

BEFORE THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF: JAMES SCOTT STANLEY, M.D.

EMERGENCY ORDER OF SUSPENSION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated §25-15-201, et seq. of the Administrative Procedure Act and Arkansas Code Annotated §17-95-410 of the Medical Practice Act, the Arkansas State Medical Board issues the following Emergency Order of Suspension and Notice of Hearing charging James Scott Stanley, M.D. with alleged violation of Arkansas Code Annotated ACA §17-95-409 (a)(2)(F), that is the indulgence of alcohol to such an extent as to render himself incapable of exercising the degree of skill and judgment in the treatment of his patients which the moral trust and confidence demands; Arkansas Code Annotated § 17-95-409(a)(2)(h) the habitual intemperate or excessive use of habit forming drugs; and ACA §17-95-409(a)(2)(J) becoming mentally incompetent to practice medicine to such an extent to endanger the public. The allegations upon which the above charges are based are as follows:

I.

James Scott Stanley, M.D. is a licensed physician in the State of Arkansas under the provisions of the Medical Practice Act.

II.

James Scott Stanley, M.D., signed a monitoring contract with the Arkansas Medical Foundation following a DUI charge in October 2016.

III.

James Scott Stanley, M.D., tested positive for ETG and ETS on December 5, 2016, in violation of his agreement with the Arkansas Medical Foundation.

IV.

On January 24, 2017, the Arkansas Medical Foundation were informed that James Scott Stanley, M.D., was to enroll in the Positive Sobriety Institute in Chicago within two weeks of January 24, 2017.

V

Pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act, ACA §25-15-211(c), and upon an affirmative vote of the majority of the Arkansas State Medical Board, the Board finds that the actions of James Scott Stanley, M.D., present a danger to the public health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Arkansas; and therefore, the license to practice medicine in the State of Arkansas of James Scott Stanley, M.D., is suspended on an emergency basis, pending a disciplinary hearing in this matter, or further Orders of the Board.

WHEREFORE, IT IS CONSIDERED, ORDERED, AND ADJUDGED by the Arkansas State Medical Board that the license to practice medicine in the State of Arkansas as issued to James Scott Stanley, M.D., is suspended on an emergency basis, pending a disciplinary hearing in this matter or further Orders of the Board.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by the Arkansas State Medical Board, that a hearing should be conducted to determine whether James Scott Stanley, M.D., has violated the Medical Practices Act. If it is found that she has, in fact, violated the Medical Practices Act, then the Board should determine whether the license of James Scott Stanley, M.D., to practice medicine in the State of Arkansas, should be revoked or suspended, or whether other sanctions should be given as punishment, pursuant to the authority granted the Board in ACA § 17-95-410 and ACA §25-15-217 of the Administrative Procedure Act. Said hearing will be conducted on the

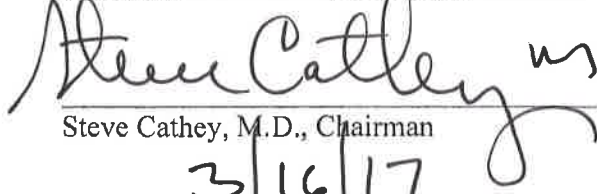
8 day of June, 2017 at 10 o' clock A.m. at a meeting of the Arkansas State Medical Board at the offices of the Board, 1401 W. Capitol Ave, Suite 340, Little Rock, Pulaski County, Arkansas.

James Scott Stanley, M.D., is hereby advised that he may be represented by counsel at the hearing, and that he will be given the opportunity to examine all of the evidence offered to the Board, cross-examine witnesses, and offer evidence and witnesses in his own behalf.

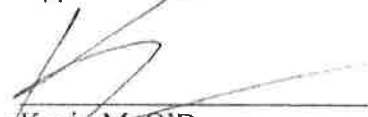
James Scott Stanley, M.D., is further advised that any additional records and/or exhibits that he as a Respondent wishes to present to the Board at his hearing MUST be supplied to the Board no later than 20 days prior to the hearing date. Failure to do so can result in the Board refusal to allow the information or documentation to be presented by the Respondent.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD


Steve Cathey, M.D., Chairman
3/16/17
Date

Approved as to form:


Kevin M. O'Dwyer
Attorney for the Arkansas State Medical Board