CONSENT ORDER

BEFORE THE MORTUARY AND CEMETERY BOARD OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of the funeral establishment licenses of joint proprietors, Larry A. Hofsess and Laura Jo Hofsess, dba Myrtle Grove Funeral Service – Bay Area (FE-8513) and dba Myrtle Grove Funeral Service (FE-8507); and the funeral service practitioner license of Laura Jo Hofsess (FS-0259)	)	**CASE NOS. 05-1053A, B and C** **CASE NOS. 06-1028A and C** **CONSENT ORDER**

WHEREAS, the Oregon Mortuary and Cemetery Board (Board) issued Notices of Proposed Disciplinary Action on March 22, 2007 against the above Licensees in Case Nos. 05-1053A, B and C; and Case Nos. 06-1028A and C; and

WHEREAS, the Licensee requested a hearing to contest the matters set forth in the Notices of Proposed Disciplinary Action in Case Nos. 05-1053A, B and C; and Case Nos. 06-1028A and C; and

WHEREAS, the Board and the Licensee are desirous of resolving and settling those matters set forth in the Notices of Proposed Disciplinary Action in Case Nos. 05-1053A, B and C; and Case Nos. 06-1028A and C without further proceedings thereon; and

WHEREAS, the Licensee is aware of the right to a hearing with the assistance of counsel and the right to judicial review of the Board's decision in Case Nos. 05-1053A, B and C; and Case Nos. 06-1028A and C and hereby freely and voluntarily waives those rights; and

WHEREAS, the Licensee agrees that the Board enter the following order:

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Licensees shall pay to the Board a civil penalty in the amount of $1500.00.

2. This Consent Order shall become effective when signed by the Executive Director of the Board.

DATED this 6th day of August, 2007.

OREGON STATE MORTUARY
AND CEMETERY BOARD

By: _____
David J. Koach
Executive Director

Consent:

I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand the terms of the above-noted Consent Order. I agree to the Board entering the Consent Order.

7-30-07
Date

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Laura Jo Hofsess, Licensee