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Date: May 11, 2022

Mark Olszyk, M.D., Chair  
Disciplinary Panel A  
Maryland State Board of Physicians  
4201 Patterson Avenue, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Baltimore, MD 21215-2299

Re: Surrender of License to Practice Medicine  
Kamakshi Neelkantan, M.D.  
License Number: D24744  
Case Number: 7722-0029

Dear Dr. Olszyk and Members of Disciplinary Panel A:

Please be advised that, pursuant to Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. ("Health Occ.") §14-403 (2021 Repl. Vol.), I have decided to **SURRENDER** my license to practice medicine in the State of Maryland, License Number D24744, effective immediately. I understand that upon surrender of my license, I may not practice medicine, with or without compensation, in the State of Maryland as it is defined in the Maryland Medical Practice Act (the "Act"), Health Occ. §§ 14-101 *et seq.* and other applicable laws. In other words, as of the effective date of this Letter of Surrender, I understand that the surrender of my license means that I am in the same position as an unlicensed individual in the State of Maryland.

I understand that this Letter of Surrender is a **PUBLIC DOCUMENT**, and upon Disciplinary Panel A's ("Panel A") acceptance, becomes a **FINAL ORDER** of Panel A of the Maryland State Board of Physicians (the "Board").

I acknowledge that the Board initiated an investigation of my practice and on May 14, 2021, Panel A issued disciplinary charges against me under Health Occ. § 14-404(a)(22) (fails to meet the appropriate standards as determined by appropriate peer review for the delivery of quality medical care in this State) and (40) (Fails to keep adequate medical records as determined by appropriate peer review). I resolved these disciplinary charges through a Consent Order with Panel A, dated September 14, 2021, in which Panel A found that I had violated Health Occ. § 14-404(a)(22) and (40). The Consent Order reprimanded me, placed me on probation for a minimum of two (2) years, required that I successfully complete courses in medication-assisted treatment and recordkeeping, required that I be supervised by a Panel-approved supervisor who is board-certified in addiction medicine, and required that I pay a fine of \$2,500.00 within two years of the effective date of the Consent Order.

After issuing two extensions for me to find a supervisor to comply with the 2021 Consent Order, the Panel issued an order of suspension, on February 22, 2022, in accordance with the terms of the 2021 Consent Order.. (Attached as Exhibit 1). On March 23, 2022, Panel A issued a Violation of Board Order and Notice to Show Cause alleging that I violated the supervisory

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Show Cause, because I no longer wish to comply with the terms of the 2021 Consent Order, and because I am retiring from the practice of medicine. I acknowledge that the allegations in the Violation of Board Order and Notice to Show Cause are treated as proven and the 2021 Consent Order remains and will continue to be a valid Final Order of the Board, however, upon acceptance of the Letter of Surrender, I will not be required to comply with the conditions of the Order as long as I do not have or possess an active medical license in Maryland.

I wish to make it clear that I have voluntarily, knowingly and freely chosen to submit this Letter of Surrender to avoid the issuance of charges and prosecution for failing to comply with the terms and conditions of the Consent Order. I do not wish to contest these allegations. I understand that by executing this Letter of Surrender I am waiving my right to contest the Violation of Board Order and Notice to Show Cause in a formal hearing at which I would have had the right to counsel and all other substantive and procedural protections provided by law.


I understand that the Board will advise the Federation of State Medical Boards and the National Practitioner Data Bank of this Letter of Surrender. I also understand that in the event I would apply for licensure in any form in any other state or jurisdiction that this Letter of Surrender may be released or published by the Board to the same extent as a final order that would result from disciplinary action, pursuant to Md. Code Ann., Gen. Prov. §§ 4-101 *et seq.* (2019), and that this Letter of Surrender constitutes a disciplinary action by Panel A.

I affirm that I will provide access to and copies of patient medical records to my patients in compliance with Title 4, subtitle 3 of the Health General Article. I also agree to surrender my Controlled Dangerous Substances Registration to the Office of Controlled Substances Administration.

I further recognize and agree that by submitting this Letter of Surrender, my license in Maryland will remain surrendered unless and until the Board grants reinstatement. In the event that I apply for reinstatement of my Maryland License, I understand that Panel A or its successor is not required to grant reinstatement; and, if it does grant reinstatement, may impose any terms and conditions the disciplinary panel considers appropriate for public safety and the protection of the integrity and reputation of the profession. I further understand that if I file a petition for reinstatement, I will approach Panel A or its successor in the same position as an individual whose license has been revoked.

