

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS**

In the matter of:  
John P. Fanara, DC  
License # DCP00214  
File No: C07-454

**Summary Suspension**

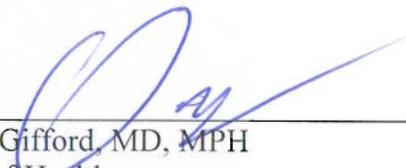
1. Respondent was convicted of a felony of 11 counts of indecent assault and battery in the Superior Court of Barnstable County, Massachusetts. The Respondent testified in his criminal trial as did the complaining witnesses. The Respondent lost his appeal of the criminal conviction.
2. Thereafter, the Massachusetts Board of Chiropractic Examiners, after notice and due process, granted the states Motion for Summary Decision because there was no material facts left for hearing .It revoked the Respondent's license to practice chiropractic medicine in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The Final Decision and Order of the Board of Registration of Chiropractors is given full faith and credit.

**Order**

Based upon the foregoing, the Director of Health has determined that the continuation of the licensure of John P. Fanara, DC constitutes an immediate threat to the health, safety and welfare of the public. Accordingly, the license to practice chiropractic medicine in the State of Rhode Island is hereby **suspended** forthwith pursuant to R.I. General Laws RIGL 5-37-8 and RIGL 42-35-14( c ).

The Respondent may request a hearing on this matter to be will be scheduled within ten (10) days of the effective date below, if so requested.

Signed this 19 day of May 2009.

  
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**CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of this **Summary Suspension Order** was sent via e-mail, registered mail and regular mail to the Respondent on this 19th day of May 2009 at the following addresses:

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