

IN THE MATTER OF	*	BEFORE THE
SCOTT HASWELL, M.D.	*	MARYLAND STATE BOARD
Respondent	*	OF PHYSICIANS
License Number: D34652	*	Case No. 2008-0508 & 2008-0511
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ORDER TERMINATING SUSPENSION

On July 23, 2009, the Maryland State Board of Physicians ("the Board") suspended Scott Haswell, M.D.'s license to practice medicine in Maryland for a period of three years, with all but one year of the suspension stayed. The Board's Order was based on the Respondent's inappropriate sexual relationship with a patient. See Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. §§ 14-404(a)(3)(i) & (ii). Under the Board's Order, Dr. Haswell was also required to successfully complete a medical ethics course with an emphasis on boundary issues and receive a psychiatric evaluation from a Board approved psychiatrist attesting to his fitness to practice medicine. Dr. Haswell successfully completed an ethics course as well as participated in an individualized ethics tutorial. Also, the psychiatric evaluation was completed and found that he can safely resume the practice of medicine. Having satisfied the terms of the Board's Order, Dr. Haswell has requested that the suspension of his license be terminated. According to the terms of the Order, a three year period of probation would be imposed upon the termination of the suspension.

It is therefore:

ORDERED that the suspension of Dr. Haswell's license to practice medicine in Maryland is terminated and that his license to practice medicine is reinstated; and it is further

ORDERED that Dr. Haswell is placed on probation for a minimum period of three years and until the following terms and conditions are fully and satisfactorily complied with:

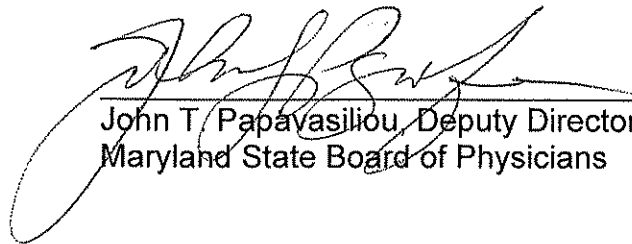
- 1) Dr. Haswell must have a female chaperone present with him for every female patient; and
- 2) Dr. Haswell must comply with the Maryland Medical Practice Act and all applicable laws, statutes, and regulations governing the practice of medicine in Maryland; and it is further

ORDERED that a violation of any of these conditions will be a violation of this Order, and the Board, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing, may impose additional sanctions authorized under the Maryland Medical Practice Act, including suspension, additional probation, reprimand, monetary fine, or the revocation of his license to practice medicine in Maryland; and it is further

ORDERED that, after three years from the effective date of this Order Terminating Suspension, Dr. Haswell may submit a written petition to the Board requesting the termination of probation. After consideration of the petition, the probation may be terminated, through an order of the Board or designated Board committee. The Board, or designated Board committee, will grant the termination if Dr. Haswell has fully and satisfactorily complied with all of the probationary terms and conditions; and it is further

ORDERED that this Order is a public document.

9/22/10
Date


John T. Papavasiliou, Deputy Director
Maryland State Board of Physicians