

BEFORE THE INDIANA
BOARD OF PHARMACY
2013 IBP 0034

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF)
BRADLEY JOHN YPMA, R.PH.)
LICENSE NO. 26022716A (ACTIVE))



PETITION FOR SUMMARY SUSPENSION

The State of Indiana ("Petitioner"), by Counsel, Office of the Indiana Attorney General, by Deputy Attorney General Darren R. Covington, moves the Indiana Board of Pharmacy ("Board") to summarily suspend the pharmacist license of Bradley John Ypma, R.Ph. ("Respondent") for ninety (90) days and in support of its petition states the following:

1. This Board has jurisdiction to suspend Respondent's license in accordance with the provisions of Ind. Code ch. 4-21.5-4 and Ind. Code § 25-1-9-10.

2. Respondent's address on file with the Indiana Professional Licensing Agency is 2089 W. Van Arsdaill Court, Columbus, Indiana 47201.

3. Respondent is a licensed pharmacist in the State of Indiana having been issued license number 26022716A on May 19, 2008.

4. At all times relevant herein, Respondent was employed as a pharmacist with Columbus Regional Hospital ("the Hospital") in Columbus, Indiana.

5. On or around January 11, 2013, Columbus Police were dispatched to Van Arsdaill Court on report of a disturbance. When the police arrived, they found Jessica Ypma, Respondent's wife, in an intoxicated state.

6. The police went to her home to inform Respondent that they found her in an intoxicated state. Respondent allowed the police to come into their home. Once they entered, the police observed dollar bills rolled up, a credit card, a mortar and pestle, and a white powdery substance on the couch.

7. Respondent was questioned about this and indicated that he and his wife had been snorting crushed Ambien and injecting nalbuphine. Respondent consented to a search, and the police also discovered marijuana and empty vials of nalbuphine, which were from the Hospital.

8. As a result, Respondent was arrested. Following the arrest, Respondent's employment was terminated from the Hospital.

9. Due to the above facts, Respondent represents a clear and immediate danger to the public health and safety if allowed to continue to practice as a pharmacist in Indiana.

WHEREFORE, the State of Indiana requests that this Board set a hearing on this Petition for Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for a period of ninety (90) days and for all other proper relief.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing "Petition for Summary Suspension" has been sent to the Respondent's last known address by first-class mail, on this March 7, 2013.

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