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UNIFORM NON-DISCIPLINARY CITATION
BOARD OF MEDICINE

Issued to: Richard Bradford Silverman, MD Citation Number: 2011-16264
1800 Jefferson Avenue
Miami Beach, FL 33139
License Number: ME 65033 1501NT Date of Violation: 02/01/2011
Profession: 1501

Pursuant to Section 456.077 F.S. the undersigned hereby certifies that he/she has probable cause to believe that on 02/01/2011 the above referenced Respondent did violate the following provision(s) of law **456.013(7) and 458.331(1)(g)(nn)**, by committing the following act(s): **Failing to timely comply with the 2009-2011 continuing education audit. Specifically, the Respondent failed to provide proof of completion of two (2) continuing medical education (CME) hours in Prevention of Medical Errors for the 2009-2011 biennium.**

Pursuant to Rule 64B8-8.017(3)(a)3. Florida Administrative Code, the Board/Department has set the following penalty for violation of the aforesaid provision: **\$250.00** plus costs in the amount of **\$122.00**; Respondent must submit certified documentation of completion of all CME requirements for the period for which the citation is issued within sixty (60) days from the date of filing of this final order; and the Respondent's continuing education courses will be audited for the next two (2) biennia to ensure compliance with renewal requirements.

Total amount due \$372.00

On behalf of: State Surgeon General-Department of Health
ISSUED this 21st day of October, 2011 by:

Jamie M. Shingles, Government Analyst I

If you do not dispute the citation within, thirty (30) days of service, the citation will automatically be filed as a final order of the board but will not be considered disciplinary action against your license. If you accept this citation, it will be filed as a final order and total payment of fine and cost is due thirty (30) days from the date the citation is filed and becomes a final order. In order to dispute this citation you must do so in writing. Send the written dispute and a copy of the citation by certified mail to the following address:

Department of Health, Consumer Services Unit
4052 Bald Cypress Way Bin C#75
Tallahassee Florida 32399-3275

You may elect to have these charges prosecuted as a disciplinary action according to section 456.073 Florida Statutes, rather than accept this citation. In the event that you elect to have these charges prosecuted pursuant to section 456.073 Florida Statutes, the case will be presented to the appropriate probable cause panel or the Department for a determination of probable cause. Please understand that if you choose this option, any penalties imposed by the board will be counted as discipline.

PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING AND SIGN:

- (1) I CHOOSE TO ACCEPT THE NON-DISCIPLINARY CITATION
- (2) I CHOOSE NOT TO ACCEPT THE NON-DISCIPLINARY CITATION AND WISH TO HAVE THIS CASE PROSECUTED UNDER SECTION. 456.073, FLORIDA STATUTES.

Signed: Date: 10.28.11

PLEASE READ THE INFORMATION ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING
COMPLIANCE WITH THIS CITATION**

This citation automatically becomes a final order of the board if you do not dispute the citation within thirty (30) days of the date the citation was served. All fines and costs are due thirty (30) days from the date the citation becomes a final order. **Please attach a copy of the citation with your cashier's check or money order.** Payment should be made payable to the Department of Health. Payment shall be mailed to the following address:

DOH/HMQACS/Compliance Management Unit-BIN C76
Post Office Box 6320
Tallahassee, Florida 32314-6320

Any continuing education requirements shall be completed within the timeframe specified in the citation and proof of compliance documented with the Department of Health. Proof of completion must be mailed to:

DOH/HMQACS
Compliance Management Unit- Bin C76
4052 Bald Cypress Way
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3251

After this citation becomes a final order, failure to pay the fine and costs specified and provide proof of required continuing education within the timeframe specified on this citation constitutes a violation of a final order of the board, and may subject you to further disciplinary action and referral to a collection agency.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Citation has been served upon: **Richard Bradford Silverman, MD**

At: **1800 Jefferson Avenue, Miami Beach, FL 33139**

By Personal Service

U.S. Certified Mail, Restricted Delivery Receipt Number: _____

Regular Mail

this 28 day of October, 2011

Mailing address verified as: 1800 Jefferson Avenue
Miami Beach, FL 33139

John M. [Signature]
Consumer Services Unit Investigator

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (Service of filed Final Order)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Final Order has been served by U.S. Mail upon:

this 8th day of November, 2011

[Signature]
Deputy Agency Clerk