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February 18, 2004

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Arturo A. Pidlaoan, M.D. 7811 Wise Avenue Baltimore, MD 21222

Re: License No. 113694

Dear Dr. Pidlaoan:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 04-32 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect February 25, 2004.

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 the Board for Professional Medical Conduct, New York State Department of Health, Hedley Park Place, Suite 303, 433 River Street, Troy, New York 12180.

Sincerely,

Executive Secretary

Board for Professional Medical Conduct

Enclosure

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

IN THE MATTER

SURRENDER

ORDER

OF

ARTURO A. PIDLAOAN, M.D. CO-03-12-5780-A

BPMC No. 04-32

ARTURO A. PIDLAOAN, M.D., says:

On or about August 1, 1972, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 113694 by the New York State Education Department. My current address is 7811 Wise Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21222.

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 upon issuance by the Board, which may be accomplished by mailing, by first class mail, a copy of the Order to me at the address set forth above or to my attorney or upon transmission via facsimile to me or my attorney, whichever is first.

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

Respondent

AGREED TO:

ROBERT/BOGAN Associate Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

Date: 12 + 10114 ,2004

DENNIS J. GRAZIANO Director Office of Professional **Medical Conduct**

STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT	
IN THE MATTER	STATEMENT
OF	OF
ARTURO A. PIDLAOAN, M.D. CO-03-12-5780-A	CHARGES

ARTURO A. PIDLAOAN, M.D., Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on August 1, 1972, by the issuance of license number 113694 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- A. On or about May 28, 2003, the Maryland State Board of Physician Quality
 Assurance (hereinafter "Maryland Board"), by an Order for Summary Suspension of License to
 Practice Medicine (hereinafter "Maryland Order I"), SUMMARILY SUSPENDED Respondent's
 license to practice medicine, based upon selling, prescribing, giving away or administering
 drugs for illegal or illegitimate medical purposes and failure to keep adequate medical records.
- B. On or about July 23, 2003, the Maryland Board, by a Consent Order (hereinafter "Maryland Order II"), inter alia SUSPENDED Respondent's license to practice medicine for three (3) years with all but six (6) months stayed, and placed him on three (3) years probation with terms and conditions once the suspension is lifted, based upon failure to meet appropriate standards for the delivery of quality medical and surgical care in an outpatient facility, office, hospital or other location; selling prescribing, giving away or administering drugs for illegal or illegitimate medical purposes; and failure to keep adequate medical records.
- C. The conduct resulting in the Maryland Board disciplinary actions Respondent would constitute misconduct under the laws of New York State, pursuant to the following sections of New 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(6) (gross incompetence);
- 5. New York Education Law §6530(20) (moral unfitness); and/or
- 6. New York Education Law §6530(32) (failure to maintain a record for each patient which accurately reflects the evaluation and treatment of the patient).

SPECIFICATIONS FIRST SPECIFICATION

Respondent 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 Petitioner charges:

1. The facts in Paragraphs A, B, and/or C.

SECOND SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(d) by having his license to practice medicine suspended or having other disciplinary action taken by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the suspension 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, B, and/or C.

ATED:/// / , 2004

Albany, New York

BRIAN M. MURPH)

Chief Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

ORDER

Upon the proposed agreement of **ARTURO A. PIDLAOAN, 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 the 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 at the addresses set forth in this agreement or to Respondent's attorney or upon transmission via facsimile to Respondent or Respondent's attorney, whichever is earliest.

DATED: 2/16 _____,2004

MICHAEL A. GONZALEZ R.P.A.

Vice Chair

State Board for Professional Medical Conduct