July 12, 2018

Sherri L. Passarell, M.D.

Re: Sherri L. Passarell, M.D. Case No.: 2218-0266A License No.: D66341

Dear Dr. Passarell:

On June 26, 2018, Disciplinary Panel A of the Maryland State Board of Physicians (the "Board") issued an **ORDER FOR SUMMARY SUSPENSION OF LICENSE TO PRACTICE MEDICINE** in this case, pursuant to Md. Code Ann., State Gov't § 10-226(c)(2). On July 11, 2018, Disciplinary Panel A held a post deprivation hearing, giving you an opportunity to argue why the summary suspension should not continue. You attended the hearing without counsel. The State was represented by Dawn Rubin, Assistant Attorney General, Administrative Prosecutor. Both parties presented oral argument at the hearing.

After consideration of the presentations of the parties, Disciplinary Panel A of the Board determined that it would continue the summary suspension it imposed on June 26, 2018. Disciplinary Panel A thus will not lift the order of summary suspension. Disciplinary Panel A finds that the public health, safety or welfare imperatively requires the summary suspension of your license. See State Gov't § 10-226(c)(2)(i). The order of summary suspension is thus reaffirmed and continues. See COMAR 10.32.02.08H(1). Board counsel verbally informed Dr. Passarell of the panel's decision immediately following the hearing.

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

Under the Board's regulations, you have the right to request a full evidentiary hearing before an Administrative Law Judge of the Office of Administrative Hearings. To receive the evidentiary hearing, you must file your request for the hearing within **10 days** of the date of this letter. The request for the hearing shall be filed with Christine Farrelly, Executive Director, at 4201 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21215. If the hearing is timely requested, the hearing will be set within 30 days of your request, *see* COMAR 10.32.02.08I, though you may waive the 30-day time period.

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This letter constitutes an order of Disciplinary Panel A resulting from a formal disciplinary action and is therefore a public document.

Sincerely,

Christine A. Farrelly, Executive Director

Maryland State Board of Physicians

Dawn Rubin, Assistant Attorney General