

IN AND BEFORE THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel, )  
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL )  
EXAMINERS, )

Plaintiff, )

v.

WILLIAM PATRICK MAPPES, M.D.,  
Medical License No. 10934,

Defendant.

FINAL ORDER ON SECOND COMPLAINT OF CONTEMPT

This cause came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Examiners en banc on January 16, 1987, at 5104 N. Francis, Suite C, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, pursuant to notice given as required by law and the rules of the Board.

Daniel J. Gamino, Attorney, appeared for the Plaintiff, and the Defendant appeared in person, without counsel, and announced that he was ready to proceed without the assistance of counsel.

The Board of Medical Examiners en banc heard the testimony and reviewed exhibits and being fully advised in the premises, the Board of Medical Examiners therefore finds as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. That William Patrick Mappes, M.D., holds Oklahoma Medical License No. 10934.

2. That the Board of Medical Examiners en banc has jurisdiction over the subject matter herein and that notice has been given in all respects as required by law and the rules of the Board.

3. That on or around December 11, 1986, the Defendant submitted a urine sample to John Talbert, Inspector of the Oklahoma Board of Medical Examiners and on December 15, 1986, the sample was analyzed and found to be positive for salicylates, acetaminophen, opiates, benzodiazepines, and barbiturates (not phenobarb).

4. That the presence of said substances in the Defendant's urine indicate that he ingested same and that such substances would adversely affect his ability to practice medicine or surgery as interpreted by the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Examiners.

5. That the Defendant habitually used codeine and codeine products, a controlled dangerous substance, because of an aversion to pain.

6. That the Defendant plans to see Dr. Grana for a program of physical exercise suitable for his present physical state and is then going to travel to New York to study under Siddha Yoga Ashram for a period of ten (10) days or longer and under these circumstances the Defendant wants to voluntarily surrender his license for suspension effective January 20, 1987.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That William Patrick Mappes, M.D., is lawfully under the jurisdiction of the Board of Medical Examiners for a term of five (5) years beginning on October 1, 1985.

2. That Defendant is in violation of the terms of the 5-year probation beginning on October 1, 1985, wherein he was ordered to

abstain from consuming alcohol or any substance which would adversely affect his ability to practice medicine or surgery as interpreted by the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Examiners.

ORDER

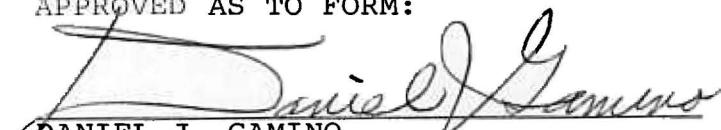
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Medical Examiners of Oklahoma as follows:

1. That the medical license of Defendant William Patrick Mappes, M.D., Medical License No. 10934, should be and is hereby suspended effective January 20, 1987.
2. That the term of suspension shall run until the Defendant returns to the State of Oklahoma and until the Defendant meets with the Board Secretary to advise as to his present physical and mental condition and the exact facts and circumstances of his contemplated place of employment and until the Board Secretary circularizes his recommendations to the members of the State Board of Medical Examiners and receives a unanimous favorable response.

DATED this                    day of February, 1987.

  
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MARK R. JOHNSON, M.D., Secretary  
State Board of Medical Examiners

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
1987, I deposited in the U.S. Mails, postage prepaid, a true and  
correct copy of the above and foregoing instrument addressed to:

William Patrick Mappes, M.D.  
Taliaferro Center  
Community Mental Health  
602 SW 38  
Lawton, OK 73505

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