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October 7, 2002

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Glade Brian Curtis, M.D. 1667 Havenglen Lane Salt Lake City, UT 84121

RE: License No. 142484

Dear Dr. Curtis:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 02-312 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect October 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:

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

IN THE MATTER

OF

SURRENDER

ORDER

BPMC No. 02-312

GLADE BRIAN CURTIS, M.D. CO-02-07-3557-A

GLADE BRIAN CURTIS, M.D., says:

On or about July 1, 1980, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 142484 by the New York State Education Department. I currently reside at 1667 Havenglen Lane, Salt Lake City, UT 84121.

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 three (3) specifications of professional misconduct 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 three (3) specifications 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 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 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.

AGREED TO:

Respondent

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Conduct

D**ENNIS** 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

GLADE BRIAN CURTIS, M.D. CO-02-07-3557-A

CHARGES

GLADE BRIAN CURTIS, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on July 1, 1980, by the issuance of license number 142484 by the New York State Education Department.

FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- A. On or about April 14, 1998, the Division of Occupational & Professional Licensing of the Department of Commerce of the State of Utah, (hereinafter "Utah Board"), by a Stipulation and Order (hereinafter "Utah Order 1"), inter alia, revoked Respondent's controlled substance license, placed his medical license on five (5) years probation, and required him to submit to an evaluation by a psychiatrist or mental health therapist, based on writing fictitious prescriptions in order to obtain controlled substances for his own personal use and abuse.
- B. On or about June 11, 2002, the Utah Board, by a Stipulation and Order (hereinafter "Utah Order 2"), inter alia, revoked Respondent's license to practice medicine, stayed the revocation, placed him on two (2) years probation in addition to that probation set forth in the Utah Order 1, reinstated and placed on two (2) years probation his license to administer and prescribe controlled substances, and imposed a \$1,000.00 administrative fine, based on stealing eleven (11) Lortab tablets from a medication bottle belonging to a patient admitted to a hospital.
- C. The conduct resulting in the Utah Board disciplinary actions 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 (2) (practicing the profession fraudulently);
- 2. New York Education Law §6530(8) (being dependent on or a habitual user of drugs); and/or
 - 3. New York Education Law §6530(20) (moral unfitness).

SPECIFICATIONS FIRST SPECIFICATION

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

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

SECOND AND THIRD SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(d) by having his license revoked or having other disciplinary action taken by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the revocation or other 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 C; and/or
- 3. The facts in Paragraphs B and/or C.

ATED: Sept. 5, 2002

Albany New York

PETER D. VAN BUREN

Deputy Counsel

Bureau of Professional

Medical Conduct

ORDER

Upon the proposed agreement of **GLADE BRIAN CURTIS**, **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: 10/3 ,2002

Chair

State Board for Professional Medical Conduct