

STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Olympia, Washington 98504

RE: Raymond P. Tangredi, MD

Master Case No.: M2016-656

Document: Summary Action Order

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STATE OF WASHINGTON MEDICAL QUALITY ASSURANCE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

RAYMOND P. TANGREDI, MD, License No. MD.MD.60248946,

Respondent.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: Jerry D. Mitchell, Health Law Judge.

This matter came before the Presiding Officer on delegation from and authorization by the Medical Quality Assurance Commission (Commission) on July 15, 2016, on an Ex Parte Motion for Order of Summary Action (Ex Parte Motion) brought by the Office of the Attorney General. The Commission issued a Statement of Charges alleging Respondent violated RCW 18.130.180(5). The Presiding Officer, after reviewing the Ex Parte Motion with its supporting declaration and exhibits, and the Statement of Charges, GRANTS the Ex Parte Motion. Respondent's license is SUSPENDED pending further disciplinary proceedings.

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1.1 On October 21, 2011, the state of Washington issued Respondent a license to practice as a physician and surgeon. Respondent's license is currently expired in renewal. Respondent is not board certified but self designates his practice specialty as addiction psychiatry.
- 1.2 The Commission issued a Statement of Charges alleging Respondent violated RCW 18.130.180(5). The Statement of Charges was accompanied by all other documents required by WAC 246-11-250.
- 1.3 On July 2, 2015, the Oregon Medical Board entered an Interim Stipulated Order in a case regarding Respondent's license to practice medicine (Oregon Interim Order). The Oregon Interim Order provided that Respondent voluntarily withdraw from the practice of medicine pending the completion of the Board's investigation regarding Respondent's ability to safely and competently practice medicine.

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- 1.4 On February 24, 2016, the Oregon Board issued Complaint and Notice of Proposed Disciplinary Action (Oregon Complaint) in the same case as the Stipulated Order. The Oregon Complaint alleges that Respondent violated the Oregon Medical Practice Act by engaging in sexual misconduct with one patient and committing repeated boundary violations with another.
- 1.5 On or about December 30, 2015, the Commission received a certified copy of Oregon Stipulated Order in Case. No. MD18328, that was entered by the Oregon Board on July 2, 2015. On or about April 8, 2016, the Commission received written notice from the Oregon Board that it issued the Oregon Complaint to Respondent on February 24, 2016, in the same case as the Oregon Interim Stipulated Order. The certified copy of the Oregon Interim Stipulated Order and the notice regarding issuance of the Oregon Complaint in the same case constitute conclusive proof of the violation of RCW 18.130.180(5).
- 1.6 The basis for the Oregon Stipulated Interim Order is substantially similar to RCW 18.130.180(1), (4), (7), (24), and WAC 246-919-630(2)(a) and (j).

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 2.1 The Commission (and by delegated authority the Presiding Officer), has jurisdiction over Respondent's license to practice as a physician and surgeon. RCW 18.130.040.
- 2.2 The Commission has authority to take emergency adjudicative action to address an immediate danger to the public health, safety, or welfare. RCW 34.05.422(4); RCW 34.05.479; RCW 18.130.050(8); and WAC 246-11-300.

III. ORDER

- 3.1 Based on the Findings of Fact and the Conclusions of Law, it is ORDERED that Respondent's license to practice as a physician and surgeon is SUMMARILY SUSPENDED pending further disciplinary proceedings by the Commission. Respondent shall immediately deliver all licenses, (including wall, display, and/or wallet, if any), to the Commission.
- 3.2 It is HEREBY ORDERED that a protective order in this case is GRANTED. RCW 34.05.446(1) and WAC 246-11-400(2) and (5). This Protective Order prohibits the

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release of health care information outside of these proceedings. Unless required by law, anyone involved in these proceedings must keep confidential and not disclose health care information obtained through these proceedings. Health care information includes information in any form "that identifies or can readily be associated with the identity of a patient and directly relates to the patient's health care." RCW 70.02.010(16). The parties may share the information with their attorney, if any.

Dated this _ / S day of July, 2016

JEŖŔY Ď. MITCHELĽ, Health Law Judge

Présiding Officer

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