## RESTRICTED DELIVERY CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Before the Iowa Department of Public Health

IN THE MATTER OF:

Mary Husband PO Box 117 Millersburg, Iowa 52308 Case Number: 10-12-05

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

Certification: F-08-214-02

SUSPENSION/CIVIL PENALTY

Pursuant to the provisions of Iowa Code Sections 17A.18, 147A.7, and Iowa Administrative Code (I.A.C.) 641—131.7, the Iowa Department of Public Health is proposing to **SUSPEND** your certification indefinitely and levy a **CIVIL PENALTY** against you in the amount of \$50.00.

The Department may suspend and levy a civil penalty on an EMS provider when it finds that the certificate holder has committed any of the following acts or offenses:

Failure to comply with a subpoena issued by the department or failure to cooperate with an investigation of the department. IAC 641—131.7(2)h

Falsifying certification renewal reports or failure to comply with the renewal audit request. IAC 641—131.7(2)v

Failure to respond within 30 days of receipt, unless otherwise specified, of communication from the department which was sent by registered or certified mail. IAC 641—131.7(2)ab

The following incident resulter  $\Rightarrow$  of this proposed action:

On July 3, 2010, you complete an Affirmative Renewal Application for certification F-08-214-02. During the renewal process you indicated that you had completed 12 hours of continuing education during the current certification period, that at least 6 of those hours were designated as formal education, and that you had a current course completion card in cardiopulmonary resuscitation, AED and obstructed airway procedures for all age groups according to recognized national standards.

Your certification was audited pursuant to IAC 641—131.4(4)i. A letter informing you of the audit, along with an audit report form, was sent to you. On November 30, 2010, you contacted the Department stating that you had completed no formal hours between October 1, 2008 and September July 3, 2010.

Your certification shall be suspended until the Department receives, reviews and approves the following:

- 1) \$100 civil penalty
- 2) Documentation of 12 hours of continuing education
- 3) Documentations of a minimum of 6 formal education hours completed since the receipt of this notice. Hours completed between the date of receipt of this notice and the reinstatement of your certification may not be used for any other renewal period.
- 4) Submission of a current course completion card in cardiopulmonary resuscitation, AED and obstructed airway procedures for all age groups according to recognized national standards.

**You have the right to request a hearing concerning this notice of disciplinary action.** A request for a hearing must be submitted in writing to the Department by certified mail, return receipt requested, within twenty (20) days of receipt of this Notice of Proposed Action. The written request must be submitted to the Iowa Department of Public Health, Bureau of Emergency Medical Services, Lucas State Office Building, 321 E 12<sup>th</sup> St, Des Moines, Iowa 50319. If the request is made within the twenty (20) day time limit, the proposed action is suspended pending the outcome of the hearing. Prior to or at the hearing, the Department may rescind the notice upon satisfaction that the reason for the action has been or will be removed.

If no request for a hearing is received within the twenty (20) day time period, the disciplinary action proposed herein shall become effective and shall be final agency action.

12-15-22/0

Date

Kirk Schmitt EMS Bureau Chief