## IN AND BEFORE THE OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND SUPERVISION STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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IN THE MATTER OF THE	) NOA T 3 1338
APPLICATION OF	) QKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
	) MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION
PAUL D. JOHNSON, M.D.,	) Case No. 94-01-1574
OKLAHOMA LICENSE NO. 14767	)
FOR TERMINATION OF PROBATION	) )

# FINAL ORDER TERMINATING PROBATION AND RESTORING FULL, UNRESTRICTED LICENSE

This matter came on for hearing before the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision November 12, 1998, at the Board's office, 5104 North Francis, Suite C, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73118, pursuant to notice given as required by law and rules of the Board.

Paul D. Johnson, M.D., Applicant, appeared in person and with his legal counsel, Linda G. Scoggins. Tom Sosbee, Education and Compliance Coordinator for the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, appeared on behalf of the State.

The Board en banc heard testimony, reviewed the exhibits presented, and being fully apprised of the premises, entered the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Orders:

### Findings of Fact

- 1. On November 5, 1998 Applicant filed a written motion requesting early termination of the five (5) year probationary period imposed by the Board on January 5, 1995 as a result of a complaint against Applicant for unprofessional conduct involving alcohol abuse.
- 2. Applicant served nearly four (4) full years of the five (5) year period and has complied satisfactorily with all of the terms and conditions of his probation.
- 3. With the purposes of probation having been served, Applicant's probationary period may be terminated at this time without requiring Applicant to serve the remainder of his probationary term.
- 4. The Board *en banc* has jurisdiction over the subject matter herein, and notice has been given in all respects as required by law and the rules of the Board.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. The Board has jurisdiction to hear an application for early termination of probation under 59 Okla. Stat. \$480 et seq. and the rules of the Board.

#### **ORDER**

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision as follows:

- 1. Applicant's probationary period shall be **TERMINATED** as of November 30, 1998, and Applicant shall have a full, unrestricted license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Oklahoma beginning November 30, 1998.
  - 2. A copy of this written order shall be sent to Applicant as soon as it is processed.

Dated this 14 day of November, 1998.

Gerald C. Zumwalt, M.D., Secretary

Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision

Approved as to Form:

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# Certificate of Service

On the 19 day of November, 1998, a true and correct copy of this order was mailed, postage prepaid, to the Applicant, Paul D. Johnson, 13 Janeway Place, Shawnee, OK 74801 and to his legal counsel, Linda G. Scoggins, Hartzog, Conger and Cason, 1600 Bank of Oklahoma Plaza, 201 Robert S. Kerr, Oklahoma City, OK 73102.

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