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## IN THE MATTER OF: KRISTY LYNN CONRAD, M.D.

(Certificate No. 203535)
Respondent

10-I-334

NOTICE OF SUMMARY SUSPENSION OF MEDICAL LICENSE

To:

Kristy Lynn Conrad, M.D. 616 Marguerite Road Metairie, Louisiana 70003

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners (the "Board"), pursuant to the authority vested in it by La. Rev. Stat. §37:1285(A), La. Rev. Stat. §49:961(C) has issued an Order of **Summary Suspension**, suspending the license of Kristy Lynn Conrad, M.D., effective immediately.

New Orleans, Louisiana, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of June 2010.

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In The Matter of

KRISTY LYNN CONRAD, M.D.

(Certificate No. 203535)

No. 10-I-334

INTERIM CONSENT ORDER

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An on-going investigation being conducted by the Investigating Officer of the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners (the "Board") indicates that Kristy Lynn Conrad, M.D. ("Dr. Conrad"), a physician licensed to practice medicine in this state, and at all times pertinent participating in a medical residency training program in Louisiana, has written and issued prescriptions for controlled substances in other than a legal or legitimate manner and has failed to undergo an evaluation ordered by the Board to assess her ability to practice medicine with skill and safety to patients.<sup>1</sup>

Predicated upon the information obtained to date, the Investigating Officer assigned by the Board with respect to this matter has determined that reasonable cause exists for filing an Administrative Complaint with the Board charging Dr. Conrad with various infractions of the Louisiana Medical Practice Act (the "Act"), pursuant to La. Rev. Stat. §§37:1285(A)(6), (13), (26) and (30).<sup>2</sup> Investigation of the physician's conduct is on going and continuing.

As evidenced by her subscription hereto, Dr. Conrad acknowledges the right to have written notification of any charges that may be asserted, as well as the right to have adjudication of such charges during an administrative hearing at which time she will be entitled to be represented by legal counsel, to call witnesses and to present evidence in defense or in mitigation of the charges

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Dr. Conrad's license to practice medicine in Louisiana was suspended pursuant to *Notice of Summary Suspension of Medical License*, In the Matter of Kristy Lynn Conrad, M.D., No. 10-1-334, La. St. Bd. Med. Exam. (June 25, 2010) following her failure to undergo an evaluation as directed by Order of the Board, *Order for Evaluation of Medical Professional*, La. St. Bd. Med. Exam. (May 6, 2010).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Pursuant to La. Rev. Stat. §37:1285A the Board may take action against the license of a physician as the result of: (6) 'Prescribing, dispensing, or administering legally controlled substances or any dependency-inducing medication without legitimate medical justification therefore or in other than a legal or legitimate manner;' (13) 'Unprofessional conduct;' (26) 'Refusing to submit to the examinations and inquiry of an examining committee of physicians appointed or designated by the board to inquire into the physician's physical and mental fitness and ability to practice medicine with reasonable skill and safety to patients;' and (30) 'Violation of any rules and regulations of the board, or any provisions of this Part.'

made, and to a decision thereon by the Board based upon written findings of fact and conclusions of law, pursuant to La. Rev. Stat. §\$49:951 et seq. Irrespective of such rights, Dr. Conrad, nonetheless, hereby consents to the continued indefinite suspension of her license to practice medicine in this state, with reinstatement thereof subject to the terms and conditions of this Order. Moreover, by her subscription hereto, Dr. Conrad authorizes the Investigating Officer designated by the Board with respect hereto to present this Interim Consent Order to the Board for its consideration and to fully discuss with and disclose to the Board the nature and extent of such charges and she waives any objection to such disclosures under La. Rev. Stat. §49:960. Dr. Conrad expressly acknowledges that disclosure of such information to the Board by the Investigating Officer shall be without prejudice to the Investigating Officer's authority to prosecute any administrative charges that may be filed in this matter following completion of the current investigation or to the Board's capacity to adjudicate such charges. Accordingly, in consideration of the foregoing and pursuant to the authority vested in the Board by La. Rev. Stat. §37:1285 and La. Rev. Stat. §49:955(D);

**IT IS ORDERED** that the license of Kristy Lynn Conrad, M.D. to engage in the practice of medicine in the State of Louisiana, as evidenced by Certificate No. 203535, be and the same is hereby, effective as of the date hereof, *continued on indefinite suspension*.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Kristy Lynn Conrad, M.D. shall not practice medicine in any form in the state of Louisiana until and unless the Board issues and serves a written decision reinstating her license to practice following: (1) receipt of documentation demonstrating that Dr. Conrad has successfully completed an inpatient evaluation and any recommended treatment, is in compliance with any on-going treatment recommendations, and her treating physicians have determined that she is capable of returning to practice with skill and safety to patients; (2) a meeting with the Investigating Officer for the Board; and (3) the conclusion of the pending investigation by administrative hearing and final decision of the Board on any charges that may be filed in these proceedings, including but not limited to those identified in this Order; alternatively, (4) by the Board's acceptance of a Consent Order or other Order or recommendation respecting disposition of such charges and investigation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any violation or failure of strict compliance with any of the terms, conditions or restrictions set forth by this Order by Dr. Conrad shall be deemed adequate and sufficient cause, upon proof of such violation or failure, for the revocation and cancellation of Dr. Conrad's license to practice medicine in the state of Louisiana or for such other action as the Board may deem appropriate, as if such violations were enumerated among the causes provided in La. Rev. Stat. § 37:1285.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Interim Consent Order shall be, and shall be deemed to be, a public record.

Signed at New Orleans, Louisiana on and effective this day of day of , 2010.

LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

By:

MARK H. DAWSON, M.D.

President

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## ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND CONSENT

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF JEFFER SUM

I, KRISTY LYNN CONRAD, M.D., he entry of the above and foregoing Order, this _	reby acknowledge, approve, accept and consent to day of				
WITNESSES					
Signature	Signature				
2 COSTANZA Printed Name	Printed Name				
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Sworn to and subscribed before me at METALRIE, Louisiana, this 15 day of, 2010, in the presence of the two stated witnesses.					
Notary Public (Signature & Seal)					
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