

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.)
)
 FARHAAD RAHMAN RIYAZ, M.D.,)
 LICENSE NO. MDC 37270,)
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 Defendant.)

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OKLAHOMA STATE BOARD OF
MEDICAL LICENSURE & SUPERVISION

Case No. 22-06-6131

VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF LICENSE IN LIEU OF PROSECUTION

State of Michigan)
) ss:
 Monroe County)

I, Farhaad Rahman Riyaz, M.D. (“Defendant”), being of lawful age and after first being duly sworn, depose and state as follows:

1. I hereby voluntarily surrender my Oklahoma medical license no. 37270. 59 O.S. 509.1(E), *et seq.*
2. The surrender of my license is freely and voluntarily made. I have not been subject to any coercion or duress, and I am fully aware of the consequences of the surrender of my license having reviewed them with my attorney, Lillian Walanka, Esq., 111 W. Washington St., Suite 1820, Chicago, IL 60602.
3. On December 13, 2021, in *United States of America v. Farhaad Riyaz*, Eastern District of Virginia, Case No. 1:21-cr-00264-LMB, I pled guilty to one count of Mail Fraud in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1341, a felony under federal law, and was sentenced on March 22, 2022.
4. I am guilty of unprofessional conduct by violating the following rules of professional conduct:
 - a. Conviction or confession of, or plea of guilty, nolo contendere, no contest or Alford plea to a felony or any offense involving moral turpitude, in violation of 59 O.S. § 509(5) and Okla. Admin. Code § 435:10-7-4(10).

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- b. Disciplinary action of another state or jurisdiction against a license or other authorization to practice medicine and surgery based upon acts of conduct by the licensee similar to acts or conduct that would constitute grounds for action as defined in this section, a certified copy of the record of the action taken by the other state or jurisdiction being conclusive evidence thereof, in violation of Okla. Admin. Code § 435:10-7-4(31).
5. I hereby submit my wallet card and wall certificate as evidence of my intent to surrender my license. 59 O.S. § 509(E)(2).
6. I understand that I cannot apply for reinstatement of my Oklahoma medical license for a minimum of one (1) year from the date this surrender is accepted by the Board. The terms of this Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Prosecution do not preclude me from applying for reinstatement of my Oklahoma medical license as a non-Compact physician following the term of the one (1) year surrender.
7. If the Board does not accept this Voluntary Surrender of License in Lieu of Prosecution, the Plaintiff and Defendant (collectively, the "Parties") stipulate that it shall be regarded as null and void. Admissions by Defendant herein, if any, shall not be regarded as evidence against him in a subsequent disciplinary hearing. Defendant will be free to defend himself, and no inferences will be made from his willingness to have this Order accepted by the Board. The Parties stipulate that neither the presentation of the Order nor the Board's consideration of this Order shall be deemed to have unfairly or illegally prejudiced the Board or its individual members and, therefore, shall not be grounds for precluding the Board nor any individual Board member from further participation in proceedings related to the matters set forth herein.

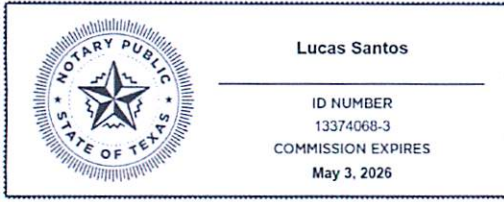
Dated this 14 day of November, 2022.



Farhaad Rahman Riyaz, M.D.
License No. 37270

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Subscribed and sworn before me this 14th day of November, 2022.



Lucas Santos

Notary Public

Harris County

Notarized online using audio-video communication

My commission expires: 05/03/2026

My commission number: 13374068-3

ACCEPTED:

Billy H. Stout

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

Dated this 17th day of NOVEMBER, 2022.

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