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March 1, 2013

Arvinder Singh, Physician

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Re: Application for Restoration

Dear Dr. Singh:

Enclosed please find the Commissioner's Order regarding Case No CP-11-03, which is in reference to the restoration of license number 163625. This order and any decision contained therein goes into effect five (5) days after the date of this letter.

Very truly yours,

LOUIS J. CATONE, Director Office of Professional Discipline

By: REDACTED

ARIANA MILLER Supervisor

DD/AM/nbm Enclosure

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IN THE MATTER

of the

Application of ARVINDER SINGH for restoration of his license to practice as a physician in the State of New York.

Case No. CP-11-03

It appearing that the license of ARVINDER SINGH, authorizing him to practice as a physician in the State of New York, was revoked by Order of the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct dated November 24, 2003, and he having petitioned the Board of Regents for restoration of said license, and the Regents having given consideration to said petition and having agreed with and accepted the recommendations of the Peer Committee and the Committee on the Professions, except having adopted the Terms of Probation of the Board of Regents, now, pursuant to action taken by the Board of Regents on October 9, 2012, it is hereby

ORDERED that the petition for restoration of License No. 163625, authorizing ARVINDER SINGH to practice as a physician in the State of New York, is denied, but that the execution of the Order of revocation of said license is stayed, and said ARVINDER SINGH is placed on probation for a period of three years under specified terms and conditions, and upon

successful completion of the probationary period, his license to practice as a physician in the State of New York shall be fully restored.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, John B. King, Jr., Commissioner of Education of the State of New York for and on behalf of the State Education Department, do hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the State Education Department, at the City of Albany, this standard of former 2013.

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Commissioner of Education

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ATTACHMENT "1"

TERMS OF PROBATION Of THE BOARD OF REGENTS

ARVINDER SINGH

- That applicant, during the period of probation, shall be in compliance with the standards of conduct prescribed by the law governing applicant's profession;
- That applicant shall submit written notification to the Director. Office of Professional Medical Conduct (OPMC), Riverview Center, 150 Broadway, Albany NY 12204-2719 of any employment and/or practice, applicant's residence, telephone number, and mailing address and of any change in applicant's employment, practice, residence, telephone number, and mailing address within or without the State of New York:
- 3. That applicant shall submit written proof from the Division of Professional Licensing Services (DPLS), New York State Education Department (NYSED) that applicant has paid all registration fees due and owing to the NYSED and applicant shall cooperate with and submit whatever papers are requested by DPLS in regard to said registration fees, said proof from DPLS to be submitted by applicant to the Department of Health (DOH), addressed to the Director, OPMC, as aforesaid, no later than the first three months of the period of probation;
- 4. That applicant shall submit written proof to the DOH, addressed to the Director, OPMC, as aforesaid, that 1) applicant is currently registered with the NYSED, unless applicant submits written proof that applicant has advised DPLS, NYSED, that applicant is not engaging in the practice of applicant's profession in the State of New York and does not desire to register, and that 2) applicant has paid any fines which may have previously been imposed upon applicant by the Board of Regents or pursuant to section 230-a of the Public Health Law, said proof of the period of probation;
- 5. That applicant shall make quarterly visits to an employee of the OPMC, DOH, unless otherwise agreed to by said employee, for the purpose of said employee monitoring applicant's terms of probation to assure compliance therewith, and applicant shall cooperate with said employee, including the submission of information requested by said employee, regarding the aforesaid monitoring;
- That applicant shall make available for review by a third party monitor any and all office billing and accounts records, as directed by OPMC. Such monitor shall be proposed by the applicant and approved, in writing, by the

Director, OPMC. Applicant shall fully cooperate in the review process. The review will determine whether the applicant's medical billing and related documentation practices are conducted in a manner that complies with all federal, state, and local statutes and regulations regarding billing for medical services and is accurate, under all circumstances, as to services rendered and the clinical bases for those services. The applicant shall also maintain a log for each patient of all controlled substances prescribed to that patient in a form approved by OPMC and shall make the log available to the monitor at each visit by the monitor to applicant's practice. Upon request, the applicant shall make the log available to OPMC.

- a. The applicant shall be solely responsible for all expenses associated with the monitoring, including fees, if any, to the monitor.
- The applicant shall cause the monitor to report quarterly, in writing, to the Director of OPMC.
- c. Any perceived deviation from proper billing practices or dispensation of controlled substances, or refusal to cooperate with the monitor, shall be reported within 24 hours to OPMC.
- 7. That the period of probation shall be tolled during periods in which the applicant is not engaged in the active practice of medicine in New York State. The applicant shall notify the Director of OPMC, as aforesaid, in writing, if the applicant is not currently engaged in or intends to leave the active practice of medicine in New York State for a period of thirty (30) consecutive days or more. The applicant shall then notify the Director again prior to any change in that status. The period of probation shall resume and any terms of probation which were not fulfilled shall be fulfilled upon the applicant's return to practice in New York State; and
- That upon receipt of evidence of noncompliance with or any other violation of any of the aforementioned terms of probation, the OPMC may initiate a violation of probation proceeding.