## BEFORE THE COLORADO MEDICAL BOARD STATE OF COLORADO

CASE NUMBERS: 2011-001560-A, 2011-003736-A

## INTERIM PRACTICE AGREEMENT

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE TO PRACTICE MEDICINE IN THE STATE OF COLORADO OF LARRY O. SANDERS, M.D., LICENSE NUMBER DR-29148,

Respondent.

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED and agreed by and between Inquiry Panel A ("Panel") of the Colorado Medical Board ("Board") and Larry O. Sanders, M.D., ("Respondent") as follows:

- 1. Respondent was licensed to practice medicine in the state of Colorado on October 13, 1988 and was issued license number DR-29148, which Respondent has held continuously since that date.
- 2. The Panel and the Board have jurisdiction over Respondent and over the subject matter of this proceeding.
- 3. On April 14, 2011, the Panel reviewed case numbers 2011-001560-A and 2011-003736-A, and subsequently issued a notice of pre-suspension hearing pursuant to Board Rule 280, 3 C.C.R. 713-18, to determine whether summary suspension of Respondent's license was warranted pursuant to section 24-4-104(4), C.R.S.
- 4. The parties have agreed to stay potential summary suspension proceedings while the Panel further reviews Respondent's ability to practice medicine safely. Therefore, the parties have agreed to enter into this Interim Practice Agreement ("Interim Agreement") pursuant to which the summary suspension proceedings are stayed until June 9, 2011, while investigations and evaluations continue so that the Panel may determine what action, if any, is warranted. The presuspension hearing previously set for May 18, 2011 pursuant to the Panel's Notice of Right to Request Pre-Suspension Hearing issued April 14, 2011 is vacated and reset for June 9, 2011 at 9:30 a.m.
- 5. Respondent specifically agrees that while this Interim Agreement is in effect his practice is restricted in the following manner:
  - a. Respondent will not medically treat his immediate family including his children and spouse.

- b. Respondent will not prescribe to his immediate family including his children and spouse.
- c. Respondent will, in his discretion, communicate with medical treatment professionals concerning the immediate or future medical treatment or prescribing made by those treatment professionals in relation to his daughters.
- d. Respondent shall not make any change in medical treatment or prescribing to his immediate family including his children and spouse.

## **OTHER TERMS**

- 6. This Interim Agreement shall remain in effect until such time as the parties reach a final disposition of this case or, in the event additional summary suspension proceedings are initiated, until such time as an order for summary suspension enters.
- 7. The Panel agrees that it will not institute summary suspension proceedings while this Interim Agreement is in effect so long as the Respondent remains in compliance with this Interim Agreement and so long as the Panel does not learn of substantially new information that would indicate that summary suspension is warranted.
- 8. Nothing in this Interim Agreement shall constitute disciplinary action, a finding that Respondent has engaged in unprofessional conduct, or any admission by Respondent of unprofessional conduct. There have been no final determinations regarding Respondent's professional competence or professional conduct. Nothing in this Interim Agreement shall constitute final actions as defined in section 24-4-102(1), C.R.S.
- 9. Nothing in this Interim Agreement shall preclude the Panel from initiating disciplinary action pursuant to section 12-36-118, C.R.S., or issuing a Final Agency Order even while this Interim Agreement is in effect.
- 10. Respondent understands that Respondent has the right to be represented by counsel of Respondent's choice in this matter, and Respondent is represented by counsel in this matter.
  - 11. The terms of this Interim Agreement were mutually negotiated and determined.
- 12. Both parties acknowledge that they understand the legal consequences of this Interim Agreement, both parties enter into this Interim Agreement voluntarily, and both parties agree that no term or condition of this Interim Agreement is unconscionable.
- 13. This Interim Agreement and all its terms constitute a valid board order for purposes of section 12-36-117(1)(u), C.R.S.

- 14. Invalidation of any portion of this Interim Agreement by judgment or court order shall in no way affect any other provision, which provision shall remain in full force and effect.
- 15. This Interim Agreement shall be effective upon signature by Respondent. Respondent acknowledges that the Panel may choose not to accept the terms of this Interim Agreement and that if the Interim Agreement is not approved by the Panel and signed by a Panel member, it is void.
- 16. This Interim Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties, and there are no other agreements or promises, written or oral, which modify, interpret, construe or affect this Interim Agreement.
- 17. All costs and expenses incurred by Respondent to comply with this Interim Agreement shall be the sole responsibility of Respondent, and shall in no way be the obligation of the Board or Panel.
- 18. This Interim Agreement shall constitute a public record but is not reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank or to the Healthcare Integrity Protection Data Bank.

LARRY O. SANDERS, M.D.

The foregoing was acknowledged before me this <a href="https://litt.day.of.april.2011">https://day.of.april.2011</a> by LARRY O. City & SANDERS, M.D., in the County of <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/journal.00">Denver</a>, State of <a href="https://doi.org/10.1016/journal.00">Colorado</a>.

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THE FOREGOING Interim Practice Agreement is approved and effective this day

of April, 2011. May Zou

FOR THE COLORADO MEDICAL BOARD INQUIRY PANEL A

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