August 2018 Public Board Actions List

Georgia Composite Medical Board
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BEFORE THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE MATTER OF:  

CURTIS CHEEKS, JR., M.D.,  
License No. 51126,  
Respondent.

DOCKET NO.

AMENDMENT TO PUBLIC CONSENT ORDER

WHEREAS, on or about September 11, 2015, Curtis Cheeks, Jr., M.D. ("Respondent") entered into a Public Consent Order ("Order") with the Georgia Composite Medical Board ("Board"), Docket No. 10140006, which subjected Respondent’s license to various terms and conditions.

WHEREAS, Paragraph 3 of the Order provides that Respondent shall not work more than 60 hours a calendar week until permitted by the Board.

WHEREAS, on or about July 12, 2018, the Board received a request from Respondent to terminate Paragraph 3 of the Order, having fully complied with this provision.

NOW THEREFORE, the Board hereby amends the Public Consent Order as follows:

1. The provision limiting Respondent’s practice hours to sixty (60) hours per calendar week, contained in Paragraph 3 of the Order is hereby terminated.

2. Except as provided herein, the Respondent’s license shall remain subject to all of the remaining terms and conditions as set forth in the Public Consent Order of September 11, 2015. A violation of this Amendment to Public Consent Order shall be considered a violation of a lawful order of the Board as if it were a violation of the September 11, 2015 Public Consent Order.

3. This Amendment to Public Consent Order shall become effective upon its acceptance by the Georgia Composite Medical Board and its docketing by the Executive Director of the Georgia Composite Medical Board.
Accepted this ___ day of August, 2018.

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

BY:                      

J. JEFFREY MARSHALL, M.D.  
Chairperson

ATTEST:

LASHARN HUGHES          
Executive Director
BEFORE THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE MATTER OF:

MICHAEL SAMMY DEEN, M.D.,
License No. 058459,
Reinstatement Applicant.

DOCKET NO.: DOCKET NUMBER:

PUBLIC CONSENT ORDER FOR REINSTATEMENT

The Georgia Composite Medical Board ("Board"), in its discretion, has considered the request for reinstatement of the license of MICHAEL SAMMY DEEN, M.D. ("Applicant"), to practice medicine in the State of Georgia. In conjunction therewith, and pursuant to O.C.G.A. T. 43, Chs. 1 and 34, the Board hereby enters its Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On or about September 15, 2006, Applicant was issued a license, number 058459, to practice medicine in the State of Georgia. Applicant’s license was placed on inactive status in or about March of 2015, and Applicant has not practiced medicine since that time.

2. On or about August 10, 2017, the Applicant submitted an application for reinstatement of his medical license. In his application, Applicant disclosed having received treatment for chemical dependence, and informed the Board of his participation in a monitoring program. Based on the period of time that elapsed since Applicant had practiced medicine, Applicant was required to
provide evidence of having obtained a clinical skills assessment, the results and recommendations of which the Board received and has reviewed.

3.

Applicant admits the above findings of fact and waives any further findings with respect to this matter.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Reinstatement of Applicant’s license to practice medicine in Georgia under O.C.G.A. Ch. 34, T. 43, as amended, is within the sole discretion of the Board. The Applicant hereby waives any further conclusions of law with respect to the above-styled matter.

ORDER

The Board, having considered the application for reinstatement of Applicant’s license, hereby orders and Applicant hereby agrees as follows:

1.

