

**LOUISIANA BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY**

**IN THE MATTER OF**

**JIN DOU, LLC dba COMFORT MASSAGE**

**LICENSE NO. E4962**

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**VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF LICENSE**

**WHEREAS**, LEE JAMES (“**Mr. James**”) is the owner of a licensed massage establishment in the State of Louisiana as evidenced by LBMT License No. E4962 (Jin Dou, LLC dba Comfort Massage), and is subject to the jurisdiction and rules and regulations of the Louisiana Massage Therapists and Massage Establishments Act (La. R.S. 37:3551, et seq.), and the rules promulgated by the Louisiana Board of Massage Therapy (“**LBMT**”) (LAC 46:XLIV §101, et seq.);

**WHEREAS**, as part of the LBMT’s review of licensed massage establishments, the LBMT regularly searches websites where businesses offering illicit services and/or illegal prostitution regularly advertise. The LBMT searches these websites to compare the names, addresses, and phone numbers of its licensed massage establishments.

**WHEREAS**, the phone number associated with Jin Dou, LLC (“**Jin Dou**”) - (318) 774-1573 - and address associated with Jin Dou - 1416 Airline Drive, Shreveport, LA 71112 — were identified on "RubsGuide" and "SkipTheGames". The advertisements include photographs of scantily clad Asian women described as "sweet and sexy girls from Asia with impressive busts and S-shaped bodies," "We will treat every gentleman here with gentle and considerate service," "No games, start what you like and you'll know," and " Amazingly smooth skin gives you an unforgettable touch, do you like it?"

**WHEREAS**, after reviewing the advertisements, Memry Hodum, Complaint Investigation Officer for the LBMT, signed an Order of Summary Suspension, summarily

suspending license no. E4962 issued to Jin Dou on June 20, 2023. A hearing regarding further action regarding the license of Jin Dou was scheduled for July 21, 2023.

**WHEREAS**, the respondent, Mr. James, has indicated his desire to voluntarily surrender his license with the LBMT, particularly License No. E4962 (Jin Dou, LLC), in lieu of further disciplinary proceedings;

**WHEREAS**, the respondent, Mr. James, acknowledges that in accordance with the written policies of the LBMT, the following will result due to the voluntary surrender of his license:

1. Public notification of this Voluntary Surrender of License by posting a copy of this Voluntary Surrender of License on the LBMT website.
2. He shall be ineligible for reinstatement of his establishment license in the state of Louisiana and shall be ineligible to apply for a new establishment license for a period of five (5) years.

**WHEREAS**, Mr. James agrees that he shall pay costs associated with the investigation of this matter in the amount of \$500.00 when he submits this Voluntary Surrender of License to be approved by the LBMT, which amount shall be made by certified check or money order.

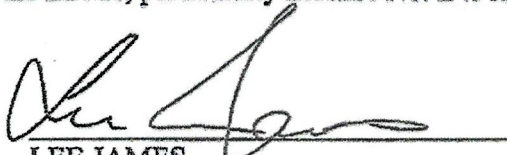
**WHEREAS**, Mr. James acknowledges that he has had the opportunity to thoroughly review the contents of this Voluntary Surrender of License, and that he is informed of and understands his rights, including his rights to due process in connection with this Voluntary Surrender of License;

**WHEREAS**, Mr. James further acknowledges that failure to reimburse the costs set forth above will require the Board to take further action in collection of this debt. Respondent has thirty (30) days to reimburse the expenses before the debt will be considered final and transferred to the Louisiana Office of Debt Recovery (ODR). After transfer, the debt is subject to an additional collection fee of up to twenty-five percent (25%) of the total debt liability, as provided for in LA R.S. 47:1676 (E).

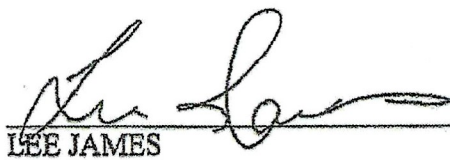
WHEREAS, by the voluntary surrender of his license, Mr. James, moreover, acknowledges, stipulates, and agrees that he hereby waives any right to which he may be entitled pursuant to the Louisiana Administrative Procedure Act or which otherwise may be afforded to him by law, to contest his agreement to, or the force and effect of this document in any Court related to the matters referred to herein, and further waives the right to appeal the acceptance and approval of this Agreement by the LBMT;

WHEREAS, Mr. James acknowledges that he has had the opportunity to seek the advice and guidance of legal counsel with respect to this Voluntary Surrender of License;

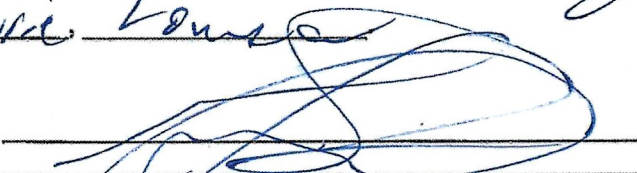
WHEREAS, based on the above, LEE JAMES surrenders his establishment license held with the LBMT, particularly License No. E4962 (Jin Dou, LLC).

  
LEE JAMES Date 7/17/23

I, LEE JAMES, have read the Voluntary Surrender of License and Order, understand it, and agree to be bound by its terms and conditions.

DATED: 7/17/23   
LEE JAMES

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 17 day of July,  
2023, at Metairie, Louisiana

  
Notary Public  
Print Name: Scott Gibson, LSBA# 76036  
My Commission Expires: with life

**ORDER**

The Louisiana Board of Massage Therapists, having examined this Voluntary Surrender of License, and upon a unanimous vote of the Board, accepts the Voluntary Surrender of License in this matter on this 21 day of July, 2023.

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