

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF STATE BEFORE THE STATE BOARD OF MEDICINE

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Bureau of Professional and

Occupational Affairs

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vs.

Docket No. 1647-49-10 File No. 10-49-02410

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Kermit B. Gosnell, M.D.,

Respondent

CONSENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER

The Commonwealth, by and through the Bureau of Professional and Occupational, hereinafter the "Bureau" and Respondent (Kermit B. Gosnell, M.D.,) stipulate as follows in settlement of the above-captioned case.

- 1. This matter is before the State Board of Medicine pursuant to the Medical Practice Act of December 20, 1985, P.L. 457, No. 112, as amended ("Act"), 63 P.S. §422.1 et seq.
- 2. At all relevant and material times, **Kermit B. Gosnell, M.D.,** ("Respondent") holds a license to practice medicine in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, license number MD009422E. Said license is presently under a temporary suspension Order.
 - 3. Respondent admits that the following facts are true:
 - a. Respondent's license is suspended and expired on 12/31/10, but may be renewed thereafter upon the filing of the appropriate documentation and payment of the necessary fees.
 - b. Respondent's last known address on file with the Board is 3801 Lancaster Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19104.
 - c. Respondent last practiced in the Philadelphia area.

- d. On or about January 20, 2011, Respondent was arrested in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania and charged with Murder (18 Pa.C.S.A. Section 2502), Drug Delivery Resulting in Death (18 Pa.C.S.A. Section 2506) among other charges that relate to Respondent's practice of medicine. A copy of the Municipal Court Docket of the Respondent's criminal charges from Philadelphia County is attached hereto and incorporated by reference as **EXHIBIT A**.
- 4. The Department of State alleges that, by virtue of the foregoing, Respondent violated the Act at 63 P.S. Section 422.41 (8) (unprofessional conduct) in that Respondent has been charged with murder and drug law violations relating to his practice of medicine.
- 5. The Respondent, in consideration of this Consent Agreement, has chosen not to contest the above allegations of wrongdoing during the pendency of the criminal proceedings, but while admitting no guilt or wrongdoing, agrees that for the sole purpose of this proceeding before the Pennsylvania State Board of Medicine, this Consent Agreement shall have the same effect as if proven and ordered after a full hearing, and in so doing and intending to be legally bound, the participants consent to issuance of the following Order in settlement of this matter:
 - a. Respondent agrees that if the criminal charges referenced in Exhibit A are proven, those allegations would be a violation of 63 P.S. §422.41 (8). Respondent, for the purpose of this Consent Agreement, stipulates to the jurisdiction of the Board to enter this Order.
 - b. The Respondent shall **voluntarily surrender** his license, No. MD009422E, while his criminal case is pending in the Philadelphia County Court of Common Pleas. Upon adoption of this Order the Respondent shall cease and desist from practicing in this

Commonwealth and shall not represent himself as a licensee of the Pennsylvania State Board of Medicine in any manner whatsoever. The Respondent shall not apply to renew or reinstate his license while his criminal case is pending. Within ten days of the adoption of this Order the Respondent shall surrender his wall certificate, registration certificate and wallet card by mailing them to Juan Ruiz, Prosecuting Attorney, Legal Office, Department of State, 2601 North Third St, Harrisburg, PA 17105.

- c. Should the Respondent be acquitted of the above-charges listed in Exhibit A

 Respondent may petition the Board to reinstate his medical license.
- d. Additionally, if there is an acquittal, the Department of State reserves the right to proceed with an Order to Show Cause in a Formal Hearing if it deems that there is evidence of a Medical Practice Act violation.
- 6. Respondent knowingly and voluntarily waives the right to an administrative hearing in this matter, and to the following rights related to that hearing: to be represented by counsel at the hearing; to present witnesses and testimony in defense or in mitigation of any sanction that may be imposed for a violation; to cross examine witnesses and to challenge evidence presented by the Commonwealth; to present legal arguments by means of a brief; and to take an appeal from any final adverse decision.
- 7. This Consent Agreement is between the Commonwealth, by and through the Bureau, and Respondent only. Except as otherwise noted, this Agreement is to have no legal effect unless and until the Office of General Counsel approves the contents as to form and legality and the Board issues the stipulated Order.
 - 8. Should the Board not approve this Consent Agreement, presentation to and

