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**BEFORE THE DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING  
OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
OF THE STATE OF UTAH**

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IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF  
TRAVIS J SOUTHWICK

. **FINDINGS OF FACT,  
CONCLUSIONS OF LAW,  
AND ORDER**

TO PRACTICE AS A JOURNEYMAN  
PLUMBER IN THE STATE OF UTAH

. Case No DOPL-OSC-2011-352

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**FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 1 The Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing (the "Division") filed a Notice of Agency Action in this matter on the 29th day of October 2012.
2. This action is based upon Division records as reflected in the Notice of Agency Action filed herein which show that Travis J Southwick ("Respondent"), failed to comply with an order issued October 26, 2011 as a result Respondent has engaged in unprofessional conduct, in violation of Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-501(2)(a).
- 3 Respondent filed a response to the Notice of Agency Action on or about November 6, 2012. That response explained Respondent's circumstances but did not show he has timely complied with the conditions of his probation According to Division records, Respondent has engaged in unprofessional conduct as outlined above, and this conduct constitutes a basis to discipline Respondent's license pursuant to Utah Code Annotated Subsections 58-1-401(1) and (2). The Respondent has violated his criminal probation and was incarcerated as the result, Respondent failed to notify the Division of his arrest and Respondent has failed to complete drug treatment as required by the stipulation and order dated October 26, 2011

**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 4 Respondent's failure to comply with probation constitutes a sufficient basis for further disciplinary action against Respondent.

5 The Notice of Agency Action and documents attached thereto provide a basis to conclude that Respondent has failed to comply with an order, in violation of Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-501(2)(a). Based on these violations, Respondent has engaged in unprofessional conduct as defined by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-501(2)(a), and Respondent may no longer meets the qualification for licensure as provided by Utah Code Annotated Section 58-55-306

6. The Division is authorized to discipline Respondent's Journeyman Plumber license as provided by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-401(1) because Respondent did not comply with the terms of probation

7 The Division is authorized to discipline Respondent's Journeyman Plumber license as provided by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-401(2)(a), for engaging in unprofessional conduct as provided by Utah Code Annotated Subsection 58-1-501(2)(a), for failure to comply with Division's October 26, 2011 Order

ORDER

WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED Respondent's license to practice as a Journeyman Plumber in this state shall be revoked.

On behalf of the Construction Services Commission and the Division of Occupational and professional licensing, I hereby certify the foregoing Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order were submitted to the Construction Services Commission and the Division on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of January 2012 for their review and action  
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Dan S Jones, Bureau Manager

**ORDER**

THE ABOVE FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND ORDER in the matter of Travis J Southwick is hereby adopted by the Construction Services Commission of the State of Utah

DATED this 1 day of Feb, 2012 13

  
CONSTRUCTION SERVICES COMMISSION  
Representative

I concur with the above Order, which the Construction Services Commission has approved

DATED this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Feb, 2012 13

DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND  
PROFESSIONAL LICENSING

  
MARK B. STEINAGEL  
Director

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