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July 14, 2006

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Marianne Ligeti, M.D. P.O. Box 11391 McLean, VA 22102

Re: License No. 140535

Dear Dr. Ligeti:

Enclosed is a copy of Order #BPMC 06-163 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect July 21, 2006.

If the penalty imposed by this Order is a surrender, revocation or suspension, you are required to deliver your license and registration within five (5) days of receipt of this 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,

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

Executive Secretary

Board for Professional Medical Conduct

Enclosure

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT	
IN THE MATTER	CONSENT
OF	ORDER
MARIANNE E. LIGETI, M.D.	BPMC No. #06-163

Upon the application of **MARIANNE E. LIGETI, M.D.**, (Respondent) in the attached Consent Agreement and Order, which is made a part of this Consent Order, it is

ORDERED, that the Consent Agreement, and its terms, are adopted and it is further

ORDERED, that this Order shall be effective upon issuance by the Board, either by mailing of a copy of this Consent Order, either by first class mail to Respondent at the address in the attached Consent Agreement or by certified mail to Respondent's attorney, OR upon facsimile transmission to Respondent or Respondent's attorney, whichever is first.

SO ORDERED.

DATED: 7-14-06

KENDRICK A. SEARS, 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

CONSENT

OF

AGREEMENT

MARIANNE LIGETI, M.D. CO-06-01-0333-A

AND ORDER

MARIANNE LIGETI, M.D., (Respondent) being duly sworn deposes and says:

That on or about October 26, 1979, I was licensed to practice as a physician in the State of New York, having been issued License No. 140535 by the New York State Education Department.

My current address is P.O. Box 11391, McLean, VA 22102.

I understand that the New York State Board of Professional Medical Conduct has charged me with two (2) Specifications of professional misconduct, based solely upon the Commonwealth of Virginia, Board of Medicine, September 23, 2005, Order.

A copy of the Statement of Charges is annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "A."

The State of New York has agreed to resolve this matter with a \$1,000.00 fine. As I have not practiced medicine in the State of New York other than as a Resident and as I do not intend to return to practice medicine in the State of New York, I do not contest the Factual Allegations and the Second Specification, in full satisfaction of the charges against me, and agree, hereby, to the following penalty:

I shall never activate my registration to practice medicine in New York state or seek to reapply for a license to practice medicine in New York State.

I further agree that the Consent Order for which I, hereby, apply shall impose the following conditions:

That Respondent shall fully cooperate in every respect with the Office of Professional Medical Conduct (OPMC) in its administration and enforcement of this Order and in its investigation of all matters regarding Respondent. Respondent shall respond in a timely manner to each and every request by OPMC to provide written periodic verification of Respondent's compliance with the terms of this Order. Respondent shall meet with a person designated by the Director of OPMC as directed. Respondent shall respond promptly and provide any and all documents and information within Respondent's control upon the direction of OPMC. This condition shall be in effect beginning upon the effective date of the Consent Order and will continue while the licensee possesses his/her license.

I, hereby, stipulate that any failure by me to comply with such conditions shall constitute misconduct as defined by New York State Education Law §6530(29).

I agree that in the event that I am charged with professional misconduct in the future, the agreement and order shall be admitted into evidence in that proceeding.

I, hereby, make this Application to the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct (the Board) and request that it be granted.

I understand that, in the event that this Application is not granted by the Board, 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 Application 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 Board shall be made without prejudice to the continuance of any disciplinary proceeding and the final determination by the Board pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Law.

I stipulate that the proposed sanction and Order are authorized by Public Health Law Sections 230 and 230-a and that the Board for Professional Medical Conduct and the Office of Professional Medical Conduct have the requisite powers to carry out all included terms. I ask the Board to adopt this Consent Agreement of my own free will and not under duress, compulsion or restraint. In consideration of the value to me of the Board's adoption of this Consent Agreement, allowing me to resolve this matter without the various risks and burdens of a hearing on the merits, I knowingly waive my right to contest the Consent Order for which I apply, whether administratively or judicially, I agree to be bound by the Consent Order, and ask that the Board adopt this Consent Agreement.

AFFIRMED:

DATED: 8 July 2006

MARIANNE E. LIGETI, M.D.

Respondent

The undersigned agree to Respondent's attached Consent Agreement and to its proposed penalty, terms and conditions thereof.

DATE.

ROBERT SOGAN

Associate Counsel

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DATE: 13 101 2004

DENMS J. GRAZIANO

Director

Office of Professional Medical Conduct

STATE OF NEW YORK	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSION	IAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

IN THE MATTER

STATEMENT

OF

OF

MARIANNE B. LIGETI, M.D. CO-06-01-0333-A

CHARGES

MARIANNE B. LIGETI, M.D., Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on October 26, 1979, by the issuance of license number 140535 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- A. On or about September 23, 2005, the Commonwealth of Virginia, Board of Medicine (hereinafter "Virginia Board"), by an Order (hereinafter "Virginia Order"), imposed a \$2,500.00 MONETARY PENALTY on Respondent, based on failing to provide information required to the Practitioner Profile System and failure to provide information to the Virginia Board within thirty (30) days.
- B. The conduct resulting in the Virginia 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(21) (failing to file a report required by law or by the department of health or the education department); and/or
- 2. New York Education Law §6530(28) (failing to respond within thirty days to written communications from the department of health).

SPECIFICATIONS FIRST SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York State Education Law §6530(9)(b) 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 New York state, in that Petitioner charges:

The facts in Paragraphs A and/or B.

SECOND SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York State Education Law §6530(9)(d) by having disciplinary action taken by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the 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: May 24, 2006 Albany, New York

PETER D. VAN BUREN

Deputy Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct