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

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

GEORGE RICHARD TILLER

FOR AN OKLAHOMA
MEDICAL LICENSE. #17246

ORDER GRANTING LICENSURE UNDER TERMS OF PROBATION

This cause came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on May 19, 1990, at the office of the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, 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 staff of the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision; and the Applicant appeared in person, pro se, and waived his right to legal counsel and agreed to proceed without counsel.

The Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision en banc reviewed the Application and all attached exhibits, heard testimony, and being fully advised in the premises, the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision finds as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. That the Applicant is applying for licensure in Oklahoma as a physician and surgeon.
- 2. That the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision 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 evidence indicated the Applicant was on probation in Kansas from approximately February, 1984, to April, 1986, for drug abuse and alcoholism. Colorado placed Applicant on probation in approximately May, 1989, based on the Kansas action. Applicant completed long term rehabilitation at Ridgeview Institute in Smyrna, Georgia, from January to July, 1984, plus 20 months aftercare treatment.
- 4. That on or around March 26, 1990, Applicant signed a Voluntary Submittal to Jurisdiction placing himself under probation to the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision for a period of five years under terms and conditions enumerated therein.
- 5. That the Applicant presently has been released from probation in Kansas and has an unrestricted Kansas license. He attends three to five AA meetings per week and is a member of the Kansas Addiction Committee of the Kansas Board of Medical Examiners.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That when all evidence is considered the Applicant does fulfill the requirements of 59 O.S. Supp. 1989, Sec. 489 et seq., and applicable rules and regulations of the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision to qualify for licensure in Oklahoma as a physician and surgeon.

2. That the Board does have jurisdiction over the Applicant and must continue on the five-year term of probation that the Applicant began on or around March 26, 1990, as set forth below.

ORDER

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

- l. That the application of George Richard Tiller for licensure as a physician and surgeon in Oklahoma should be and the same is hereby GRANTED.
- 2. That Applicant shall continue on the probation to the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision began on or around March 26, 1990, and fulfill all requirements thereof as set forth below.
- 3. That Applicant/Defendant accepts and agrees to and does hereby begin a term of probation to the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision to continue for a period of five (5) years, unless earlier modified by the Board, on its own motion or on the motion of the Applicant/Defendant, under the following terms and conditions:
 - (a) That during the period of probation Defendant will not prescribe, administer or dispense any medications for his personal use, to specifically include controlled dangerous substances.
 - (b) That during the period of probation Defendant will take no medication except that which is authorized by a physician treating him for a legitimate medical need and Defendant shall have an affirmative duty to inform any physician treating him of Defendant's previous substance abuse.
 - (c During the period of probation Defendant will abstain from consuming alcohol or any substance, specifically including but not limited to controlled dangerous substances, which would adversely affect his ability to practice medicine or surgery as interpreted by the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.
 - (d) During the period of probation Defendant will submit biological fluid specimens to include, but not limited to, blood and urine, for analysis, upon request of any investigator or other agent representing the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, and Defendant will pay for testing and analysis of those specimens.
 - (e) During the period of probation Defendant may prescribe controlled dangerous substances only on serially-numbered, duplicate prescription pads and shall make the copies available to Investigators of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision at their request, to include all dispensing records on CDS other than sample medication.

- (f) During the period of probation Defendant will furnish to the office of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision all current legal addresses and any change of address in writing.
- (g) Defendant shall appear before the Board en banc or a designated member thereof whenever requested to do so.
- (h) During the period of probation Defendant will submit to the Investigative Division of the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision any required reports and forms on a timely and prompt basis.
- (i) Pursuant to Section 26, H.B. 1478, 1987 Legislature, Defendant shall promptly pay upon receipt of invoice from the Investigation Division of the Board the cost of investigation, prosecution and probation of this case.
- (j) During the period of probation Defendant shall notify any hospital where he holds staff privileges, or clinic, or group where he practices, of the terms and conditions of this Voluntary Submittal to Jurisdiction and supply a copy thereof.
- (k) That violation of any of the terms and conditions of probation shall be grounds for additional charges to be presented to the Board after due notice to the Defendant.
- That the jurisdiction of the Board in this individual proceeding will continue in this matter until the terms and conditions of probation are modified or withdrawn by the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision, either on their own motion or on the motion of the Applicant/Defendant.
- The Applicant/Defendant further agrees that failure to meet any of the above terms of probation will constitute cause for the staff of the Board to initiate additional proceedings to suspend or revoke Applicant/Defendant's license, after due notice and hearing.
- That the Applicant should be advised of this decision in writing as soon as possible.

DATED this 24 day of May, 1990.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing instrument was mailed, postage prepaid thereon, this 35 day of May, 1990, to:

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