STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS BUREAU OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES BOARD OF PHARMACY DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE

In the Matter of

MARTIN DENNIS RUDDOCK, M.D.

Complaint No. 53-14-134288

Professional License No.: 43-01-104089;

Controlled Substance License Nos. 53-15-062599,

53-15-062892, 53-15-062891, 53-15-063322, 53-15-063319,

53-15-062600, 53-15-062889, 53-15-062890, 53-15-062993,

53-15-063321, 53-15-063330

CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION

CONSENT ORDER

An administrative complaint was filed with the Disciplinary Subcommittee of the Board of Pharmacy on December 1, 2014, charging Martin Dennis Ruddock, M.D. (Respondent) with having violated section 17768(1) of the Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, as amended, MCL 333.1101 et seq.

The parties have stipulated that the Disciplinary Subcommittee may enter this consent order. The Disciplinary Subcommittee has reviewed the stipulation contained in this document and agrees that the public interest is best served by resolution of the outstanding complaint. Therefore, the Disciplinary Subcommittee finds that the allegations of fact contained in the complaint are true and that Respondent has violated section 17768(1) of the Public Health Code.

Accordingly, for these violations, IT IS ORDERED:

Respondent is REPRIMANDED.

Respondent is FINED \$500 to be paid by check, money order or cashier's check made payable to the State of Michigan (with complaint number 53-14-134288 clearly indicated on the check or money order) within 60 days from the effective date of this order. The timely payment of the fine shall be Respondent's responsibility. Respondent shall mail the fine to: Sanction Monitoring, Bureau of Health Care Services, Enforcement Division, Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, P.O. Box 30189, Lansing, Michigan 48909.

Respondent shall be responsible for all costs and expenses incurred in complying with the terms and conditions of this consent order.

Respondent shall be responsible for the timely compliance with the terms of this consent order, including the timely filing of any documentation. Failure to comply within the time limitations provided will constitute a violation of this order.

If Respondent violates any term or condition set forth in this order,
Respondent will be in violation of Mich Admin Code R 338.1632, and section
16221(h) of the Public Health Code.

This order shall be effective thirty days from the date signed by the Chairperson of the Disciplinary Subcommittee or the Disciplinary Subcommittee's authorized representative, as set forth below.

Signed on 4/8/15

MICHIGAN BOARD OF PHARMACY

Chairperson, Disciplinary Subcommittee

STIPULATION

The parties stipulate as follows:

- 1. The facts alleged in the complaint are true and constitute a violation of the Public Health Code.
- 2. Respondent understands and intends that, by signing this stipulation, he is waiving the right under the Public Health Code, rules promulgated under the Public Health Code, and the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq., to require the Department to prove the charges set forth in the complaint by presentation of evidence and legal authority, and to present a defense to the charges before the Disciplinary Subcommittee or its

authorized representative. Should the Disciplinary Subcommittee reject the proposed consent order, the parties reserve the right to proceed to hearing.

- 3. The Disciplinary Subcommittee may enter the above Consent Order, supported by Board conferee Dhafer Almaklani, R.Ph. Mr. Almaklani or an attorney from the Licensing and Regulation Division may discuss this matter with the Disciplinary Subcommittee in order to recommend acceptance of this resolution.
- 4. Mr. Almaklani and the parties considered the following factors in reaching this agreement:
 - A. Respondent acknowledges that during the brief time he worked for Scotsdale Women's Clinic, he administered low-dose sedation without a valid drug control license for that facility. However, he explained that this was the result of an unintentional oversight. During an April 22, 2014 interview with the Department Investigator, Respondent explained that once he agreed to work at Scotsdale on a temporary basis, the facility filed Respondent's applications for the necessary drug control and controlled substance licenses. However, the drug control license application was not issued until after Respondent had already left the facility. Respondent erroneously believed that both licenses had been issued. He indicated that he now understands the requirements for dispensing prescriptions and has complied with the requirements at subsequent facilities.

By signing this stipulation, the parties confirm that they have read, understand and agree with the terms of the consent order.

AGREED TO BY:

Bridget K. Smith (P71318) Assistant Attorney General Attorney for Complainant Dated: 3-18-15

AGREED TO BY:

Martin Dennis Ruddock, M.D.

Respondent

Dated: 03-18-2015

Jeffrey K Thomas (P35032)

Attorney for Respondent Dated:

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