BEFORE THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD IN THE MATTER OF THANH BANG NGUYEN, M.D

ORDER

On this 3rd day of February 2017, comes on for hearing the matter of Thanh Bang Nguyen, M.D. The Arkansas State Medical Board appeared together by a quorum of its membership, together with its attorney, Kevin M. O'Dwyer. Thanh Bang Nguyen, M.D, appeared *pro se*. From the pleadings, testimony of the witness and evidence introduced, the Board finds that:

I.

Thanh Bang Nguyen, M.D, is a licensed physician in the State of Arkansas pursuant to the provisions of the Medical Practices Act.

II.

Thanh Bang Nguyen, M.D, has admitted this day that she failed to comply with the Medical Practices Act, more specifically ACA §17-95-409(b) in that she provided false documentation to the Board regarding her Continuing Medical Education hours (CMEs).

WHEREFORE, IT IS CONSIDERED, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that Thanh Bang Nguyen, M.D violated the Medical Practices Act and the Rules and Regulations of the Board, in that she failed to obtain an adequate number of Continuing Education hours as required, and submitted falsified CME documentation.

As a result of the above violations of the Medical Practices Act and the Rules and Regulations of the Board, Thanh Bang Nguyen, M.D., is issued a REPRIMAND; and will reimburse the Board \$248.00 for the investigative costs of this matter and the disciplinary hearing within six months of the date of this hearing. Thanh Bang Nguyen, M.D., is further ordered to complete 40 hours of Continuing Medical Education including an Ethics component within 6 months of the date of the hearing. This CME requirement is in addition to the 20 hours CME already required for the next renewal cycle. Thanh

Bang Nguyen shall return to the Board at the August 2017 meeting.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD

STEVEN L. CATHEY, M.D., CHAIR

DATE: 2/9/17

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Kevin-M. O'Dwyer

Attorney for the Arkansas State Medical Board