

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

In re:)
ASHUTOSH VIRMANI, M.D.,) CONSENT ORDER
Respondent.)

THIS MATTER is before the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina ("Board") upon matters regarding Ashutosh Virmani, M.D. ("Respondent"); and whereas, it appears from information obtained by the investigative staff of the Board that Respondent has engaged in an improper personal liaison with a patient; and whereas, Respondent has conceded that he used poor judgment in this situation and wishes to resolve this matter without need for formal hearing procedures which otherwise would be applicable and is prepared to agree to the terms and conditions hereinafter provided; and whereas, the Board has determined that it would be in the public interest so as to resolve this matter.

Now, therefore, with the consent of Respondent it is ORDERED that:

1. Respondent shall forthwith surrender his license to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina.
2. On July 1, 1992 Respondent shall be issued by the Board a license for the practice of medicine in North Carolina valid for a period of six months from the date of issue.
3. Respondent shall, as soon as possible, consult for evaluation and possible treatment regarding this situation a

psychiatrist knowledgeable in the area of boundary problems. The Executive Secretary of the Board can provide Respondent with a list of psychiatrists so qualified.

4. If recommended by the psychiatrist consulted by Respondent, Respondent shall enter upon such course of psychotherapy as his psychiatrist may recommend, in which event Respondent shall cause his psychiatrist to provide reports to the Board every three months regarding his treatment and progress.

5. Respondent shall sign and abide by a contract with the Physician Health and Effectiveness Program ("PHEP"), the terms and conditions of which shall be as determined by the Medical Director of PHEP.

6. Within the next six months Respondent shall obtain not less than 25 hours of continuing medical education pertinent to his practice specialty and shall document the same to the Board.

7. Respondent shall meet again with the Board on an informal basis at the regular meeting of the Board in January, 1993.

8. Upon execution, this Consent Order shall become a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the North Carolina General Statutes and shall be subject to public inspection and dissemination.

SO ORDERED, this 30th day of June, 1992.

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS OF THE
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

By: *Hector H. Henry, II*
Hector H. Henry, II, M.D.
President

ATTEST:

Bryant D. Paris, Jr.
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Executive Secretary

Consented to this 29 day of June, 1992.

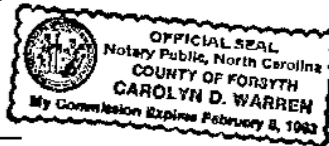
Ashutosh Virmani MD
ASHUTOSH VIRMANI, M.D.

Subscribed before me by Ashutosh Virmani, M.D. this 22 day of
June, 1992.

Carolyn D. Warren
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

February 8, 1993



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