

**BEFORE THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS**  
**IN THE MATTER OF: TIM C. DUKE, D.D.S.**

**AGREED ORDER**

On this day comes for hearing the matter of Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners appeared together by a quorum of its membership, together with its attorney, William H. Trice, III; and the Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. appeared together with his attorney, Mike Lax. From the pleadings and agreement of the parties, the Board finds that:

1. Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. is licensed to practice dentistry in the state of Arkansas under the provisions of the Dental Practices Act.
2. Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. incorporated and registered his corporation with the Board on December 30, 1986. Said name of the corporation was Tim C. Duke, D.D.S., P.A.
3. Tim C. Duke, D.D.S., on March 5, 1998, amended his corporate name with the Secretary of State to Searcy Dental Associates, P.A. Said name does not comply with the Dental Corporation Act, more specifically, A.C.A. § 4-29-405, for it does not contain the name of one or more of the shareholders names.
4. Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. is practicing dentistry in the state of Arkansas in the name of his dental corporation, and said corporation does not comply with the Dental Corporation Act; thus, he is in violation of A.C.A. § 17-82-104(a)(1).
5. Pursuant to A.C.A. § 25-15-208(b) of the Administrative Procedure Act, the parties have agreed to a resolution of this matter, that is the sanction to be imposed upon Tim C. Duke, D.D.S.:
  - (a) Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. will pay to the Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners a fine of \$500.00.

**WHEREFORE, it is CONSIDERED, ORDERED and ADJUDGED that:**

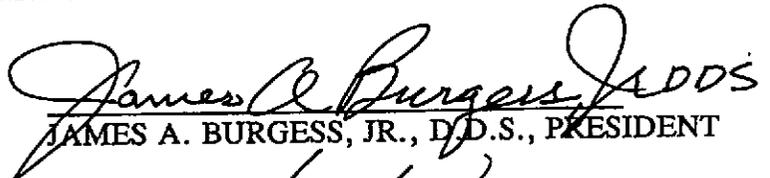
1. Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. has violated the Dental Corporation Act as stated hereinabove.

2. The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners and Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. have agreed to resolve all matters pending before the Board, more specifically, the sanction to be imposed. The parties have agreed that Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. will pay a fine of \$500.00 to the offices of the Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners.

3. Tim C. Duke, D.D.S. has, in fact, paid said \$500.00 fine. This matter is deemed closed.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

  
JAMES A. BURGESS, JR., D.D.S., PRESIDENT

DATE: 11/16/98

APPROVED:

  
William H. Trice, III  
Attorney for the Arkansas State  
Board of Dental Examiners

  
Mike Lax  
Attorney for Tim C. Duke, D.D.S.