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February 7, 2002

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Louis R. Keilson, M.D. 1240 Anastasia Avenue Coral Gables, FL 33134

RE: License No. 137562

Dear Dr. Keilson:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 02-46 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect February 7, 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

cc:

Gregory A Charles, Esq. Webster and Partners, P.L.

P.O. Box 2310

1936 Lee Road, Suite 101 Winter Park, FL 32790-2310 STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

IN THE MATTER

SURRENDER

ORDER

BPMC No. 02-46

OF

LOUIS R. KEILSON, M.D. CO-01-05-2463-A

LOUIS R. KEILSON, M.D., says:

On or about March 30, 1979, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 137562 by the New York State Education Department. I currently reside at 1240 Anastasia Avenue, Coral Gables, FL 33134.

I am not currently registered with the New York State Education Department to practice as a physician in the State of New York, nor have I been since 1980.

I understand that the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct has charged me with one (1) specification of professional misconduct as set forth in the Statement of Charges, annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "A."

I have not practiced medicine in the state of New York since 1980 and nor do I intend to practice medicine in the state of New York in the future. I, therefore, 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 one (1) specification 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 01/07/2002 MON 11:28 FAX 5184020145

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 Chaliperson 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 factimile 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.

AGREED TO:

LOUIS R. KEILSON, M.D.

Respondent

GREGORY A. CHAIRES, Esq. Attorney for Respondent

ROBERTIBOGÁN Associate Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical

Conduct

DENNIS J. GRAZIANO Director, Office of Professional Medical Conduct

ORDER

Upon the proposed agreement of **LOUIS R. KEILSON**, **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.

WILLIAM P. DIĹLON, M.D.

Chair

State Board for Professional Medical Conduct

STATE OF NEW YORK

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

IN THE MATTER

STATEMENT

OF

OF

LOUIS R. KEILSON, M.D. CO-01-05-2463-A

CHARGES

LOUIS R. KEILSON, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on March 30, 1979, by the issuance of license number 137562 by the New York State Education Department. He has not practiced medicine in New York state since 1980, nor has he paid any license renewal fees since that time.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- A. On or about February 23, 2001, the State of Florida, Board of Medicine (hereinafter "Florida Board"), by a Final Order (hereinafter "Florida Order"), accepted a Consent Agreement wherein it reprimanded Respondent, fined him \$5,000.00, required him to pay \$3,139.53 in costs and required him to complete 5 hours of CME in the area of medical ethics, based on an allegation of dissemination of an advertisement or advertising which was false, deceptive, or misleading. Dr. Keilson neither admitted nor denied the charges alleged by the Florida Board of Medicine. There was no finding by the Florida Board of Medicine that Dr. Kielson was in violation of applicable Florida law.
- B. The alleged conduct resulting in the Florida 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(16) (failure to comply with federal, state, or local laws, rules, or regulations); and/or
- 2. New York Education Law §6530(27) (advertising or soliciting for patronage that is not in the public interest).

SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(d) by reason of having had disciplinary action taken after a disciplinary action was instituted by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the disciplinary action would constitute professional misconduct under the laws New York state, in that Petitioner charges:

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

DATED: January 11, 2002 Albany, New York PETER D. VAN BUREN

Deputy Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct