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November 1, 1999

Mr. Robert Bentley, Director Division of Professional Licensing Services NYS Education Department Cultural Education Center Albany, New York 12230

RE: License No. 097500

Dear Mr. Bentley:

Please be advised the Appellate Division, Third Department has granted Moshe Hachamovitch, M.D. a stay of Determination and Order No. BPMC #99-261 effective October 26, 1999. A copy of the court's decision is attached.

Sincerely,

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

Enclosure

cc: Daniel Kelleher

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK APPELLATE DIVISION, THIRD DEPARTMENT

In the Matter of the Application — of —

MOSHE HACHAMOVITCH, M.D.

Petitioner,

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— against —

THE STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT, a board under the auspices of the New York State Department of Health,

Respondent.

for a judgment pursuant to CPLR Article 78.

Upon the annexed petition of MOSHE HACHAMOVITCH, M.D., verified on the 25^{x} day of October, 1999, the annexed affirmation of ANTHONY Z. SCHER, ESQ., affirmed on the 25^{th} day of October, 1999, Decision and Order No. BPMC 99-261 dated October 14, 1999, and upon all of the papers and proceedings previously had herein,

Let Respondent or its attorneys show cause before the Supreme Court, Appellate Division, Third Department, Justice Building, Albany, New York, on the 15^{10} day of Northeles, 1999 at 10:00 A.M. why a Judgment and Order should not be entered pursuant to Article 78 of the CPLR and section 230-c(5) of the Public Health Law;

(a) staying the Determination and Order of the Hearing Committee of respondent, The State Board for Professional Medical Conduct, No. BPMC 99-261 pending the hearing and

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resolution of this Article 78 proceeding;

(b) staying respondent and its officers, agents, employees and representatives from enforcing or disclosing Determination and Order No. BPMC 99-261 and the report upon which said order is based pending the hearing and determination of this proceeding:

(c) vacating and annulling Determination and Order No. BPMC 99-261 issued by respondent, The State Board for Professional Medical Conduct, on the ground that said order is violative of petitioner's right to due process, arbitrary and capricious, erroneous as a matter of law, and unsupported by substantial evidence and imposes a penalty that is shocking to the conscience when the severity of the penalty is compared to the gravity of the alleged misconduct;

(d) granting such other and further relief which the Court deems just and proper, together with the costs and disbursements of this proceeding:

and it is further,

ORDERED, that the Determination and Order of the hearing committee of respondent, The State Board for Professional Medical Conduct, No. BPMC 99-261 is hereby stayed only to the Extent that the SusPENSion is Stayed, Subtect to pending the determination of the within motion brought on by this Order to Show Cause; and it is

further

ORDERED, that the motion brought on by this Order to Show Cause shall not be orally argued unless counsel are notified to the contrary by the Clerk of the Court.

Sufficient cause appearing therefore, service by personal service or by overnight mail

upon the respondent by serving the Division of Legal Affairs, Department of Health, Corning Tower, A Copy (with Copy to MR, Folicy's OFFICE) Albany, and upon Eliot Spitzer, Attorney General of the State of New York, 120 Broadway, New

York, Ny of this Order and the papers annexed hereto on or before

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1999 shall be deemed sufficient.

26 Dated: October 79, 1999

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