

IN THE MATTER OF

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BEFORE THE

BARBARA L. LEIGHTON, M.D.

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MARYLAND STATE

Respondent

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BOARD OF PHYSICIANS

License Number: D79979

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Case Number: 7717-0076

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**ORDER TERMINATING PROBATION**

On March 21, 2017, Disciplinary Panel A (the "Panel") of the Maryland State Board of Physicians and Barbara L. Leighton, M.D., entered into a Consent Order, wherein the Panel concluded, as a matter of law, that Dr. Leighton was guilty of unprofessional conduct in the practice of medicine, habitually intoxicated, and provided professional services while under the influence of alcohol.<sup>1</sup> Dr. Leighton was reprimanded and placed on probation for a minimum of one (1) year with terms and conditions. Dr. Leighton has fully and satisfactorily complied with all of the terms and conditions of the probation imposed by the March 21, 2017 Consent Order. It is thus hereby

**ORDERED** that the probation imposed by the March 21, 2017 Consent Order is **TERMINATED**; and it is further

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

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

*Signature on File*

04/15/2020  
Date

Christine A. Farrelly  
Executive Director  
Maryland State Board of Physicians

<sup>1</sup> A copy of the March 21, 2017 Consent Order is incorporated by reference and available upon request.