I acknowledge that I may not rescind this Letter of Surrender in part or in its entirety for any reason whatsoever. Finally, I wish to make clear that I have been advised of my right to be represented by an attorney of my choice throughout proceedings before Panel A, including the right to consult with an attorney prior to signing this Letter of Surrender. I consulted with and was represented by an attorney prior to signing this letter surrendering my license to practice medicine in Maryland. I understand both the nature of Panel A's actions and this Letter of Surrender fully. I acknowledge that I understand and comprehend the language, meaning and terms and effect of this Letter of Surrender. I make this decision knowingly and voluntarily.

Very truly yours,

  
**Signature on File**

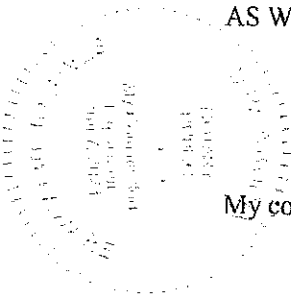
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NOTARY

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CITY/COUNTY OF New Castle

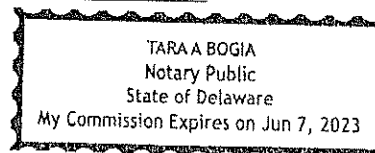
I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 10 day of May, 2022 before me, a Notary Public of the City/County aforesaid, personally appeared Kamakshi Neelkantan, M.D., and declared and affirmed under the penalties of perjury that the signing of this Letter of Surrender was her voluntary act and deed.

AS WITNESS my hand and Notarial seal.



My commission expires:

Tara A Bogia  
Notary Public



ACCEPTANCE

On behalf of Disciplinary Panel A, on this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022, I, Christine A. Farrelly, accept Kamakshi Neelkantan, M.D.'s, **PUBLIC SURRENDER** of her license to practice medicine in the State of Maryland.

***Signature on File***

Christine A. Farrelly, Executive Director  
Maryland Board of Physicians

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# Exhibit 1

IN THE MATTER OF	*	BEFORE THE
KAMAKSHI NEELKANTAN, M.D.	*	MARYLAND STATE
Respondent	*	BOARD OF PHYSICIANS
License Number: D24744	*	Case Number: 7722-0029
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### ORDER OF SUSPENSION

On September 14, 2021, Disciplinary Panel A (“Panel A”) of the Maryland State Board of Physicians (the “Board”) and Kamashi Neelkantan, M.D., entered into Consent Order wherein the Panel concluded, as a matter of law, that Dr. Neelkantan had failed to meet the appropriate standards for the delivery of quality medical care and failed to keep adequate medical records as determined by appropriate peer review. Dr. Neelkantan was reprimanded, placed on probation for a minimum of two (2) years, and required to comply with certain terms and conditions, including:

“(2) [...]

- (a) within **30 CALENDAR DAYS** of the effective date of this Consent Order, [Dr. Neelkantan] shall provide the disciplinary panel with the name, pertinent professional background information of the supervisor whom the Respondent is offering for approval, and written notice to the disciplinary panel from the supervisor confirming his or her acceptance of the supervisory role of [Dr. Neelkantan] and that there is no personal or professional relationship with the supervisor.”

The Consent Order also stated:

- (c) if [Dr. Neelkantan] fails to provide a proposed supervisor's name within 30 calendar days from the effective date of the order, [Dr. Neelkantan] license shall be automatically suspended from the 31st day until [Dr. Neelkantan] provides the name and background of a supervisor[.]

On November 18, 2021, Panel A extended the deadline to December 20, 2021 for Dr. Neelkantan to propose a supervisor.

On January 12, 2022, Panel A again extended the deadline to February 18, 2022 for Dr. Neelkantan to propose a supervisor.

To date, Dr. Neelkantan has not proposed a supervisor for the Board's approval. It is thus, pursuant to the September 14, 2021 Consent Order, hereby

**ORDERED** that Dr. Neelkantan's license to practice medicine in the State of Maryland is hereby **SUSPENDED**; and it is further

**ORDERED** that Dr. Neelkantan's license to practice medicine in the State of Maryland shall remain suspended until she proposes a supervisor for Panel A's approval; and it is further

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

02/22/2022  
Date

***Signature on File***

Christine A. Farrelly  
Executive Director  
Maryland State Board of Physicians