## LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS



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In The Matter Of	:	No. 93-I-051-X
IFEANYI OKPALOBI, M.D. (Certificate No. 03923R)	:	ORDER TERMINATING PROBATION AND REINSTATING MEDICAL LICENSE
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This matter is before the Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners (the "Board") on the application of Ifeanyi Okpalobi, M.D. ("Dr. Okpalobi"), for the unrestricted reinstatement of his medical license. Heretofore, pursuant to Consent Order entered in 1999, the physician's license was suspended for three (3) months and thereafter placed on probation for three (3) years subject to his strict compliance with and satisfaction of various terms and conditions related to, among other matters, his ability to practice gynecological and obstetrical medicine with reasonable skill and safety to patients.<sup>1</sup>

Inasmuch as all available information indicates that the physician has complied with the terms and conditions of its Order previously entered and completed the probationary term imposed, and following his personal appearance at its meeting on December 10, 2002, the Board concluded that the public interest would be properly served and protected by the rescission of probation and all of the terms and conditions previously imposed upon Dr. Okpalobi's license to practice medicine in this state. Accordingly, pursuant to the authority vested in the Board by La. Rev. Stat. §37:1285(D) and the Consent Order entered herein;

IT IS ORDERED the Consent Order previously entered herein, and all of its terms and conditions, is hereby vacated and the license of Ifeanyi Okpalobi, M.D., to engage in the practice of medicine in the state of Louisiana, as evidenced by Certificate No. 03923R, be, and the same is hereby, effective as of the date hereof, REINSTATED WITHOUT RESTRICTION.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that this Order shall be, and shall be deemed to be, a public record.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Consent Order, In The Matter of Ifeanyi Okpalobi, M.D., La. St. Board Med. Exam. (Mar. 24, 1999).

New Orleans, Louisiana, this 23rd day of December, 2002.

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