

## THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY, N.Y. 12234

OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL DISCIPLINE
ONE PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10016-5802

June 20, 1990

Alfonso Corrales, Physician 30 Oxford Road White Plains, N.Y. 10605

Re: License No. 098210

Dear Dr. Corrales:

Enclosed please find Commissioner's Order No. 10736. This Order and any penalty contained therein goes into effect five (5) days after the date of this letter.

If the penalty imposed by the Order is a surrender, revocation or suspension of your license, you must deliver your license and registration to this Department within ten (10) days after the date of this letter. In such a case your penalty goes into effect five (5) days after the date of this letter even if you fail to meet the time requirement of delivering your license and registration to this Department.

Very truly yours,

DANIEL J. KELLEHER Director of Investigations By:

MOIRÁ A. DORAN

Supervisor

DJK/MAH/er Enclosures

CERTIFIED MAIL- RRR

cc: Verini & Gottlieb, Esq.
By: Stephen S. Gottlieb
225 Broadway
New York, N.Y. 10007

### REPORT OF THE REGENTS REVIEW COMMITTEE

ALFONSO CORRALES

CALENDAR NO. 10736



# The University of the State of New York,

IN THE MATTER

of the

Disciplinary Proceeding

against

#### ALFONSO CORRALES

No. 10736

who is currently licensed to practice as a physician in the State of New York.

### REPORT OF THE REGENTS REVIEW COMMITTEE

ALFONSO CORRALES, hereinafter referred to as respondent, was given due notice of this proceeding and informed that he could appear and be represented by an attorney.

On March 28, 1990, the scheduled date of our hearing, respondent appeared before us in person and was represented by his attorney, Stephen S. Gottlieb, Esq. Cindy M. Fascia, Esq., represented the New York State Department of Health.

retitioner's recommendation as to the penalty to be imposed, should respondent be found guilty, was that there be a five (5) year stayed suspension be a probationary period and that, as a term of probation, respondent shall perform one hundred (100) hours of public service.

Respondent's recommendation as to the penalty to be imposed, should respondent be found guilty, was that respondent receive a

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minimal penalty which would permit respondent to continue his personal, family and professional life with dignity.

We have reviewed the record in this matter; and our unanimous findings of fact, determination as to guilt, and recommendation as to the penalty to be imposed follow:

### FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent was licensed to practice as a physician in this State by the New York State Education Department.
- Respondent was convicted of committing an act constituting a crime, as set forth in the statement of charges and the record herein.

#### DETERMINATION AS TO GUILT

The charge contained in the statement of charges, a copy of which is annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "A", has been proven by a preponderance of the evidence and respondent is guilty thereof.

# RECOMMENDATION AS TO THE PENALTY TO BE IMPOSED

Under all of the circumstances herein and in view of the serious nature of the misconduct committed by respondent, respondent's license to practice as a physician in the State of New York be suspended for five (5) years, respondent fined five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), and respondent be required to perform one hundred (100) hours of public service upon the charge of which respondent has been found guilty, and that execution of the last

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four and one half years of said suspension be stayed at which time respondent be placed on probation for said last four and one half years under the terms set forth in the exhibit annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "B", which terms include the payment of the aforesaid fine and the performance of the aforesaid public service, said public service to be in addition to the 300 hours of community service imposed by the criminal court in the underlying proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

EMLYN I. GRIFFITH

JANE M. BOLIN

PATRICK J. PICARIELLO

Dated: 5 4 90

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IN THE MATTER

STATEMENT

OF

OF

ALFONSO CORRALES, M.D.

CHARGES

- 1. ALFONSO CORRALES, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York Sate on February 1, 1967 by the issuance of license number 098210 by the New York State Education Department.
- 2. The Respondent is currently registered with the New York State Education Department to practice medicine for the period January 1, 1989 through December 31, 1991 from 30 Oxford Road, White Plains, New York 10605.
- 3. The Respondent herein is charged with professional misconduct within the purview of N.Y. Educ. Law §6509 (McKinney 1985 and Supp. 1990) as set forth in the attached Specification.

#### **SPECIFICATION**

4. Respondent is charged with professional misconduct within the meaning of N.Y. Educ. Law §6509(5)(a)(i) (McKinney 1985) in that he was convicted of an act constituting a crime under New York State Law, specifically:

On or about July 31, 1989, Respondent pleaded guilty to a charge of Grand Larceny in the Fourth Degree, a Class E felony. Thereafter, on or about August 30, 1989, Respondent was sentenced in Westchester County Supreme Court, Honorable Peter P. Rosato, presiding. Respondent was sentenced to a five year period of probation. conditions of Respondent's probation included a requirement that he make restitution in the sum of \$50,000.00 (Fifty thousand dollars) to the New York State Deputy Attorney General for Medicaid Fraud Control, and a requirement that Respondent perform 300 hours of community service as arranged for by the Probation Department. Restitution was made at the time of sentencing. Respondent was also required to withdraw from the Medicaid program, which had been accomplished at the time of sentencing. Respondent was also required to submit to psychiatric evaluation and treatment as deemed necessary by the Probation Department.

