



STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

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January 19, 2016

Via First Class Mail and CMRRR: 70012510000081202885

Thomas E. Newton

8315 Walnut Hill Ln., Ste. 210

Dallas, TX 75231

Re: SBDE No. 2015-00835
Proposed Cease and Desist Order

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed please find a proposed *Cease and Desist Order* to resolve SBDE No. 2015-00835. The previously proposed *Cease and Desist Order* dated December 28, 2015, is hereby withdrawn, and this *Cease and Desist Order* is proposed instead. You may reach me at (512) 305-9369 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Mary Martha Murphy
Staff Attorney

Encl.

SBDE NO. 2015-00835

IN THE MATTER OF	§	BEFORE THE STATE
THOMAS E. NEWTON	§	BOARD OF
AUSTIN, TEXAS	§	DENTAL EXAMINERS

CEASE AND DESIST ORDER

On January 19, 2016, the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners (Board) proposes this Cease and Desist Order (Order) against THOMAS E. NEWTON.

The Board has received information and possesses certain evidence indicating that Thomas E. Newton has violated provisions of the Dental Practice Act (the Act), codified at Tex. Occ. Code §§ 251 through 257.

Failure to file a written request for a hearing on this Order prior to February 9, 2016, will render this Order immediately effective and non-appealable in accordance with Tex. Occ. Code § 264.0525(b).

Pursuant to authority granted at Tex. Occ. Code § 264.0525, the Board finds and issues the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. During the time period from on or about October 2, 2013, through the present, Thomas E. Newton engaged in the unlicensed practice of dentistry at "Newton Dental Group" located at 8315 Walnut Hill Ln., Suite 210, Dallas, Texas 75231.
2. Specifically, Mr. Newton performed periodic oral evaluations and administered dental treatments to patients of Newton Dental Group, including the recementation of crowns. This conduct constitutes the unlicensed practice of dentistry, as defined by Tex. Occ. Code § 251.003(a).
3. The conduct described above constitutes the unlicensed practice of dentistry and is a violation of Tex. Occ. Code §§ 256.001 and may be subject to criminal prosecution.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

THOMAS E. NEWTON, **CEASE AND DESIST** from any further action in the state of Texas in connection with the unlicensed practice of dentistry.

Signed this 19th day of January, 2016

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kelly Parker". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Kelly Parker
Executive Director
Texas State Board of Dental Examiners