Beginning on the effective date of this Consent Order, Applicant’s license to practice medicine in the State of Georgia shall be reinstated on a period of probation, subject to the following terms and conditions:

(a) PARTICIPATION IN AFTERCARE/MONITORING WITH QUARTERLY REPORTS. Within thirty (30) days of the docketing of this Consent Order, Applicant shall provide evidence to the Board of his enrollment and participation in the Georgia Professional Health Program (GA PHP). Applicant's participation in the GA PHP shall be viewed as a condition precedent to all other provisions set forth herein, and the Applicant's failure to comply with that requirement, upon substantiation thereof, shall subject the Applicant's license to revocation.
The Applicant shall provide a copy of this Order to the Executive Director of the GA PHP and shall cause the GA PHP to submit quarterly reports to the Board by March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, commencing on the first reporting date following the effective date of this Order and continuing throughout the period of probation. The reports shall evaluate Applicant’s compliance with his GA PHP monitoring contract. Applicant agrees that a report from the Applicant’s program counselor that the Applicant has failed to comply with the requirements of the program and/or that the Applicant is otherwise unable to function as a physician shall constitute reasonable grounds for the Board to order the Applicant to undergo a mental/physical examination and may also be reasonable grounds for disciplinary action, including summary suspension. Reports submitted pursuant to this paragraph shall be deemed medical records and shall not be subject to disclosure by the Board. In the event the reports are used in a subsequent hearing, they shall be received in camera.

(b) **DIRECT SUPERVISION.** Applicant shall only practice medicine under the practice restrictions set forth in paragraph 1 (d) below **and** under the direct supervision of an approved, board certified primary care physician (“Proctor”), who shall be in the room with Applicant when Applicant is seeing patients. Applicant shall provide a copy of his clinical skills assessment report **and** a copy of this Order to the Proctor, who shall submit a letter to the Board indicating he/she has received both documents and agrees to serve as Applicant’s Proctor upon approval of the Board. **Applicant shall not practice medicine until he has received notice of approval from the Board.**

(c) **PROCTOR REPORT.** After three (3) months of practicing medicine with his Proctor, Applicant shall submit or cause to be submitted a written report to the Board from the Proctor regarding Applicant’s clinical practice, including but not limited to number of hours
worked, number of patients seen, and the Proctor’s opinion on Applicant’s ability to practice medicine independently with reasonable skill and safety to patients. The report shall also address the Proctor’s opinion on Applicant’s medical knowledge and steps Applicant has taken to improve his medical knowledge. The Applicant shall continue to practice under direct supervision until the Board has received and reviewed the report, and notified the Applicant that he has completed the terms of direct supervision. Any decision to extend the period of direct supervision shall be in the discretion of the Board.

(d) **PRACTICE RESTRICTIONS.**

(1) Applicant’s practice of medicine shall be limited to part-time practice of no more than thirty (30) hours per week for six (6) months; followed by no more than forty (40) hours per week for the next six (6) months. Applicant shall ensure that the Board receives quarterly reports from his employer as set forth in paragraph 1(e) below.

(2) While this Consent Order is in effect, Applicant shall not supervise or employ midlevel providers (physician assistants or advance practice registered nurses).

(e) **QUARTERLY PERSONAL REPORTS.** The Applicant shall submit personal quarterly reports to the Board by March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, commencing on the first reporting date following the effective date of this Order and continuing throughout the period of probation. The reports shall include information as to where Applicant is employed, hours worked, and any change in Applicant’s address of record. Failure to submit such reports, upon substantiation thereof, shall be grounds for sanction or revocation of Respondent’s license.

(f) **QUARTERLY EMPLOYER REPORTS.** Applicant shall submit or cause to be submitted written, quarterly reports to the Board from his employer(s) regarding Applicant’s
employment and clinical practice, including but not limited to hours worked, attendance, number of patients seen, and any issues arising concerning Applicant’s ability to practice medicine. The reports shall be due by March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31 of each calendar year, commencing on the first reporting date following the effective date of this Order and continuing while this Order is in effect. Failure to submit or have such reports submitted in a timely manner shall be considered a violation of this Consent Order.

(g) **CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION (CME).** In addition to the continuing medical education required for license renewal, **within six (6) months of the docket date** of this Consent Order, Applicant shall: (1) attend and complete a Board approved live, in-person Family Medicine Board Review course of forty (40) hours, including three (3) hours in pharmacology; and (2) complete a Board approved medical records course consisting of a minimum of ten (10) hours. The CME requirement shall be deemed satisfied upon the Board’s receipt of evidence of Applicant’s successful completion of both of the courses.

