Before the New Hampshire Board of Medicine Concord, New Hampshire

In the Matter of:
Michael E. Jiser, M.D.
(Application for License)

ORDER OF CONDITIONAL DENIAL

Now before the New Hampshire Board of Medicine ("the Board") is the Application for Temporary License for Michael E. Jiser, M.D. ("the Applicant," "the Respondent" or "Dr. Jiser"), submitted to the Board on March 15, 2018. The application was submitted to the Board for a temporary license, pending the Criminal History Record Check. The application for a temporary license was not sufficiently complete to permit Board review until March 29, 2018.

The Board reviewed Dr. Jiser's application for a temporary license at its regularly scheduled meeting of April 4, 2018. At this meeting, the Board voted to deny Dr. Jiser's application to practice medicine in New Hampshire. The grounds for denial are based upon a determination, under RSA 329:12, and RSA 329:14, II that Dr. Jiser has not demonstrated to the reasonable satisfaction of the Board that he has met the requirements of the law. The Board has concerns that Dr. Jiser demonstrates poor judgment managing critically ill patients, has inadequate clinical skills and lacks the necessary character qualifications to practice medicine in New Hampshire.

The Board reviewed Dr. Jiser's application, including but not limited to, the following information in making this determination:

- 1. The National Practitioner Data Bank report, which includes three (3) medical malpractice claims that were settled, two of which were settled for a significant amount;
- 2. Dr. Jiser's completed Uniform Application for Physician Licensure submitted to the Board on March 15, 2018, which includes six (6) malpractice cases; and
- 3. Federation Credentials Verification Services ("FCVS") received by the Board office on April 2, 2018.

More specifically, the Board's determination that Dr. Jiser's application should be denied is based, in part, on the number of malpractice cases from 2004 to 2015, with several having significant outcomes and three (3) still open and pending. The Board is not satisfied that Dr. Jiser possesses the fitness or character necessary for a license in New Hampshire.

Therefore, the present license application of Michael E. Jiser, M.D. shall be denied at 12:01 A.M., April 23, 2018, unless prior to 4:00 P.M., May 23, 2018, the Board actually receives at its office in Concord a written request for a hearing from the Applicant. If a timely hearing request is received, the application shall not be denied unless, following the resulting hearing, the Applicant fails to demonstrate that he is qualified for licensure. The burden of proof shall be on the Applicant to

demonstrate that he meets the professional character requirements for licensure under RSA 329:12 and RSA 329:14, II.

THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED, that the license application of Michael E. Jiser, M.D., be denied effective 12:01 A.M., April 23, 2018, as a 'final order' unless prior to 4:00 P.M., May 23, 2018, the Board receives a written request for a hearing; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that receipt of a timely filed hearing request shall automatically stay this Order and a further Order shall be issued in due course in which the Board establishes the date and time of the hearing, and specifies the issues to be heard; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that in accordance with RSA 329:18-a, IV, a 'final order' is a public document; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, any hearing held in response to this Order shall be conducted pursuant to RSA 329:18-a, RSA 541-A:31, and Med Chapter 200, and the burden of proof shall be upon the Applicant. The Applicant may request to be heard on any relevant matter of law or fact, but evidentiary proceedings shall be conducted only to the extent the Applicant has identified disputed factual issues which require resolution.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order shall take effect as an Order of the Board on the date it is signed by an authorized representative of the New Hampshire Board of Medicine.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD

DATE: 4/23/2018

Penny Taylor,/Administrator
Authorized Representative of the
New Hampshire Board of Medicine