IN THE MATTER OF

BEFORE THE

PETER BRUCE SHERER, M.D.

MARYLAND STATE

Respondent

BOARD OF PHYSICIANS

License Number: D21910

Case Number: 7722-0030

## **ORDER**

On October 5, 2021, Disciplinary Panel B (the "Panel") of the Maryland State Board of Physicians (the "Board") and Peter Bruce Sherer, M.D. entered into a Consent Order, wherein Panel B concluded, as a matter of law, that Dr. Sherer failed to meet the appropriate standards for the delivery of quality medical or surgical care and failed to keep adequate medical records as determined by appropriate peer review. Dr. Sherer was reprimanded, placed on probation until he successfully completed a course in medical recordkeeping, permanently prohibited from prescribing and dispensing all opioids, prohibited from supervising Physician Assistants in their prescribing of opioids as limited by the Consent Order, and permanently prohibited from certifying patients for the medical use of cannabis. Dr. Sherer has fully and satisfactorily complied with all of the terms and conditions of the probation imposed by the October 5, 2021 Consent Order. It is thus hereby

ORDERED that the probation imposed by the October 5, 2021 Consent Order is TERMINATED; and it is further

ORDERED that the reprimand remains in effect; and it is further

ORDERED that the permanent prohibitions on prescribing and dispensing all opioids, delegating to physician assistants the prescribing of opioids, and certifying patients for the medical use of cannabis remain in effect; and it is further

ORDERED that on every January 31st thereafter if the Respondent holds a Maryland medical license, the Respondent shall provide the Board with an affidavit verifying that he has not prescribed opioids or certified patients for the medical use of cannabis in the prior year; and it is further

**ORDERED** that if the Respondent fails to provide the required annual verification of compliance with these conditions:

- (1) there is a presumption that the Respondent has violated the permanent condition; and
- (2) the alleged violation will be adjudicated pursuant to the procedures of a show cause hearing; and is further

**ORDERED** that the disciplinary panel may issue administrative subpoenas to the Maryland Prescription Drug Monitoring Program for the Respondent's Controlled Dangerous Substances ("CDS") prescriptions; and it is further

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

 $\frac{01/12/2022}{\text{Date}}$ 

Signature on File

Christine A. Farrelly Executive Director

Maryland State Board of Physicians