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November 19, 2009

Miguel Frontera, M.D.  
6317 Canter Way  
Baltimore, MD 21212

Case No. 2009-0760  
License No. D37559  
Respondent: Miguel A. Frontera, M.D.

Dear Dr. Frontera:

On November 6, 2009, the Board issued an **ORDER FOR SUMMARY SUSPENSION OF LICENSE TO PRACTICE** in this case. Dr. Frontera was given an opportunity to attend a hearing on that issue on November 18, 2009. Dr. Frontera attended the hearing on that date together with his counsel, Natalie Magdeburger, Esq. The State was represented by Robert J. Gilbert, Esq., Administrative Prosecutor.

After considering the presentations at the hearing, the Board determined that it would not lift the summary suspension first imposed on November 6, 2009. The Board concluded that the documents and arguments submitted and the responses to the Board's questions did not significantly change the Board's findings or conclusions regarding the danger to the public which would be posed by your practicing medicine at this time. The Board advised you of this decision orally immediately after the hearing.

Under the Board regulations, you have the right to request a full evidentiary hearing before an Administrative Law Judge. This request will be granted if you make it within ten days of the date of this letter. Any request for a hearing should be made to Barbara Vona, Esq., Chief of Compliance Administration at the Board's address listed above. If you request such a hearing, the regulations require that an Administrative Law Judge set the hearing to begin within 30 days of your request.

This letter constitutes an order of the Board resulting from formal disciplinary action and is therefore a public document.

Sincerely yours,



John T. Papasiviliou,  
Deputy Director

C: Natalie Magdeburger, Esq. (By Fax & Mail)  
Robert J. Gilbert, Esq. (By Fax & Mail)