

## New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct

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June 15, 2004

### CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Laurie Leigh Hill, M.D. P.O. Box 537 North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Re: License No. 209333

Dear Dr. Hill:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 04-124 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect June 22, 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: Amy C. Martoche, Esq

Connors & Vilardo, LLP 1020 Liberty Building

420 Main Street Buffalo, NY 14202 STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

IN THE MATTER

SURRENDER

OF

ORDER

# LAURIE LEIGH HILL, M.D. CO-04-05-2448-A

BPMC #04-124

LAURIE LEIGH HILL, M.D., says:

On or about January 15, 1998, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 209333 by the New York State Education Department. I currently reside at P.O. Box 537, North Tonawanda, NY 14120.

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 one (1) specification 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 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 confidence, 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.

Date: 4 06 Nov2004

AGREED TO:

LAURIE LEIGH HILL, M.C Responden

Date: <u>Ine 7,</u>,2004

AMY MARTOCHE
Attorney for Respondent

Date: 09 \ \ \ 2004

Associate Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

Date: 09 ,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

LAURIE LEIGH HILL, M.D. CO-04-05-2448-A

**CHARGES** 

**LAURIE LEIGH HILL, M.D.**, the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on January 15, 1998, by the issuance of license number 209333 by the New York State Education Department.

### **FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS**

A. On May 11, 2004, in the United States District Court, Western District of New York, Respondent, entered into a Plea Agreement and plead guilty to False Statements Relating to Health Care Matters, in violation of 18 U.S.C. §1035(a)(2), and as part of that agreement was required to surrender his license to practice medicine in New York state within one (1) week of entering into the Plea Agreement.

#### **SPECIFICATION**

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

1. The facts in paragraph A.

DATED: June 4, 2004

Deputy Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

ORDER

Upon the proposed agreement of LAURIE LEIGH HILL, 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: 14 June, 2004

Vice Chair

State Board for Professional

Medical Conduct