consideration of this Consent Agreement and other documents and matters by the Board shall not prejudice the Board or any of its members from further participation in the adjudication of this matter, but the Consent Agreement and all exhibits shall be withdrawn and shall be neither used nor mentioned in any subsequent proceedings, nor shall any admissions contained herein constitute admissions in this or any other context, document or proceeding, used for any purpose other than the furtherance of this Consent Agreement. This paragraph is binding on the participants even if the Board does not approve this Consent Agreement.

- Respondent agrees, as a condition of entering into this Consent Agreement, not to seek modification at a later date of the stipulated Order adopting and implementing this Consent Agreement without first obtaining the express written concurrence of the Prosecution Division, unless the Order varies in any way from the stipulations.
- 10. This Agreement contains the whole agreement between the participants. There are no other terms, obligations, covenants, representations, statements or conditions, or otherwise, of any kind whatsoever, concerning this Agreement.
- 11. Respondent verifies that the facts and statements set forth in this Agreement are true and correct to the best of Respondent's knowledge, information and belief. Respondent understands that statements in this Agreement are made subject to the criminal penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. §4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

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Kermit B./Gosnell, M.D., Respondent

Juan Ruiz

Prosecuting Attorney Department of State

DATED: 2/16/11

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CASE INFORMATION

Cross Court Docket Nos: PARS-MC-51-CR-0002714-2011

Judge Assigned:

OTN: N7228605

Initial Issuing Authority:

Arresting Agency: Philadelphia Pd

Case Local Number Type(s)

District Control Number

Date Filed: 01/20/2011

Initiation Date: 01/20/2011

Lower Court Docket No: MC-51-CR-0002714-2011

Final Issuing Authority:

Arresting Officer: WOOD JR, JAMES M

Case Local Number(s) 1071000056

STATUS INFORMATION

Case Status: Active

Status Date

Processing Status

Arrest Date:

01/19/2011

01/20/2011

Awaiting Preliminary Hearing

Complaint Date:

01/20/2011

CALENDAR EVENTS

Case Calendar Event Type

Schedule Start Date Start <u>Time</u> Room

Judge Name

Schedule

Status

Preliminary.

01/20/2011

12:41 pm

B08

Arraignment Court Magistrate

Scheduled

Arraignment

Arraignment

02/09/2011

9:00 am

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Jane M. Rice

Scheduled

Preliminary Hearing

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

Date Of Birth:

02/09/1941

City/State/Zip: Philadelphia, PA 19104

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CASE PARTICIPANTS

Participant Type

<u>Name</u>

Defendant

Gosnell, Kermit B B.

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3 / Conspiracy Murder 3	Proceed to Court	18§903§§C
3 / Criminal Conspiracy Engaging Murder	Proceed to Court	18§903§§A1
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8 / Drug Delivery Resulting In Death	Proceed to Court	18§2506§§A
9 / Corrupt Organizations	Proceed to Court	18§911§§B1
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Philadelphia County District Attorney's

Name:

Prosecutor

Supreme Court No:

Supreme Court No: Phone Number(s):

Rep. Status:

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ORDER

AND NOW, this 22 day of February, 2011 the State Board of Medicine adopts and approves the foregoing Consent Agreement and incorporates the terms of paragraph 5, which shall constitute the Board's Order and is now issued in resolution of this matter.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

BY ORDER:

BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL AFFAIRS

STATE BOARD OF MEDICINE

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Acting

Commissioner

Carol E. Rose, M.D., Chairperson

Carol E. Rose

Chairman

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