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June 21, 2004

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ranendra Chatterjee, M.D.
8F Beals Cove Road
Hingham, MA 02043

Re: License No. 153755

Dear Dr. Chatterjee:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 04-131 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect June 28, 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,

Ansel R. Marks, M.D., J.D.
Executive Secretary
Board for Professional Medical Conduct

Enclosure

cc: Jonathan D. Plaut, Esq.
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NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONALMEDICAL CONDUCT

**IN THE MATTER
OF
RANENDRA N. CHATTERJEE, M.D.
CO-04-01-0128-A**

**CONSENT AGREEMENT
AND ORDER**

BPMC No. 04-131

RANENDRA N. CHATTERJEE, M.D., states:

That on or about April 8, 1983, I was licensed to practice as a physician in the State of New York, having been issued License No. 153755 by the New York State Education Department.

My current address is 8F Beals Cove Road, Hingham, MA 02043, and I will advise the Director of the Office of Professional Medical Conduct of any change of my address.

I understand that the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct has charged me with one (1) specification of professional misconduct.

A copy of the Statement of Charges, based solely on the actions taken by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, is annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit A.

I agree not to contest the one (1) Specifications, in full satisfaction of the charges against me. I agree, hereby, to the following penalty:

Five (5) years suspension of my New York state license, one (1) year actual, four (4) years stayed.

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

That, except during periods of actual suspension, I shall maintain current registration of my license with the New York State Education Department Division of Professional Licensing Services, and pay all registration fees. This condition shall be in effect beginning thirty days after the effective date of the Consent Order and will continue while Respondent possesses his license; and

That I 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. I 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. I shall meet with a person designated by the Director of OPMC as directed. I shall respond promptly and provide any and all documents and information within my 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 I possess my 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 I am charged with professional misconduct in the future, this 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 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 upon issuance by the Board, which may be accomplished by mailing, by first class mail, a copy of the Consent Order to me at the address set forth in this agreement, or to my attorney, or upon transmission via facsimile to me or my attorney, whichever is earliest.

I am making this application of my own free will and accord and not under duress, compulsion or restraint of any kind or manner. In consideration of the value to me of the acceptance by the Board of this application, allowing me to resolve this matter without the various risks and burdens of a hearing on the merits, I knowingly waive any right I may have to contest the Consent Order for which I hereby apply, whether administratively or judicially, and ask that the application be granted.


AFFIRMED

DATED May 20th 2004


RAMENDRA N. CHATTERJEE, M.D.
Respondent

The undersigned agree to the attached application of the Respondent and to the proposed penalty based on the terms and conditions thereof.

DATE: 5/28/04


JONATHAN D. PLAUT
Attorney for Respondent

DATE: June 04


ROBERT BOGAN
Associate Counsel
Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

DATE: 15 June 04


DENNIS J. GRAZIANO
Director
Office of Professional Medical Conduct

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

IN THE MATTER
OF **CONSENT ORDER**
RANENDRA N. CHATTERJEE, M.D.


Upon the proposed agreement of **RANENDRA N. CHATTERJEE, M.D.** (Respondent) for Consent Order, which application is made a part hereof, it is agreed to and

ORDERED, that the application and the provisions thereof are hereby adopted; and 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 of the Consent Order to Respondent at the address set forth in this agreement or to Respondent's attorney by certified mail, or upon transmission via facsimile to Respondent or Respondent's attorney, whichever is earliest.

SO ORDERED.

DATED: 6/19/04



MICHAEL A. GONZALEZ, R.P.A.
Vice Chair
State Board for Professional
Medical Conduct

IN THE MATTER
OF
RANENDRA N. CHATTERJEE, M.D.
CO-04-01-0128-A

STATEMENT
OF
CHARGES

RANENDRA N. CHATTERJEE, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on April 8, 1983, by the issuance of license number 153755 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

A. On or about June 23, 2003, in the United States District Court, District of Massachusetts, Respondent was found guilty, based on a plea of guilty, of Healthcare Fraud, in violation of 8 USC§ 1347, a felony, and was sentenced to forty-eight (48) months probation, the first twelve (12) months in home detention, with electronic monitoring and to pay \$3.49 for each day under electronic monitoring, and to pay \$232,000.00 restitution, a \$10,000.00 fine, and a \$100.00 assessment.

SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(a)(ii) by having been convicted of committing an act constituting a crime under federal law, in that Petitioner charges:

1. The facts in Paragraph A.

DATED: *April 12*, 2004
Albany, New York


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