

D-7364

IN THE MATTER OF	§	BEFORE THE
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THE LICENSE OF	§	TEXAS STATE BOARD
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PAUL WHITELOCK, M.D.	§	OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

AGREED ORDER

On this the 9th day of August, 1997, came on to be heard before the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners ("the Board" or "the Texas Board"), duly in session the matter of the license of Paul Whitelock, M.D. ("Respondent"). On May 16, 1997, Respondent did not appear personally or through counsel at an Informal Settlement Conference/Show Compliance Proceeding in response to a letter of invitation from the staff of the Board; however, Respondent submitted documents for consideration at the Informal Settlement Conference/Show Compliance Proceeding.

The Board was represented at the Informal Settlement Conference/Show Compliance Proceeding by Vernon L. Ryan, M.D., a member of the Board, and Irvin E. Zeitler, Jr., D.O., a district review committee member. Upon recommendation of the Board's representatives and with the consent of Respondent, the Board makes the following findings of fact and conclusions of law and enters this Order as set forth herein:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent, Paul Whitelock, M.D., holds Texas Medical license D-7364.
2. The Board has jurisdiction over the subject matter and Respondent. Respondent received all notice which may be required by law and by the rules of the Board. All jurisdictional requirements have been satisfied.
3. Respondent failed to obtain, provide documentation of, or report continuing medical education as required by Board Rules 166.2(a), 166.2(b), and 166.2(i).
4. Respondent has entered into this Agreed Order pursuant to the provisions of Sections 4.02(h) and (i) of the Medical Practice Act ("the Act"), V.A.C.S., article 4495b.
5. Respondent has not previously been the subject of disciplinary action by the Board.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the above Findings of Fact, the Board concludes the following:

1. Respondent has violated Section 3.08(5) of the Medical Practice Act ("the Act"), V.A.C.S., article 4495b, which authorizes the Board to take disciplinary action against Respondent based on Respondent's violation or attempted violation, direct or indirect, of any valid rules issued under this Act, either as a principal, accessory, or accomplice.

ORDER

Based on the above Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Board ORDERS that this Agreed Order shall constitute a PUBLIC REPRIMAND of Respondent, and that Respondent is hereby reprimanded.

The Board further ORDERS:

1. Respondent shall pay an administrative penalty in the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) within thirty (30) days of the signing of this Agreed Order by the presiding officer of the Board.

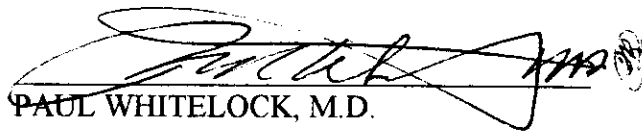
2. The administrative penalty shall be paid in a single payment by cashier's check or money order payable to the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners and shall be submitted to the Director of Hearings for the Board for routing so as to be remitted to the comptroller of Texas for deposit in the general revenue fund.

3. Respondent's failure to pay the administrative penalty as ordered shall constitute grounds for further disciplinary action by the Board based on unprofessional and dishonorable conduct likely to deceive or defraud the public or injure the public as provided for in Section 3.08(4) of the Act, and may result in a referral by the Executive Director of the Board for collection by the Office of the Attorney General.

THIS ORDER IS A PUBLIC RECORD.

I, PAUL WHITELOCK, M.D., HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING AGREED ORDER. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS. I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY. I UNDERSTAND THIS AGREED ORDER CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND, VERBAL, WRITTEN OR OTHERWISE.

DATED: 11 June, 1997


PAUL WHITELOCK, M.D.
RESPONDENT

STATE OF Colorado §
COUNTY OF La Plata §
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BEFORE ME, the undersigned Notary Public, on this day personally PAUL WHITELOCK, M.D., known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to this instrument, an Agreed Order, and who after being by me duly sworn, on oath, stated that he executed the same for all purposes expressed therein.

Given under my hand and official seal and office this 11th day of June, 1997.

Terry E. Boswell
Signature of Notary Public

(Notary Seal)

Terry E. Boswell
Printed or typed name of Notary Public

My commission expires: 5/21/2001

SIGNED AND ENTERED by the presiding officer of the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners on this 9th day of August, 1997.

William H. Fleming, III
William H. Fleming, III, M.D.
President, Texas State Board of
Medical Examiners