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July 23, 2002

## **CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Joseph Wynn Wesley, M.D. 246 North Franklin Turnpike Ramsey, NJ 07446

RE: License No. 134157

Dear Dr. Wesley:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 02-225 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect July 23, 2002.

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

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

## IN THE MATTER

OF

SURRENDER

ORDER

OPMC INVESTIGATIONS

JOSEPH WYNN WESLEY, M.D. CO-02-05-2425-A BPMC No. 02-225

#### JOSEPH WYNN WESLEY, M.D., says:

On or about April 7, 1978, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 134157 by the New York State Education Department. I currently reside at 246 North Franklin Turnpike, Ramsey, NJ 07446.

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

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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.

OPIC INVESTIGATIONS

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 tacelmile to me or my afformey, 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 or manner.

Respondent

AGREED TO:

ROBERT BOGAN

Associate Counsel Bureau of Protessional (Medica) Conduct

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

OF

## JOSEPH WYNN WESLEY, M.D. CO-02-05-2425-A

STATEMENT

CHARGES

**JOSEPH WYNN WESLEY, M.D.,** the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on April 7, 1978, by the issuance of license number 134157 by the New York State Education Department.

## FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

A. On or about February 13, 2002, the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners (hereinafter "New Jersey Board"), by a Final Decision and Order (hereinafter "New Jersey Order"), revoked Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery, prohibited him from applying for reinstatement for two (2) years, and assessed a \$5,000.00 penalty, based on failure to register for two (2) years, prescribing drugs requiring a DEA without a valid DEA license, and failure to respond candidly while under oath to questions on his registration application.

B. The conduct resulting in the New Jersey Board 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(2) (practicing the profession fraudulently);

2. New York Education Law §6530(12) (practicing the profession while the license is inactive or willfully failing to register); and/or

3. New York Education Law §6530(16) (failure to comply with federal, state, or local laws, rules, or regulations governing the practice of medicine).

# 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 and/or B.

### SECOND SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(d) by having had his license to practice medicine revoked or having other disciplinary action taken by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the revocation or other disciplinary action would, if committed in New York state, constitute professional misconduct under the laws New York state, in that Petitioner charges:

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

DATED: July 8, 2002 Albany, New York

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

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ORDER

OPMC INVESTIGATIONS

Upon the proposed agreement of **JOSEPH WYNN WESLEY**, **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: 2002

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