COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, SS. Board of Registration in Medicine

Adjudicatory No. 2017-039

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In the Matter of )

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Brian P. McKeon, M.D. )

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# CONSENT ORDER

Brian P. McKeon, M.D. (Respondent) and the Complaint Counsel agree that the Board of Registration in Medicine (Board) may issue this Consent Order, in lieu of convening an adjudicatory hearing, with all of the force and effect of a Final Decision within the meaning of 801 CMR 1.01(11)(d). The Respondent admits to the findings of fact specified below and agrees that the Board may make the conclusions of law and impose the sanctions set forth below in resolution of Docket Number 14-317.

### BIOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

1. The Respondent was born on August 3, 1966. He graduated from Georgetown University School of Medicine in 1993 and has been licensed to practice medicine in Massachusetts since 1988 under license number 156516.

### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On July 26, 2008, Tisbury Police arrested the Respondent and charged him with Operating a Motor Vehicle while Under the Influence of Alcohol.
2. The Edgartown District Court (Court) docket sheet establishes that the Respondent was arraigned on the charges of Marked Lanes Violations, OUI Liquor and Negligent Operation of a Motor Vehicle on July 26, 2008.
3. On August 25, 2008, the Court dismissed the Operating Under the Influence count outright. The Respondent pled guilty to Operating Negligently, and was placed on probation for a period of nine months.
4. The Respondent was required to report the 2008 arrest in his 2009 license renewal application.
5. Question 17 on that application pertains to incidents occurring between the period of the licensee’s last application and the date on which the current application is completed. Question 17 asks the following:
   1. Have you been charged with any criminal offense during this period?
   2. Have any criminal offenses/charges against you been resolved during this time period?
   3. Are there any criminal charges pending against you today?
   4. Are any Application of Issuance of Process pending against you?
6. The Respondent answered “no,” to each question

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Respondent has violated G.L. c. 112, § 5, eighth par. (a) and 243 CMR 1.03(5)(a)1 by fraudulently procuring the renewal of his certificate of registration.

**SANCTION**

The Respondent is hereby admonished. The Respondent must also complete 10 Board-approved Category 1 Continuing Professional Development credits; 5 credits must be in opioid prescribing and 5 credits must be in professionalism.

**EXECUTION OF THIS CONSENT ORDER**

The Respondent shall provide a complete copy of this Consent Order with all exhibits and attachments within ten (10) days by certified mail, return receipt requested, or by hand delivery to the following designated entities: any in- or out-of-state hospital, nursing home, clinic, other licensed facility, or municipal, state, or federal facility at which he practices medicine; any in- or out-of-state health maintenance organization with whom the Respondent has privileges or any other kind of association; any state agency, in- or out-of-state, with which the Respondent has a provider contract; any in- or out-of-state medical employer, whether or not the Respondent practices medicine there; the state licensing boards of all states in which the Respondent has any kind of license to practice medicine. The Respondent shall also provide this notification to any such designated entities with which he becomes associated in the year following the date of imposition of this reprimand. The Respondent is further directed to certify to the Board within ten (10) days that the Respondent has complied with this directive.

The Board expressly reserves the authority to independently notify, at any time, any of the entities designated above, or any other affected entity, of any action it has taken.

Signed by Brian P. McKeon, M.D. 10/26/17

Brian P. McKeon, M.D. Date

Licensee

Signed by Alexander Terry 10/24/17

Alexander Terry, Esq. Date

Attorney for the Licensee

Signed by Gloria Brooks 10/26/17

Gloria Brooks, Esq. Date

Complaint Counsel

So ORDERED by the Board of Registration in Medicine this 26 day of October, 2017.

Signed by Candace Lapidus Sloane, M.D.

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