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**NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD
OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

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

IN THE MATTER OF

Paul Noble, M.D.
License No. 25MA025794 (expired)

Administrative Action

CHARGED WITH ENGAGING IN THE
UNLICENSED PRACTICE OF MEDICINE AND
SURGERY IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners (hereinafter "the Board") upon receipt of information that respondent Paul Noble, M.D. has engaged in the unlicensed practice of medicine and surgery in the State of New Jersey. Respondent acknowledges that he repeatedly practiced medicine between June 2005 and September 2007 when his medical license was expired and when he did not have malpractice insurance.

The Board finding that Respondent's actions as described herein constitute engaging in, and holding himself out as engaging in, the practice of medicine in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:9-22 and the practice of medicine without malpractice insurance in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:9-19.17; and the parties desiring to resolve this matter without the need for further proceedings; and the

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Respondent having waived any right to a hearing; and the Board finding that the within Consent Order is adequately protective of the public interest, and for other good cause shown,

IT IS ON THIS 29 DAY OF August, 2008, HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

1. Respondent shall immediately cease and desist from engaging in, or holding himself out as engaging in, the practice of medicine and surgery and from using the title or designation "doctor," "physician," or any other language or title denoting licensure pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:9-1 et seq., unless and until he is duly licensed by the Board of Medical Examiners to do so.
2. Respondent shall cease and desist from preparing and/or signing any prescriptions for drugs, medications or other items requiring a prescription pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:9-1 et seq., and N.J.S.A. 45:14-14 et seq., unless and until he is duly licensed by the Board of Medical Examiners to do so.
3. Respondent shall immediately return his original New Jersey medical license and any biennial registration currently in his possession to: Bill Roeder, Executive Director, New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners, 140 E. Front Street, P.O. Box 183, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0183.
4. Respondent shall pay a civil penalty in the amount of \$5,000.00. The entire amount of the penalty shall be stayed, but shall become immediately due and owing upon Respondent's violation of any of the terms of this Consent Order and/or upon Respondent's application for reinstatement of his medical license. In the event that the civil penalty becomes due and owing, interest shall begin to accrue in accordance with R. 4:42-11(a) and the Board shall file a certificate of debt. Payment shall be made by check or money order made payable to the New Jersey Board of Medical Examiners and mailed to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners, 140 E. Front Street, P.O. Box 183, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0183.

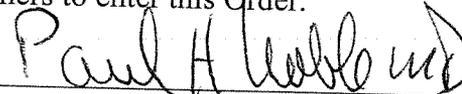
5. Additional violations may result in enhanced penalties, and such other proceedings as permitted by law including an action in the Superior Court of New Jersey seeking injunctive relief.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

By:


Paul Mendelowitz, M.D.
Board President

I have read the above Order and agree to abide by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board of Medical Examiners to enter this Order.


Paul H. Noble, M.D.

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ADDENDUM

Any licensee who is the subject of an order of the Board suspending, revoking or otherwise conditioning the license, shall provide the following information at the time that the order is signed, if it is entered by consent, or immediately after service of a fully executed order entered after a hearing. The information required here is necessary for the Board to fulfill its reporting obligations:

Social Security Number¹: _____

List the Name and Address of any and all Health Care Facilities with which you are affiliated:

List the Names and Address of any and all Health Maintenance Organizations with which you are affiliated:

Provide the names and addresses of every person with whom you are associated in your professional practice: (You may attach a blank sheet of stationery bearing this information).

¹ Pursuant to 45 CFR Subtitle A Section 61.7 and 45 CFR Subtitle A Section 60.8, the Board is required to obtain your Social Security Number and/or federal taxpayer identification number in order to discharge its responsibility to report adverse actions to the National Practitioner Data Bank and the HIP Data Bank.

**NOTICE OF REPORTING PRACTICES OF BOARD
REGARDING DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS**

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-3(3), all orders of the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners are available for public inspection. Should any inquiry be made concerning the status of a licensee, the inquirer will be informed of the existence of the order and a copy will be provided if requested. All evidentiary hearings, proceedings on motions or other applications which are conducted as public hearings and the record, including the transcript and documents marked in evidence, are available for public inspection, upon request.

Pursuant to 45 CFR Subtitle A 60.8, the Board is obligated to report to the National Practitioners Data Bank any action relating to a physician which is based on reasons relating to professional competence or professional conduct:

- (1) Which revokes or suspends (or otherwise restricts) a license,
- (2) Which censures, reprimands or places on probation,
- (3) Under which a license is surrendered.

Pursuant to 45 CFR Section 61.7, the Board is obligated to report to the Healthcare Integrity and Protection (HIP) Data Bank, any formal or official actions, such as revocation or suspension of a license (and the length of any such suspension), reprimand, censure or probation or any other loss of license or the right to apply for, or renew, a license of the provider, supplier, or practitioner, whether by operation of law, voluntary surrender, non-renewability, or otherwise, or any other negative action or finding by such Federal or State agency that is publicly available information.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:9-19.13, if the Board refuses to issue, suspends, revokes or otherwise places conditions on a license or permit, it is obligated to notify each licensed health care facility and health maintenance organization with which a licensee is affiliated and every other board licensee in this state with whom he or she is directly associated in private medical practice.

In accordance with an agreement with the Federation of State Medical Boards of the United States, a list of all disciplinary orders are provided to that organization on a monthly basis.

Within the month following entry of an order, a summary of the order will appear on the public agenda for the next monthly Board meeting and is forwarded to those members of the public requesting a copy. In addition, the same summary will appear in the minutes of that Board meeting, which are also made available to those requesting a copy.

Within the month following entry of an order, a summary of the order will appear in a Monthly Disciplinary Action Listing which is made available to those members of the public requesting a copy.

On a periodic basis the Board disseminates to its licensees a newsletter which includes a brief description of all of the orders entered by the Board.

From time to time, the Press Office of the Division of Consumer Affairs may issue releases including the summaries of the content of public orders.

Nothing herein is intended in any way to limit the Board, the Division or the Attorney General from disclosing any public document.