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

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF

MEDICAL LICENSURE AND

SUPERVISION,

Plaintiff,

V.

CASE NO. 95-09-1758

ROBERT MICHAEL WESTCOTT, M.D.

Medical License No. 18951,

Defendant.

ORDER OF CONTINUANCE WITH SUSPENSION OF LICENSE

This cause came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on January 19, 1996, at the office of the Oklahoma State 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 Plaintiff; and Robert Michael Westcott, M.D., Defendant, did not appear in person or by representative but did appear by letter from Michael K. McKim, CODA Treatment Recovery Prevention, 10362 SW McDonald, Tigard, OR 97224.

The Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision reviewed pleadings and exhibits and the Emergency Order of Suspension, and being fully advised in the premises, the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision finds and orders as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. That Defendant, Robert Michael Westcott, M.D., holds Oklahoma Medical License No. 18951 now under temporary suspension pursuant to Order of the Secretary of the Board following notice and hearing.
- 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 on or around December 15, 1995, following notice and hearing, pursuant to legal authority of the Oklahoma Practice Act, 59 O.S. Supp. 1995, Sec. 503.1, and the rules and regulations of the Board, the Board Secretary did suspend on an emergency basis Defendant's Oklahoma Medical License No. 18951 and ordered that said remain suspended until further order of the Board and set matter for hearing at the next meeting of the Board scheduled for January 19, 1996.
- 4. That Defendant did cause to be provided to the Board staff a status report from Michael K. McKim, CODA Treatment Recovery Prevention, Tigard, Oregon, regarding his current treatment and status.
- 5. That the Defendant did request continuance of this case. Plaintiff legal counsel has no objection to continuance of the

case so long as the temporary suspension imposed by the Board Secretary remains in full force and effect.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That the Board has jurisdiction of this matter pursuant to the Oklahoma Medical Practice Act, 59 O.S. Supp. 1995, Sec. 481 et seq., and that continuance of a hearing is within the sound discretion of the Board and that the evidence presented herein does support the Defendant's Motion to Continue Hearing and that the temporary suspension of Defendant's Oklahoma Medical License No. 18951 originally imposed by the Board Secretary should remain in place.

ORDER

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

- 1. That hearing on the matter involving Defendant, Robert Michael Westcott, M.D., Oklahoma Medical License No. 18951, subject to suspension, should be and the same is hereby CONTINUED until the next meeting of the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision presently scheduled for March 22-23, 1996.
- 2. That the emergency suspension imposed by the Board Secretary following notice and hearing on December 15, 1995, should remain in full force and effect and that Defendant's suspension shall remain in place until further order of the Board.
- 3. That a copy of this Order should be forwarded to Defendant at his present address in Oregon.

DATED this 25 day of January, 1996.

GERALD C. ZUMWALT, M.D., Secretary State Board of Medical Licensure

and Supervision

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 2μ day of January, 1996, to:

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