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> Sue Kelly Executive Deputy Commissioner

#### December 27, 2012

# CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Francisco Severino Pardo, M.D. REDACTED

RE: License No. 214042

Dear Dr. Pardo:

Enclosed is a copy of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct (BPMC) Order No. 12-282. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect January 3, 2013.

If the penalty imposed by the Order is a fine, please write the check payable to the New York State Department of Health. Noting the BPMC Order number on your remittance will assist in proper crediting. Payments should be directed to the following address:

> Bureau of Accounts Management New York State Department of Health Corning Tower, Room 2784 Empire State Plaza Albany, New York 12237

Please direct any questions to: Board for Professional Medical Conduct, 90 Church Street, 4th Floor, New York, NY 10007-2919, telephone # 212-417-4445.

Sincerely,

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Katherine A. Hawkins, M.D., J.D. Executive Secretary Board for Professional Medical Conduct

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

BPMC No. 12-282

#### IN THE MATTER

CONSENT

ORDER

OF

#### FRANCISCO SEVERINO PARDO, M.D. CO-11-10-5833A

Upon the application of **FRANCISCO SEVERINO PARDO**, M.D., (Respondent), in the attached Consent Agreement, which is made a part of this Consent Order, it is

ORDERED, that the Consent Agreement, and its terms, are adopted and it is further

ORDERED, that this Consent Order shall be effective upon issuance by the Board, either by mailing of a copy of this Consent Order, either by first class mail to Respondent at the address in the attached Consent Agreement or by certified mail to Respondent's attorney, or

upon facsimile or email transmission to Respondent or Respondent's attorney, whichever is first.

SO ORDERED.

DATE: 12/26/2012

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Arthur S. Hengerer, M.D. Chair State Board for Professional Medical Conduct

# STATE OF NEW YORK: DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

#### STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

#### IN THE MATTER

#### CONSENT

OF

AGREEMENT

#### FRANCISCO SEVERINO PARDO, M.D. CO-11-10-5833-A

FRANCISCO SEVERINO PARDO, M.D., (Respondent), representing that all of the following statements are true, deposes and says:

That on or about May 15, 1999 I was licensed to practice medicine in the State of New York and issued license number 214042 by the New York State Education Department.

My current address is REDACTED and I will advise the Director (Director) of the Office of Professional Medical Conduct (OPMC) of any change of my address within thirty (30) days, thereof.

I understand that the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct (Board) has charged me with two (2) Specifications of professional misconduct.

A copy of the Statement of Charges, marked as Exhibit A, is attached to and part of this Consent Agreement.

I do not contest the two (2) Specifications, and agree to the following sanction:

Censure and Reprimend;

Respondent shall pay a \$500.00 fine, to be paid within thirty (30) days of the effective date of the Consent Order to the NYS Department of Health, Bureau of Accounts Management, Revenue Unit, Empire State Plaza, Coming Tower, Room 2784, Albany, NY 12237-0016.

agree, further, that the Consent Order shall impose the following conditions:

That Respondent shall remain in continuous compliance with all requirements of New York Education Law § 6502 including, but not limited to, the requirements that a ilcensee shall register and continue to be registered with the New York State Education

Department (except during periods of actual suspension) and that a licenses shall pay all registration fees. Respondent shall not exercise the option provided in New York Education Law § 6502(4) to avoid registration and payment of fees. This condition shall take effect 30 days after the effective date of the Consent Order and will continue so long as Respondent remains a licensee in New York State; and

That Respondent shall cooperate fully with the OPMC in its administration and enforcement of the Consent Order and in its investigations of matters concerning Respondent. Respondent shall respond in a timely manner to all OPMC requests for written pariodic verification of Respondent's compliance with this Consent Agreement. Respondent shall meet with a person designated by the Director, OPMC, as directed. Respondent shall respond promptly and provide all documents and information within Respondent's control, as directed. This condition shall take effect upon the Board's issuance of the Consent Order and will continue so long as Respondent remains ilcensed in New York State.

