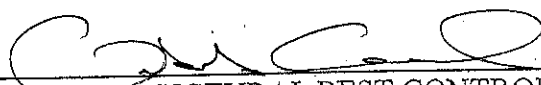
OAH No. 2012100191

DECISION AND ORDER

The attached Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is hereby adopted by the Structural Pest Control Board, Department of Pesticide Regulation, as its Decision in this matter.

This Decision shall become effective on July 28, 2013.

It is so ORDERED June 28, 2013.


FOR THE STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL
BOARD
DEPARTMENT OF PESTICIDE REGULATION

1 KAMALA D. HARRIS
Attorney General of California
2 KAREN B. CHAPPELLE
Supervising Deputy Attorney General
3 SYDNEY M. MEHRINGER
Deputy Attorney General
4 State Bar No. 245282
300 So. Spring Street, Suite 1702
5 Los Angeles, CA 90013
Telephone: (213) 897-2537
6 Facsimile: (213) 897-2804
Attorneys for Complainant

7
8 **BEFORE THE**
STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL BOARD
9 **DEPARTMENT OF PESTICIDE REGULATION**
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

10 In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. 2013-7

11 **MASTERCARE TERMITE CONTROL**
12 **SOUTH BAY; WILLIAM WHITE,**
13 **PRESIDENT; LEONARDO J. CRUZ, JR.,**
QUALIFYING MANAGER
14 **24404 South Vermont Avenue, Ste. 303**
Harbor City, CA 90710

OAH No. 2012100191

STIPULATED SETTLEMENT AND
DISCIPLINARY ORDER
(RESPONDENT BETTY ANN WEBSTER
ONLY)

15 **Company Registration Certificate No. PR**
5620, Br. 3

16 **Operator's License No. OPR 11324, Br. 3**

17 **CESAR G. SILVANO**
18 **17341 East Hurley Street, Apt. 6**
La Puente, CA 91744

19 **Operator's License No. OPR 11237, Br. 3**

20 **and**

21 **BETTY ANN WEBSTER**
22 **2472 South Bundy Drive,**
Los Angeles, CA 90064

23 **Field Representative's License No. FR**
24 **32347, Br. 2 and 3**

25 Respondents.

26 **IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED** by and between the parties to the above-
27 entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:

28 **///**

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18

PARTIES

1. At the time of the filing of the Accusation, William Douglas was the Interim Registrar/Executive Officer of the Structural Pest Control Board, Department of Pesticide Regulation. He brought this action solely in his official capacity and was represented in this matter by Kamala D. Harris, Attorney General of the State of California, by Sydney M. Mehringer, Deputy Attorney General. Susan Saylor is currently the Interim Registrar/Executive Officer of the Structural Pest Control Board, Department of Pesticide Regulation ("Complainant") and continues to bring this action solely in her official capacity and is represented in this matter by Kamala D. Harris, Attorney General of the State of California, by Sydney M. Mehringer, Deputy Attorney General.

2. Respondent Betty Ann Webster ("Respondent") is representing herself in this proceeding and has chosen not to exercise her right to be represented by counsel.

3. On or about June 2, 2000, the Board issued Field Representative's License No. 32347 in Branch 2 to Respondent. On or about June 20, 2000, Field Representative's License No. 32347 was upgraded to include Branches 2 and 3. Field Representative's License No. 32347 was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on June 30, 2014, unless renewed.

19
20
21
22
23
24
25

JURISDICTION

4. Accusation No. 2013-7 was filed before the Structural Pest Control Board ("Board"), Department of Pesticide Regulation, and is currently pending against Respondent. The Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly served on Respondent on August 28, 2012. Respondent timely filed her Notice of Defense contesting the Accusation.

5. A copy of Accusation No. 2013-7 is attached as exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

26
27
28

ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS

6. Respondent has carefully read, and understands the charges and allegations in Accusation No. 2013-7. Respondent has also carefully read, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order.

1 writing acknowledging the employer has read the decision in case No. 2013-7.

2 **5. Notice to Employees.** Respondent shall, upon or before the effective date of this
3 decision, post or circulate a notice to all employees involved in structural pest control operations
4 which accurately recite the terms and conditions of probation. Respondent shall be responsible
5 for said notice being immediately available to said employees. "Employees" as used in this
6 provision includes all full-time, part-time, temporary and relief employees and independent
7 contractors employed or hired at any time during probation.

8 **6. Completion of Probation.** Upon successful completion of probation, Respondent's
9 license will be fully restored.

10 **7. Violation of Probation.** Should Respondent violate probation in any respect, the
11 Board, after giving Respondent notice and an opportunity to be heard, may revoke probation and
12 carry out the disciplinary order which was stayed. If a petition to revoke probation is filed against
13 Respondent during probation, the Board shall have continuing jurisdiction until the matter is final,
14 and the period of probation shall be extended until the matter is final.

15 **8. Correspondence Course - Branch 3.** Respondent shall complete with a final grade
16 of C Minus (C-) or better within eighteen (18) months of the effective date of this decision the
17 correspondence course, Pest Control, Branch 3: Wood Destroying Pests and Organisms, Repairs
18 and Corrections, offered by the University of California Extension, Berkeley. This course cannot
19 be used towards renewal of Respondent's Field Representative License.

20 **9. Prohibited from Serving as Officer, Director, Associate, Partner or Qualifying**
21 **Manager.** Respondent is prohibited from serving as an officer, director, associate, partner,
22 qualifying manager or branch office manager of any registered company during the period that
23 discipline is imposed on Field Representative License's No. 32347

24 **10. Additional License.** Any additional license issued to Respondent shall be placed on
25 probation under the same terms and conditions during the period that discipline is imposed on
26 Respondent's Field Representative's License.

27 ///

28 ///

