IN THE MATTER OF SAUL J. WEINREB, M.D. * BEFORE THE MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF PHYSICIANS
License No. D61299 * Case No. 7713-0118

ORDER TERMINATING SUSPENSION AND IMPOSING PROBATION

On April 12, 2013, the Maryland State Board of Physicians (the “Board”) charged Respondent Saul J. Weinreb, M.D. with immoral and unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine. See Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. § 14-404(a)(3)(i) and (ii).

On June 26, 2013, in order to resolve the charges, the Board and Dr. Weinreb entered into a Consent Order in which the Board concluded that he violated section 14-404(a)(3)(i) and (ii) of the Health Occupations Article. As a sanction, the Board suspended Dr. Weinreb’s license to practice medicine in Maryland until he completed an evaluation by the Maryland Professional Rehabilitation Program (“MPRP”) to determine what treatment and conditions, if any, are necessary in order to ensure that Dr. Weinreb interacts appropriately with patients. The Board’s Reinstatement Inquiry Panel reviewed the MPRP evaluation and recommendations, and, on November 6, 2013, met with Dr. Weinreb, Dr. Weinreb’s counsel, and the administrative prosecutor to determine appropriate conditions for the termination of the suspension. As a result of this meeting, it is hereby

ORDERED that the suspension of Dr. Weinreb’s license to practice medicine, which was imposed in the June 26, 2013, Consent Order, is TERMINATED; and it is further
ORDERED that Dr. Weinreb is placed on PROBATION for a minimum period of SIX MONTHS. During the probationary period Dr. Weinreb shall fully comply with the following probationary terms and conditions:

1. Dr. Weinreb shall be enrolled in the MPRP for treatment and shall be entered in a Board-monitored Participant Rehabilitation Agreement. For the duration of the probationary period, Dr. Weinreb shall fully and timely cooperate and comply with all MPRP recommendations, referrals, rules, and requirements, including but not limited to, the terms and conditions of any Participant Rehabilitation Agreement(s) and Participant Rehabilitation Plan(s) entered into with the MPRP, including any psychotherapy and psychiatric treatment and evaluations recommended by the MPRP;

2. Dr. Weinreb shall sign any written release/consent forms, and update them, as required by the Board and the MPRP. Specifically, Dr. Weinreb shall sign any written release/consent forms required by the Board to authorize the MPRP to make verbal and written disclosures to the Board, including disclosure of any and all MPRP records and files. Dr. Weinreb shall also sign any written release/consent forms required by the MPRP to authorize the MPRP to exchange with (i.e., disclose to and receive from) outside entities (including all of Dr. Weinreb’s current therapists and treatment providers) verbal and written information about him;

3. Within six months, Dr. Weinreb shall successfully complete a Board-approved, one-on-one tutorial in medical ethics. Dr. Weinreb shall provide the Board with documentation that he successfully completed the tutorial. The
tutorial may not be used fulfill continuing medical education credits required for license renewal;

4. Dr. Weinreb must have a female chaperone present for all of his clinical interactions with female patients;

5. Dr. Weinreb may only contact patients for legitimate clinical purposes and must properly document all of his communications with patients;

6. Dr. Weinreb shall meet with a Board-approved professional mentor, who is also a physician, on, at least, a monthly basis to address Dr. Weinreb’s professional behavior. Dr. Weinreb shall meet more often with his professional mentor if the professional mentor deems it appropriate. Dr. Weinreb is responsible for ensuring that the mentor provides the Board with monthly reports. The meetings shall include a review of Dr. Weinreb’s cases, identification of any concerns, and feedback with regard to his behavior and his management of patients;

7. Dr. Weinreb’s practice settings shall be approved by the Board, and Dr. Weinreb shall comply with all reasonable requests for information and material on his proposed practice settings; and

8. Dr. Weinreb shall comply with the Maryland Medical Practice Act, Health Occ. §§ 14-101 – 14-702, and all laws and regulations governing the practice of medicine in Maryland.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Dr. Weinreb violates any term or condition of probation or this order, the Board or a disciplinary panel of the Board, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing, may impose additional sanctions authorized under sections 14-404 and
14-405.1 of the Health Occupations Article, including a reprimand, additional terms and conditions of probation, the suspension or revocation of his Maryland medical license, and/or a fine; and it is further

**ORDERED** that, after six months from the date of this order, Dr. Weinreb may submit a written petition to the Board requesting termination of probation. The Board will terminate the probation administratively if Dr. Weinreb has fully and satisfactorily complied with the conditions of probation and this order and there are no pending complaints against him. The probation will not be terminated until there is an order from the Board terminating the probation; and it is further

**ORDERED** that Dr. Weinreb may not petition for earlier termination of probation; and it is further

**ORDERED** that Dr. Weinreb is responsible for all costs incurred in fulfilling the terms and conditions of this order; and it is further

**ORDERED** that this order is a public document.

\[11/13/2013\]

Date

Christine A. Farrelly, Acting Executive Director
Maryland State Board of Physicians