DATED: Albany, New York
February 15, 1990

PETER D. VAN BUREN

Deputy Counsel

Bureau of Professional Medical

Conduct

#### EXHIBIT "B"

# TERMS OF PROBATION OF THE REGENTS REVIEW COMMITTEE

#### ALFONSO CORRALES

#### CALENDAR NO. 10736

- 1. That respondent shall make quarterly visits to an employee of and selected by the Office of Professional Medical Conduct of the New York State Department of Health, unless said employee agrees otherwise as to said visits, for the purpose of determining whether respondent is in compliance with the following:
  - a. That respondent, during the period of probation, shall act in all ways in a manner befitting respondent's professional status, and shall conform fully to the moral and professional standards of conduct imposed by law and by respondent's profession;
  - b. That respondent shall submit written notification to the New York State Department of Health, addressed to the Director, Office of Professional Medical Conduct, Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12234 of any employment and/or practice, respondent's residence, telephone number, or mailing address, and of any change in respondent's employment, practice, residence, telephone number, mailing address within or without the State of New York;
  - That respondent shall submit written proof c. from the Division of Professional Licensing Services (DPLS), New York State Education Department (NYSED), that respondent has paid all registration fees due and owing to the NYSED and respondent shall cooperate with and submit whatever papers are requested by DPLS in regard to said registration fees, said proof from DPLS to be submitted by respondent to the New York State Department of Health, addressed to Director, the Office Professional Medical Conduct, as aforesaid, no later than the first three months of the period of probation;
  - d. That respondent shall submit written proof to the New York State Department of Health, addressed to the Director, Office of

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Professional Medical Conduct, as aforesaid, that 1) respondent is currently registered with the NYSED, unless respondent submits written proof to the New York State Department of Health, that respondent has advised DPLS, NYSED, that respondent is not engaging in the practice of respondent's profession in the State of New York and does not desire to register, and that 2) respondent has paid any fines which may have previously been imposed upon respondent by the Board of Regents; said proof of the above to be submitted no later than the first two months of the period of probation;

- e. That respondent, during the period of probation has successfully performed one hundred (100) hours of public service to be selected by respondent and previously approved, in writing, by said employee, in addition to those hours required by the Supreme Court of the State of New York; and
- f. That respondent shall pay the five thousand dollar (\$5,000.00) fine imposed upon respondent, by certified or bank cashier's check, payable to the order of the New York State Education Department, to be delivered to the Executive Director, Office of Professional Discipline, as aforesaid, no later than the first three (3) months of the period of probation;
- 2. If the Director of the Office of Professional Medical Conduct determines that respondent may have violated probation, the Department of Health may initiate a violation of probation proceeding and/or such other proceedings pursuant to the Public Health Law, Education Law, and/or Rules of the Board of Regents.

### ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

ALFONSO CORRALES

CALENDAR NO. 10736



# The University of the State of New York

IN THE MATTER

OF ·

## ALFONSO CORRALES (Physician)

DUPLICATE
ORIGINAL
VOTE AND ORDER
NO. 10736

Upon the report of the Regents Review Committee, a copy of which is made a part hereof, the record herein, under Calendar No. 10736, and in accordance with the provisions of Title VIII of the Education Law, it was

**<u>VOTED</u>** (May 25, 1990): That the record herein be accepted; that the findings of fact, determination as to guilt, recommendation as to the penalty to be imposed rendered by the Regents Review Committee in the matter of ALFONSO CORRALES, respondent, be accepted; that respondent is guilty of the charge by a preponderance of the evidence; that respondent's license and registration to practice as a physician in the State of New York be suspended for five (5) years, respondent fined five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), and respondent be required to perform one hundred (100) hours of public service upon the charge of which respondent has been found guilty; that execution of the last four and one half years of said suspension be stayed at which time respondent be placed on probation for said last four and one half years under the terms prescribed by the Regents Review Committee, including the payment of the aforesaid fine and the performance of the aforesaid public service, said public service to be in addition to the 300 hours of community service imposed by the criminal court in the underlying proceeding; and that the Commissioner of

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Education be empowered to execute, for and on behalf of the Board of Regents, all orders necessary to carry out the terms of this vote;

#### and it is

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the above vote of the Board of Regents, said vote and the provisions thereof are hereby adopted and SO ORDERED, and it is further

ORDERED that this order shall take effect as of the date of the personal service of this order upon the respondent or five days after mailing by certified mail.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Thomas Sobol, Commissioner of Education of the State of New York, for and on behalf of the State Education Department and the Board of Regents, do hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of the State Education Department, at the City of Albany, this / Sr day of

Commissioner of Education