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

IN THE MATTER OF

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: Administrative Action
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Michael P. Valerio D.M.D.
License No.22DI01156600

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: CONSENT ORDER
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LICENSED TO PRACTICE AS A DENTIST
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board") upon receipt of information that Dr. Michael P. Valerio, D.M.D. ("Respondent"), pleaded guilty and was adjudged guilty of Bribery of a Public Official, in violation of 18 USC 201(b)(1)(A)(B) and (C), on November 15, 2001. Respondent was placed on probation for 5 years, and confined to home monitoring for 12 months except while at his place of employment. Additionally, Respondent was to perform 800 hours of community service for each year of supervision, and pay a penalty of \$100.00.

Respondent acknowledges his involvement in the bribery of a public official, in that he knowingly and corruptly, offered a thing of value to an IRS Revenue Officer, intending to illegally reduce his tax liability; aided in committing a fraud on the United States in filing fraudulent tax documents; and induced a public official to act in violation of his lawful duty. Respondent has successfully completed all terms of his probation and is remorseful.

The Board hereby finds that Respondent's conduct constitutes dishonesty and professional misconduct in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b), (e) and (f). The parties having agreed to the resolution of this matter without further formal proceedings, having waived any right to a hearing in this matter; and for good cause shown;

IT IS THEREFORE on this ^{8th} day of August, 2012,
ORDERED and AGREED:

1. Respondent is hereby reprimanded for the conduct underlying his conviction for bribery of a public official pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 201(b) (1) (A) (B) and (C).

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY
By: Herbert B. Dolinsky D.D.S.
Herbert B. Dolinsky, D.D.S.
Board President

I have read and understand this Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. I consent to the entry of this Order.

Michael P. Valerio DMD

Michael P. Valerio, D.M.D.

Date: 7/30/12

I consent to the form and entry of this Order.

Howard B. Brownstein

Howard B. Brownstein, Esq.

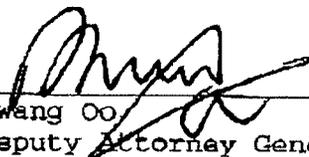
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Sincerely yours,

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Encl.
c. Jonathan Eisenmenger, Executive Director