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

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, ex rel., Oklahoma state board of medical Licensure and supervision,))			
Plaintiff,)			
vs.	5	Case	No.	94-07-1629
WILSON TORRES, M.D., Medical License No. 16775,)))			
Defendant.)			

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AMENDED ORDER OF REVOCATION

NOW ON this 27th day of January, 1995, there comes on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and (the "Board") the above styled Supervision and numbered administrative action. The hearing is conducted pursuant to the Board's authority as granted by the Oklahoma Allopathic Medical and Surgical Licensure and Supervision Act, 59 O.S.Supp.1994 §§ 480, et seq., and Article II of the Oklahoma Administrative Procedures Act, 75 O.S.1991, §§ 308a, et seq. The Board appeared by and through its counsel of record, Drew Edmondson, Attorney General of Oklahoma, and James Robert Johnson, Assistant Attorney General. The defendant appeared in person and by and through counsel of record, Victor Kelley, Attorney at Law. And the Board, having heard the testimony of the witnesses called, having reviewed the exhibits introduced and otherwise being fully apprised of the facts and law herein makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order:

AMENDED FINDINGS OF FACT

The Board finds that a preponderance of the evidence supports the following Findings of Fact:

1. That on or about the 16th of March, 1994, the defendant, Wilson Torres, M.D., was convicted by military court martial of numerous charges of indecent acts related to his practice of medicine in the military;

2. That the Board has authority to take administrative action based upon the commission of a criminal act related to a licensee's practice of medicine. 59 O.S.Supp.1993, § 509 (10).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision has jurisdiction in this matter by virtue of the provisions of the Oklahoma Allopathic Medical and Surgical Licensure and Supervision Act, 59 O.S.Supp.1994, §§ 480 et seq.;

2. By virtue of the provisions of that act, the Board has the power and jurisdiction to enforce the provisions of the Oklahoma Medical Practice Act to protect the public health, safety and welfare;

3. The defendant is in violation of the Oklahoma Allopathic Medical Licensure and Supervision Practice Act, 59 O.S.1994, §§ 480, et seq., specifically 59 O.S. Supp. 1993, § 509, (10).

4. The defendant perpetuates a significant harm to the public health, safety and welfare by continuing the acts and omissions set forth in the above allegations.

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS THEREFORE THE ORDER OF THE BOARD that the license to

practice medicine and surgery in the State of Oklahoma of Wilson Torres, M.D., the defendant, is hereby **REVOKED**.

Pursuant to the authority of the Board granted in 59 O.S. § 509.1, and promulgated in the rules of the Board, the defendant shall pay the costs of this action.

Done this 27th day of January, 1995.

George M. Brown, Jr., M.D. Secretary Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

This is to certify that on the log day of March, 1995, a true and correct copy of the above Order was mailed, postage prepaid, to Victor Kelley, Attorney at Law, 2101 Sixth Ave. North, Suite 700, Birmingham, Alabama 35203.

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