

STATE OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF MEDICINE

By: Uicki E. Kenon
Deputy Agency Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,

Petitioner,

vs.

CASE NOS.: 2000-03968
2001-01474
LICENSE NO.: ME0062418

DEBABRATA SAHA, M.D.,

Respondent.

FINAL ORDER

THIS CAUSE came before the Board of Medicine (Board) pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57(2), Florida Statutes, on February 1, 2002, in Jacksonville, Florida, for consideration of the Administrative Complaint (attached hereto as Exhibit A) in the above-styled cause. At the hearing, Petitioner was represented by John Terrel, Senior Attorney. Respondent was present but was not represented by counsel at the hearing. The facts are not in dispute.

Upon consideration, it is ORDERED:

1. The allegations of fact set forth in the Administrative Complaint are approved and adopted and incorporated herein by reference as the findings of fact by the Board.
2. The conclusions of law alleged and set forth in the Administrative Complaint are approved and adopted and incorporated

herein by reference as the conclusions of law by the Board.

3. The violations set forth warrant disciplinary action by the Board. THEREFORE,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED:

1. Respondent shall pay an administrative fine in the amount of \$1,000 to the Board within 30 days from the date this Final Order is filed.

2. Respondent shall pay the costs associated with this case in the amount of \$789.25. Said costs shall be paid within 30 days from the date this Final Order is filed.

3. Respondent shall receive a letter of concern from the Board. This Final Order shall take effect upon being filed with the Clerk of the Department of Health.

DONE AND ORDERED this 18 day of FEBRUARY, 2002.

BOARD OF MEDICINE



LARRY G. MCPHERSON, JR., BOARD DIRECTOR
For
ZACHARIAH P. ZACHARIAH, M.D.
CHAIRMAN

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ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT

COMES NOW the Department of Health (Petitioner) and files this Administrative Complaint before the Board of Medicine (the Board) against Debabrata Saha, M.D. (Respondent) and alleges:

1. Petitioner is the state agency charged with regulating the practice of medicine under Section 20.43, and Chapters 456 and 458, Florida Statutes. Under Section 20.43(3)(g), Florida Statutes (2000), Petitioner has contracted with the Agency for Health Care Administration to provide consumer complaint, investigative, and prosecutorial services required by the Division of Medical Quality Assurance, councils, or boards, as appropriate.
2. Respondent is and has been at all times material hereto a licensed physician in the state of Florida, having been issued license number ME 62418. Respondent's last known address is 1010 Sycamore Lane, Columbia, Missouri 65203.
3. Respondent is board certified in psychiatry.

FACTS PERTAINING TO CASE NO. 2000-03968 (MISSOURI)

4. On or about January 17, 2000, the Missouri State Board of Registration for the Healing Arts (Missouri Board) and Respondent entered into a Settlement Agreement that contained a Joint Agreed Disciplinary Order (Missouri Order) whereby the Respondent's Missouri medical license was publicly reprimanded.

5. The Missouri Order contains findings of fact that state on or about May 7, 1998, Respondent pled guilty in Missouri to making a false police report, trespass in the first degree, and property damage in the second degree, all crimes of moral turpitude.

COUNT ONE: OUT OF STATE DISCIPLINE (MISSOURI)

6. Petitioner realleges and incorporates paragraphs one (1) through five (5), as if fully set forth herein this Count One.

7. On or about January 17, 2000, Respondent had his license publicly reprimanded by the Missouri Board, the licensing authority for medical doctors in Missouri.

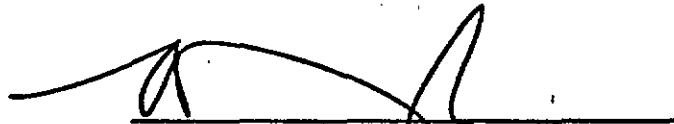
8. Based upon the foregoing, Respondent violated Section 458.331(1)(b), Florida Statutes (1999), by having a license or the authority to practice medicine revoked, suspended, or otherwise acted against, including the denial of licensure, by the licensing authority of any jurisdiction, including its agencies or subdivisions. The licensing authority's acceptance of a physician's relinquishment of a license, stipulation, consent order, or other settlement, offered in response to or in anticipation of the filing of administrative charges against the physician's license, shall be construed as action against the physician's license.

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WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests the Board enter an order imposing one or more of the following penalties: permanent revocation or suspension of the Respondent's license, restriction of the Respondent's practice, imposition of an administrative fine; issuance of a reprimand, placement of the Respondent on probation, the assessment of costs related to the investigation and prosecution of this case as provided for in Section 456.072(4), Florida Statutes (2000), and any other relief the Board deems appropriate.

SIGNED this 19th day of November, 2001.

John O. Agwunobi, M.D., M.B.A.
Secretary, Department of Health



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September 23, 2003

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

DEBABRATA SAHA, M.D.
License No. MA55746

TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action
ORDER OF SUMMARY
SUSPENSION

To: Debabrata Saha, M.D.
3100 Crestwood Lane
Columbia, MO 65203-0938

Debabrata Saha, M.D.
1010 Sycamore Lane
Columbia, MO 65203-2962

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners upon receipt of information revealing the following:

1. Respondent, Debabrata Saha, M.D., is the holder of license No. MA55746 and was licensed to practice medicine and

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surgery in the State of New Jersey from 1990 until June 30, 2003 after which time Respondent permitted that license to lapse.

2. On or about January 12, 2000, the Missouri State Board of Registration for the Healing Arts ("Missouri Board") entered into a Settlement Agreement with Respondent whereby Respondent stipulated to "joint findings." Specifically, Respondent agreed that on or about May 7, 1998 he pled guilty in the 13th Judicial Circuit Court of Boone County, Missouri, to making a false police report, to trespass in the first degree and to property damage in the second degree. Respondent stipulated that his guilty pleas in said criminal action involved crimes of moral turpitude that established cause for disciplinary action against Respondent's license by the Missouri Board and subjected him to a public reprimand.

3. The above guilty pleas by the Respondent in a criminal action provide grounds to take disciplinary action against Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f) in that Respondent pled guilty to crimes involving moral turpitude.

4. Respondent's failure to submit his biennial renewal prior to June 30, 2003, resulting in a lapsed license status provides grounds to automatically suspend Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-7.1(b).

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 23rd day of Sept, 2003,

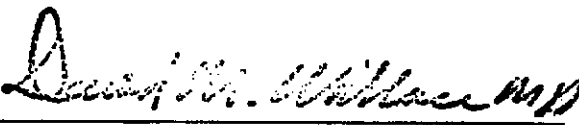
ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of New Jersey shall be and hereby is suspended by operation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-7.1, without a hearing.

2. In the event that Respondent seeks reinstatement of a New Jersey license at any time in the future, this order shall require Respondent to show cause why the application for reinstatement should not be refused, or issued subject to such conditions as the Board may deem appropriate, because of the prior licensure and criminal actions set forth above.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF
MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

By:


David M. Wallace, M.D.
Board President