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,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.)
)
ANOOP PALSINGH SANGHA, M.D.,)
LICENSE NO. MD 26835,)
)
Defendant.)

FILED

JUN 27 2018

OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION

Case No. 12-02-4506

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO TERMINATE PROBATION, AND GRANTING AGREEMENT FOR LICENSURE AFTER PROBATION

This matter came on for hearing before the Oklahoma State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision ("Board") on May 10, 2018, at the office of the Board, 101 N.E. 51st Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73105, pursuant to notice given as required by law and the rules of the Board.

Gary Ricks, Compliance Coordinator appeared on behalf of Plaintiff and the Defendant appeared in person by webvideo, *pro se*. Dr. Merlin Kilbury with the Oklahoma Health Professionals Program ("OHPP") appeared and testified.

The Board having considered testimony and evidence presented hereby **GRANTS** Defendant's motion to terminate the probation pursuant to the Order Accepting Voluntary Submittal to Jurisdiction executed July 13, 2012.

An Oklahoma license is hereby issued pursuant to the Agreement for Licensure After Probation executed May 3, 2018.

This Order is subject to review and approval by the Oklahoma Attorney General and this Order shall become final upon completion of the review by the Oklahoma Attorney General unless disapproved, in which case this Order shall be null and void.

Dated this 27 day of June , 2018.

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Billy H. Stout, M.D., Board Secretary OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND SUPERVISION

Certificate of Service

This is to certify that on the 28% day of 2018, a true and correct copy of this Order was transmitted as indicated, postage prepaid, to the following:

<u>U.S. Certified Mail</u> Anoop Palsingh Sangh, M.D. 230 N. Alfred Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314-2408 **Defendant, pro se**

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Nancy Thiemann, Legal Assistant



Office of Attorney General State of Oklahoma

ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINION 2018-230A

June 26, 2018

Billy H. Stout, M.D., Board Secretary State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision 101 NE 51st Street Oklahoma City, OK 73105

Dear Dr. Billy H. Stout, M.D., Board Secretary:

This office has received your request for a written Attorney General Opinion regarding action that the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision intends to take with respect to medical doctor licensee 26835 in case 12-02-4506. The license was suspended for six months followed by five years of probation. Licensee has moved to terminate the probation. The Board proposes to grant licensee's motion to terminate and issue a license pursuant to an agreement for licensure after probation. The agreement for licensure after probation contains certain terms and conditions.

The Oklahoma Allopathic Medical and Surgical Licensure and Supervision Act authorizes the Board to "establish rules authorizing the issuance of conditional, restricted, or otherwise circumscribed licenses, or issuance of licenses under terms of agreement . . . as [] necessary for the public health, safety, and welfare." 59 O.S.2011, § 493.3(D). The Board's rules state that the Board Secretary may enter into an agreement with an applicant when "circumstances and/or conditions of an applicant raise questions as to the fitness or ability of the applicant to practice medicine . . . with reasonable skill and safety or questions as to prior actions of the applicant in this or any other jurisdiction which would constitute a violation of the Act or [Board] rules." OAC 435:10-4-11(b)(2). The Board may reasonably believe that the proposed action is necessary to protect public health.

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It is, therefore, the official opinion of the Attorney General that the State Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision has adequate support for the conclusion that this action advances the State's policy of protecting the health, safety, and well-being of the citizens of Oklahoma.

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MIKE HUNTER Attorney General of Oklahoma

RYAN CHAFFIN Deputy Chief – Assistant Attorney General



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