

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,

Plaintiff,

WILLIAM F. CRITTENDON, M.D.  
Medical License No. 6708,

CASE NO. 90-09-1130

Defendant.

FINAL ORDER

This cause came on for hearing before the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision on June 22, 1991, 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 William F. Crittendon, M.D., Defendant, did not appear in person or by representative or by announcement or letter.

The Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision en banc heard the oral argument of counsel, reviewed exhibits, and being fully advised in the premises, the Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision finds as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. That Defendant, William F. Crittendon, M.D., holds Oklahoma Medical License No. 6708.
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 July 30, 1990, the Defendant and the Department of the Army, United States of America, reached agreement to voluntarily settle Defendant's appeal of the United States Army's decision to remove him from the position of Medical Officer (Obstetrics and Gynecology), GS-13, Landstuhl Army Medical Regional Center, Landstuhl, West Germany, for failure to maintain clinical privileges and failure to provide competent patient care.
4. That as a part of that Settlement Agreement, the Defendant specifically agreed as follows, to-wit:
  - "a. The Appellant agrees to notify in writing all places where he is licensed to practice medicine (in particular the State of Oklahoma) and state that he is surrendering his right to practice medicine in any capacity. A copy that notification will be submitted to the Agency.
  - b. The Appellant also agrees that he will never again seek or make application to practice medicine in any U.S. medical facility and that will never again seek or

make application to practice medicine in any public or private capacity within the territories, possessions or jurisdiction of the United States."

5. That on or around August 20, 1990, the aforesaid Settlement Agreement was accepted by the Administrative Law Judge of the Merit Systems Protection Board, Washington Regional Office, United States of America, on Docket No. DC07529010476.

6. That on or around September 19, 1990, the Oklahoma Board of Medical Licensure and Supervision received Defendant's written Voluntary Retirement From Medical Practice and request for revocation of license to practice medicine.

7. That the Defendant is perpetuating significant harm to public health, safety and welfare by practicing medicine in light of the acts and omissions set forth in the above allegations.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. That William F. Crittendon, M.D., holding Oklahoma Medical License No. 6708, is in violation of the Oklahoma Medical Practice Act, 59 O.S. 1981, Sec. 509, Paragraph 16, to-wit:

"16. The inability to practice medicine with reasonable skill and safety to patients by reason of age, illness, drunkenness, excessive use of drugs, narcotics, chemicals, or any other type of material or as a result of any mental or physical condition."


#### ORDER

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

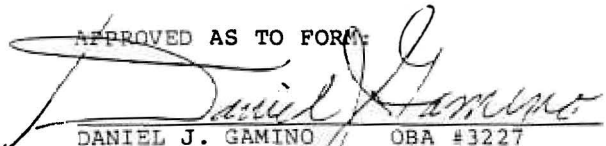
1. That the Defendant, William F. Crittendon, M.D., holding Oklahoma Medical License No. 6708, should be and is hereby REVOKED as a physician and surgeon in the State of Oklahoma.

2. That the Defendant should receive a copy of this Order as soon as possible.

DATED this 7 day of July, 1991.

  
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 11 day of June, 1991, to:

WILLIAM F. CRITTENDON, M.D.  
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