RESTRICTEDDELIVERY CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Before the Iowa Department of Public Health

IN THE MATTER OF:

Case Number: 10-05-22

Anna Paige 2468 East Douglas Avenue Des Moines, Iowa 50317-4137 NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION

REVOCATION

Certification : B-11-340-25

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 **REVOKE** your EMS certification identified above.

The department may revoke an EMS certification when it finds that the certificate holder has committed any of the following acts or offenses:

Knowingly making misleading, deceptive, untrue or fraudulent representation in the practice of the profession or engaging in unethical conduct or practice harmful or detrimental to the public. Proof of actual injury need not be established. Iowa Code Section 147A.7(1)f; IAC 641-131.7(2)f

Habitual intoxication or addiction to drugs (2) The excessive use of drugs which may impair an EMS provider's ability to practice with reasonable skill and safety. Iowa Code section 147A.7(1)g; IAC 641—131.7(2)q

The following has resulted in issuance of this proposed action:

On October 7, 2009, the Department sent you a Confidential Letter of Warning related to your 2005 possession of a controlled substance conviction. The letter advised you to maintain abstinence from alcohol and illegal drugs. The letter also advised you that future violation of rules may result in suspension or revocation of your emergency medical care certification.

On April 21, 2010, you tested positive for marijuana.

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 12th 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.

Date

Kirk E. Schmitt, Bureau Chief Emergency Medical Services