(h) **CHANGE OF ADDRESS OR EMPLOYMENT.** Applicant shall notify the Board in writing of any change in address or employment within 10 (ten) days of the change.

(i) **ABIDE BY LAWS, RULES, AND TERMS.** The Applicant shall abide by all State and Federal laws regulating the practice of medicine, the Rules and Regulations of the Board, and the terms of the Consent Order. If the Applicant shall fail to abide by any of the terms of this Consent Order or such laws or rules, Applicant’s license shall be subject to discipline, including revocation, upon substantiation thereof after notice and hearing, and if revoked, the Board in its discretion may determine that the license should be permanently revoked and not subject to reinstatement.
(j) ADDRESS FOR REPORTS. All reports required under this Consent Order shall be sent to the Georgia Composite Medical Board, to the attention of the Executive Director, at 2 Peachtree Street, NW, 6th Floor, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

(k) PETITION TO TERMINATE ORDER. After Applicant has practiced medicine under the terms of this order for a period of one (1) year, Applicant shall be eligible to petition the Board to terminate the Order. Applicant’s petition shall include a letter of support from his employer and the GA PHP. At such time, Applicant may petition to terminate the order by certifying under oath before a notary public that Applicant has complied with all conditions of this Order and has advocacy supporting termination of probation. The Board shall review and evaluate the practice of Applicant prior to terminating this Order. At such time, should the Board determine that reasonable cause exists for maintaining or adding any terms or conditions on Applicant’s license, including but not limited to supervision or a period of additional probation, the Board shall notify Applicant of its intent to modify this Order to impose any terms deemed necessary at the time of Applicant’s petition, and Applicant may respond to such notice in writing or request an appearance before the Board as in a non-contested case. This Consent Order shall remain in effect pending a final determination by the Board and notification to the Applicant that it has been terminated.

2.

This Consent Order shall constitute and may be disseminated as a public record of the Board.

3.

Applicant acknowledges that Applicant has read this Consent Order and that he understands its contents. Applicant understands that he has the right to an appearance before the
Board, and Applicant freely, knowingly and voluntarily waives such right and enters into this Consent Order. Applicant further understands and agrees that a representative of the Department of Law may be present during the presentation of this Consent Order and that the Board shall have the authority to review the application file and all relevant evidence in considering this Consent Order. Applicant understands that this Consent Order will not become effective until accepted and docketed by the Georgia Composite Medical Board. Applicant consents to the terms and conditions contained herein.

Approved this 21 day of August, 2018.

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

BY:  
J. JEFFREY MARSHALL, M.D.  
Chairperson

ATTEST:  
LASHARN HUGHES  
Executive Director

CONSENTED TO:  
MICHAEL SAMMY DEEN, M.D.  
Applicant

[As to Applicant’s signature only:]  
Sworn to and subscribed before me  
This 31 day of July, 2018.

SERENA OUTLER  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My commission expires: 8/21/2021.

#1043274
BEFORE THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE MATTER OF:

VINCENT K. KNIGHT, M.D.,
License No. 54912,
Respondent.

BOARD ORDER TERMINATING PUBLIC CONSENT ORDER

1.

The Georgia Composite Medical Board ("Board") entered a Public Consent Order ("Order") in the above-styled matter on or about July 12, 2012, an Amended Public Consent Order on August 9, 2013, and a Second Amended Public Consent Order on September 11, 2014 all with the Docket No. 20130001, which placed Respondent’s license to practice medicine in the State of Georgia on probation.

2.

On or about July 18, 2018, the Board received a petition from the Respondent to terminate the Public Consent Order. The Board reviewed the petition and Respondent’s compliance with the terms of the Order and determined Respondent has complied with the terms and conditions of probation.

Based on the foregoing, the Board hereby terminates the probation of Respondent’s license. Respondent’s license is returned to unrestricted status and is in good standing.

SO ORDERED, this 2nd day of August, 2018.

