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## VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

Steven Wayne Powell, MD 2355 Saddle Springs Drive Milton, GA 30004

Re: Suspension of West Virginia Medical License

Dear Dr. Powell:

On January 14, 2020, you were issued an expediated West Virginia medical license, License No. 29521, through the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact ("IMLC"). Your IMLC state of principal licensure ("SPL") is Georgia.

On October 18, 2023, the West Virginia Board of Medicine ("Board") received notification that you surrendered your Louisiana medical license in lieu of disciplinary action pursuant to a *Stipulation and Agreement* with the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners entered on August 28, 2023.

Accordingly, this letter is to inform you that your West Virginia medical license is automatically placed in suspended status pursuant to W. Va. Code § 30-1C-10(d), which provides as follows:

(d) If a license granted to a physician by a member board is revoked, surrendered or relinquished in lieu of discipline, or suspended, then any licenses issued to the physician by any other member boards shall be suspended, automatically and immediately without further action necessary by the other member boards, for ninety days upon entry of the order by the disciplining board, to permit the member boards to investigate the basis for the action under the Medical Practice Act of that state. A member board may terminate the automatic suspension of the license it

issued prior to the completion of the ninety-day suspension period in a manner consistent with the Medical Practice Act of that state.

W. Va. Code § 30-1C-10(d).

Please be advised that you are prohibited from practicing medicine and surgery pursuant to your West Virginia license while your license is in suspended status.

Sincerely,

Mark A. Spangler

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