



*New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct*

433 River Street, Suite 303 Troy, New York 12180-2299 • (518) 402-0863

Antonia C. Novello, M.D., M.P.H.

*Commissioner*

*NYS Department of Health*

Dennis P. Whalen

*Executive Deputy Commissioner*

*NYS Department of Health*

Anne F. Saille, Director

*Office of Professional Medical Conduct*

William P. Dillon, M.D.

*Chair*

Denise M. Bolan, R.P.A.

*Vice Chair*

Ansel R. Marks, M.D., J.D.

*Executive Secretary*

**PUBLIC**  
April 25, 2000

**CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

*Fischer*

Peter B. Fisher, M.D.

Inmate #K89442

CMC West

PO Box 8103

San Luis Obispo, CA 93409-2101

RE: License No. 101976

Dear Dr. Fisher:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 00-120 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect **April 25, 2000.**

If the penalty imposed by the Order is a surrender, revocation or suspension of this license, you are required to deliver to the Board the license and registration within five (5) days of receipt of the Order to Board for Professional Medical Conduct, New York State Department of Health, Hedley Park Place, Suite 303, 433 River Street, Troy, New York 12180.

Sincerely,

Ansel R. Marks, M.D., J.D.

Executive Secretary

Board for Professional Medical Conduct

Enclosure

cc: George L. Baugh, Esq.  
The DeSales Law Building  
2201 East Chapman Avenue  
Fullerton, CA 92831

Robert Bogan, Esq.

STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

**IN THE MATTER  
OF  
PETER BRUCE FISCHER, M.D.**

**SURRENDER  
ORDER**  
BPMC #00-120

**PETER BRUCE FISCHER, M.D., says:**

On or about August 8, 1968, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 101976 by the New York State Education Department.

I am not currently registered with the New York State Education Department to practice as a physician in the State of New York.

I understand that the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct has charged me with two (2) specifications of professional misconduct as set forth in the Statement of Charges, annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "A."

I am applying to the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct for an agreement to allow me to surrender my license as a physician in the State of New York and request that the Board issue this Surrender Order.

I hereby agree not to contest the two (2) specifications set forth in the Statement of Charges (Exhibit A).

I understand that, in the event that this proposed agreement is not granted by the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct, nothing contained herein shall be binding upon me or construed to be an admission of any act of misconduct alleged or charged against me, such proposed agreement shall not be used against me in any way, and shall be kept in strict confidence during the pendency of the professional misconduct disciplinary proceeding; and such denial by the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct shall be made without prejudice to the continuance of any disciplinary proceeding and the final determination by a Committee on Professional Medical Conduct pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Law.

I agree that, in the event the Board grants my Application, as set forth herein, an order of the Chairperson of the Board shall be issued in accordance with same. I agree that such order shall be effective as of the date of the personal service of this order upon me, upon mailing of this order to me at the address set forth in this agreement or to my attorney by certified mail, or upon transmission via facsimile to me or my attorney, whichever is earliest.

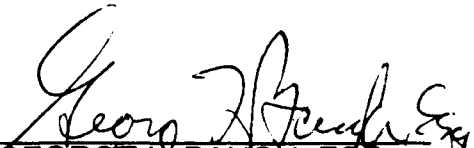
I am making this agreement of my own free will and accord and not under duress, compulsion, or restraint of any kind or manner.

Date: March 3, 2000

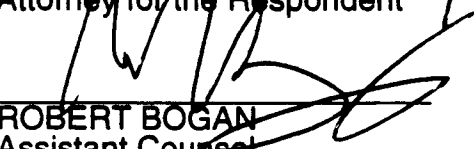
  
\_\_\_\_\_  
PETER BRUCE FISCHER, M.D.  
Respondent

AGREED TO:


Date: March 10, 2000

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
GEORGE L. BAUGH, ESQ.  
Attorney for the Respondent

Date: 4 April, 2000

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
ROBERT BOGAN  
Assistant Counsel  
Bureau of Professional  
Medical Conduct

Date: April 17, 2000

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
ANNE F. SAILE  
Director, Office of  
Professional Medical Conduct

ORDER

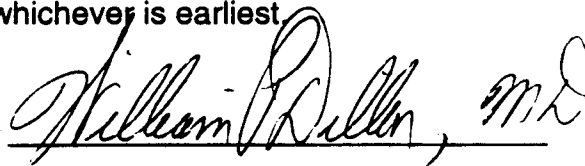
Upon the proposed agreement of PETER BRUCE FISCHER, M.D., to Surrender his license as a physician in the State of New York, which proposed agreement is made a part hereof, it is AGREED TO and

ORDERED, that the proposed agreement and the provisions thereof are hereby adopted; it is further

ORDERED, that the name of Respondent be stricken from the roster of physicians in the State of New York; it is further

ORDERED, that this Order shall be effective upon issuance by the Board, which may be accomplished by mailing, by first class mail, a copy to Respondent's attorney at the addresses set forth in this agreement, or upon transmission via facsimile to Respondent or Respondent's attorney, whichever is earliest

DATED: 4/18/00



WILLIAM P. DILLON, M.D.  
Chair  
State Board for Professional  
Medical Conduct

STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

-----X

IN THE MATTER	STATEMENT
OF	OF
PETER BRUCE FISCHER, M.D.	CHARGES

-----X

PETER BRUCE FISCHER, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on August 8, 1968, by the issuance of license number 101976 by the New York State Education Department.

**FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS**

A. On or about June 10, 1998, the Division of Medical Quality; Medical Board of Department of Consumer Affairs, (hereinafter "California Board"), by a Decision and Order (hereinafter "California Order"), accepted the surrender of Respondent's license to practice medicine, based on his conviction of a crime, commission of sexual misconduct with a patient, gross negligence, and other corrupt acts.

B. The conduct resulting in the California Board's disciplinary action against Respondent would constitute misconduct under the laws of New York state, pursuant to the following sections of New York state law:

1. New York Education Law §6530(3) (negligence on more than one occasion);
2. New York Education Law §6530(4) (gross negligence);

3. New York Education Law §6530(5) (incompetence on more than one occasion);

4. New York Education Law §6530(16) (failure to comply with substantial provisions of federal, state, or local laws, rules, or regulations governing the practice of medicine); and/or

5. New York Education Law §6530(20) (moral unfitness).

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

#### **FIRST SPECIFICATION**

Respondent is charged with professional misconduct by reason of having violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(b) by having been found guilty of improper professional practice or professional misconduct by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state where the conduct upon which the finding was based would, if committed in New York state, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of New York state, in that the Petitioner charges

1. The facts in paragraphs A and/or B.

#### **SECOND SPECIFICATION**

Respondent violated New York State Education Law §6530(9)(d) by reason of having surrendered her license to practice medicine or having had disciplinary action taken after a disciplinary action instituted by a duly authorized professional disciplinary

agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the surrender or other disciplinary action would, if committed in New York state, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of New York state, in that Petitioner charges:

2. The facts in paragraphs A and/or B.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_, 2000  
Albany, New York

\_\_\_\_\_  
PETER D. VAN BUREN  
Deputy Counsel  
Bureau of Professional  
Medical Conduct