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

BY: J. Jeffrey Marshall, M.D.
Chairperson

ATTEST: Lashawn Hughes, MBA
Executive Director
BEFORE THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

STATE OF GEORGIA

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD, )
    Petitioner,
    )
    )
v. )
    ) DOCKET NO.: 20160001
    )
HARVEY B. LESLIE, MD, )
License # 27597, )
Respondent )

ORDER LIFTING PRESCRIBING RESTRICTIONS

1.

WHEREAS, on July 22, 2016, the Georgia Composite Medical Board ("Board") issued a Final Decision in the above-referenced matter whereby the Respondent, Harvey B. Leslie, MD’s medical license was limited indefinitely to the extent that he was prohibited from prescribing controlled substances as defined in 21 U.S.C. Sec. 812, until such time as he had taken and passed the Mercer Prescription course. The Decision further stated that, upon successful completion of that course, Respondent may petition the Board, requesting that it reconsider his prescription privileges.

2.

WHEREAS, on or about August 23, 2016, pursuant to the Final Decision and based upon his completion of the required prescribing course, the Respondent petitioned the for reinstatement of his prescribing privileges. On or about October 6, 2016, the Board met with the Respondent and his counsel concerning his petition.

3.

WHEREAS, on January 5, 2017, the Board issued an Order lifting the restriction on Respondent’s prescribing of controlled substances, as defined in 21 U.S.C Sec. 812, to allow the
prescribing of controlled substances designated as Schedule V controlled substances.

4.

WHEREAS, on or about June 7, 2018, Respondent requested that the Board lift all restrictions concerning his prescription privileges.

5.

NOW THEREFORE, after considering Respondent’s request, the Board hereby lifts all restrictions concerning Respondent’s prescription privileges.

This the 2nd day of August, 2018.

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

BY: J. JEFFREY MARSHALL, MD
Chairperson

ATTEST: LaSHARN HUGHES, MBA
Executive Director

(BOARD SEAL)
BEFORE THE GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

STATE OF GEORGIA

IN THE MATTER OF: * 
TYRONE MALLOY, M.D., * 
License No. 023086. *

BOARD ORDER

WHEREAS, on or about May 12, 2015, Tyrone Malloy, M.D. ("Dr. Malloy") executed a Voluntary Surrender of his license, Docket No. 20150032, wherein he knowingly forfeited and relinquished all right, title and privilege of practicing medicine in the State of Georgia.

WHEREAS, Dr. Malloy submitted an application for reinstatement of his license in or about October 2017 and subsequently provided the Board with evidence of his ability to practice medicine with reasonable skill and safety.

WHEREAS, on October 5, 2017, the Board reinstated Dr. Malloy’s license.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board hereby enters this Order clarifying that the aforementioned Voluntary Surrender is no longer in effect and that Dr. Malloy’s license, no. 023086, was reinstated on October 5, 2017.

SO ORDERED, this 14th day of August, 2018.

GEORGIA COMPOSITE MEDICAL BOARD

J. JEFFREY MARSHALL, M.D. 
Chairperson

(BOARD SEAL)

ATTEST: 
LASHARN HUGHES 
Executive Director
INACTIVE STATUS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND RESPONSE

I, Angela Seymour, License # 004297, acknowledge receipt of the letter by the Board requesting my relinquishment of my licensure status. My response to this request is as follows:

X I hereby agree to place my license on inactive status as requested by the Board. There is no fee inasmuch as the Board requested this.

() I hereby decline to comply with the Board’s request to place my license on inactive status at this time. I understand that further public proceedings may be scheduled to resolve this matter.

DATE: July 27, 2019 (SIGNED) Angela Seymour, P.A.

You may respond via mail: Georgia Composite Medical Board
Attention: Karl T. Reimers, Director
Office of Investigations & Enforcement
2 Peachtree Street NW, 36th Floor
Atlanta, GA 30303

Or

You may respond via fax: Attention: Karl Reimers at 404-463-3019

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