

**BEFORE THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF
DELAWARE**

IN RE: JUSTIN D. ALTEMUS

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Case No.: 1513

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EMT I.D. NO.: 093194

COMPLAINT

1. Justin D. Altemus (“Respondent”) is a resident of Newark, Delaware and is certified as an emergency medical technician (“EMT”) in Delaware pursuant to the provisions of 16 *Del. C.* ch. 67.

2. On or about July 22, 2015, Respondent was arrested for and charged with Menacing in violation of 11 *Del. C.* § 602, Disorderly Conduct in violation of 11 *Del. C.* § 1301, and Criminal Trespass in the 3rd Degree in violation of 11 *Del. C.* § 821. Menacing and Disorderly Conduct are misdemeanors under the Delaware Criminal Code. Criminal Trespass 3rd Degree is a violation under the Delaware Criminal Code.

3. On or about October 20, 2015, Respondent was arrested for Offensive Touching in violation of 11 *Del. C.* § 601 in case 1510012280. Offensive Touching is a misdemeanor under the Delaware Criminal Code.

4. Respondent failed to submit to the Commission a written report of his charges within 30 days. Respondent reported the July 22, 2015 arrest on or about September 28, 2015. Respondent did not report his October 2015 arrest to the Fire Commission.

5. Respondent entered a guilty plea to the single charge of Offensive Touching on or about February 10, 2016. He entered into the diversionary “Probation Before Judgement” program and was placed on probation for a period of 12 months.

6. Respondent has violated Part 710, Section 14.8 of the Delaware State Fire

Prevention Regulations in that he did not self-report his charges or his convictions for the above-referenced offenses within 30 days.

7. Respondent has violated Part 710, Section 14.4.1.6 of the Delaware State Fire Prevention Regulations in that he has engaged in unprofessional conduct.

WHEREFORE, pursuant to 16 *Del. C.* § 6712, the State of Delaware respectfully requests that the Commission:

- a. Set a time for a hearing on the allegations set forth above;
- b. Serve Respondent with a copy of the Complaint;
- c. Find Respondent guilty of the violations alleged herein; and
- d. Impose such disciplinary measures as the Commission deems appropriate.

STATE OF DELAWARE
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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ORDER

WHEREAS, the Delaware State Fire Prevention Commission has reviewed this matter and hereby approves the Consent Agreement of the parties, and enters it now as an Order of the Delaware State Fire Prevention Commission;

IT IS SO ORDERED this 19th day of July, 2016.

David J. Roberts
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Chairman

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