I stipulate that my failure to comply with any conditions of the Consent Order shall constitute misconduct as defined by New York Education Law § 6530(29).

I agree that, if I am charged with professional misconduct in future, this Consent Agreement and the Consent Order shall be admitted into evidence in that proceeding.

I ask the Board to adopt this Consent Agreement.

I understand that if the Board does not adopt this Consent Agreement, none of its terms shall bind me or constitute an admission of any of the acts of alleged misconduct; this Consent Agreement shall not be used against me in any way and shall be kept in strict confidence; and the Board's denial shall be without prejudice to the pending disciplinary proceeding and the Board's final determination pursuant to New York Public Health Law.

I agree that, if the Board adopts this Consent Agreement, the Chair of the Board shall Issue a Consent Order in accordance with its terms. I agree that the Consent Order shall take affect upon its issuance by the Board, either by mailing of a copy of the Consent Order by first class mail to me at the address in this Consent Agreement, or to my attorney by cartified mail, or upon facsimile or email transmission to me or my attorney, whichever is first. The Consent Order, this Consent Agreement, and all attached Exhibits shall be public documents, with only patient identities, if any, reducted. As public documents, they may be posted on the Department of Health website.

I stipulate that the proposed sanction and Consent Order are authorized by New York Public Health Law §§ 230 and 230-a, and that the Board and OPMC have the requisite powers to carry out all included terms. I ask the Board to adopt this Consent Agreement of my own free will and not under duress, compulsion or restraint. In consideration of the value to me of the Board's adoption of this Consent Agreement, allowing me to resolve this matter without the various risks and burdens of a hearing on the merits, I knowingly waive my right to contest the Consent Order for which I apply, administratively and/or judicially, I agree to be bound by the Consent Order, and I ask that the Board adopt this Consent Agreement.

I understand and agree that the attorney for the Department, the Director, OPMC, and the Chair of the Board each retain complete discretion either to enter into the proposed Consent Agreement and Consent Order, based upon my application, or to decline to do so. I further understand and agree that no prior or separate written or oral communication can limit that discretion.

AFFIRMED:

DATED:

#### REDACTED

FRANCISCO SEVERINO PARDO, M.D. Respondent The undersigned agree to Respondent's attached Consent Agreement and to its proposed penalty, terms and conditions.

20\_\_\_2012 DATE: 12

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MICHAEL G. BASS Assistant Counsel Bureau of Professional Medical Conduct

26\_\_\_\_2012 DATE:\_\_\_

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KEITH W. SERVIS Director Office of Professional Medical Conduct

# EXHIBIT A

STATE OF NEW YORK

# DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

# IN THE MATTER

OF

# STATEMENT

OF CHARGES

FRANCISCO SEVERINO PARDO, M.D. CO-11-10-5833-A

FRANCISCO SEVERINO PARDO, M.D., Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York state on May 25, 1999, by the issuance of license number 214042 by the New York State Education Department.

# FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

A On or about October 21, 2011, the Medical Board of California, Department of Consumer Affairs, State of California, (hereinafter "California Board"), by DECISION, adopted the attached Proposed Decision and Disciplinary Order dated September 26, 2011, as the Decision and Order of the California Board. The aforementioned Proposed Decision and Disciplinary Order served Respondent a written public reprimand for his repeated negligent acts in his care and treatment of patients R.G., F.C., and A.M.

B. The conduct resulting in the California Board disciplinary action against Respondent would constitute misconduct under the laws of New York State, pursuant to the following sections of New York State law:

New York Education Law §6530(3) (negligence on more than one occasion)

# SPECIFICATIONS FIRST SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(b) by having been found guilty of improper 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 A and B.

# SECOND SPECIFICATION

Respondent violated New York Education Law §6530(9)(d) by having disciplinary action taken by a duly authorized professional disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the 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 B.

DATED: Ung 2012 Albany, New York

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