

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

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STATE OF OKLAHOMA)
EX REL. THE OKLAHOMA BOARD)
OF MEDICAL LICENSURE)
AND SUPERVISION,)

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OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION

Plaintiff,)

v.)

Case No. 00-09-2245

MICHELLE MABEL PIERATT, M.D.)
License No. 20701)

Defendant.)

**ORDER ACCEPTING VOLUNTARY SURRENDER
OF LICENSE IN LIEU OF PROSECUTION**

This cause came on for hearing before the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision (the "Board") *en banc* on the 25 day of January, 2001 at the Board office, 5104 N. Francis, Suite C, Oklahoma City, OK 73118, pursuant to notice given as required by law and rules of the Board.

Elizabeth A. Scott, Assistant Attorney General, appeared on behalf of the State of Oklahoma, ex rel. the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision. The Defendant appears in person and through counsel, Larry Derryberry.

The Board *en banc* heard testimony, reviewed the exhibits presented, and being fully apprised in the premises, finds that there is clear and convincing evidence of the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Orders:

Findings of Fact

1. Michelle Mabel Pieratt, M.D. currently possesses Oklahoma medical license no. 20701.
2. Defendant Michelle Mabel Pieratt, M.D. is the subject of a complaint and citation filed by the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision.
3. 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.

4. Pursuant to 59 O.S. §509(E), Defendant wishes to surrender her Oklahoma Medical License No. 20701 in lieu of prosecution.

5. The surrender of Medical License No. 20701 is freely and voluntarily made, and the Defendant has not been subject to duress or coercion.

6. The Defendant is fully aware of the consequences of the surrender of her license.

7. Defendant has plead guilty to the allegations constituting misconduct and acknowledges that the allegations, if proven, could constitute grounds for disciplinary action by the Board.

8. Defendant has submitted a sworn statement describing the misconduct to which she has plead guilty as required by 59 O.S. §509(E).

9. Defendant has surrendered her wall certificate and wallet card with her request for voluntary surrender of her license.

Conclusions of Law

10. The Board has jurisdiction over the defendant and the subject matter herein pursuant to 59 O.S. §480 et seq.

11. Pursuant to 59 O.S. §509(E), the Board has the authority to accept this surrender of license in lieu of prosecution.

12. The request of defendant to surrender her license is appropriate under the circumstances of this case.

13. Clear and convincing evidence exists for the conditions of surrender of Medical License No. 20701.

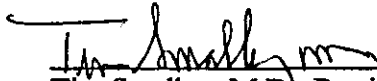
Order

14. The voluntary surrender of license in lieu of prosecution submitted by defendant is hereby accepted by the Board.

15. Oklahoma Medical License No. 20701 of the defendant, Michelle Mabel Pieratt, M.D. should be and is hereby surrendered as of the date of this order, January 25, 2001.

16. Pursuant to 59 O.S. §509.1(E)(4), the defendant shall pay all reasonable costs expended by the Board for any legal fees and costs, and any investigation, probation and monitoring fees, including but not limited to staff time, salary and travel expenses, witness fees and attorney's fees incurred with respect to this case.


DATED this 25 day of January, 2001.



Tim Smalley, M.D., President
Oklahoma State Board of Medical
Licensure and Supervision

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on the 29 day of January, 2001, I mailed a true and correct copy of the Order Accepting Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Prosecution to Larry Derryberry, Esq., Derryberry, Quigley, Solomon & Naifeh, 4800 N. Lincoln Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK 73105.



Janet Owens