

IN THE MATTER OF	*	BEFORE THE MARYLAND
VICTORIA E. STEINER-LARSON, M.D.*		STATE BOARD OF
Respondent	*	PHYSICIANS
License No: D35527	*	Case No: 7715-0040 & 2014-0862

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ORDER TERMINATING CONDITION

On November 18, 2014, the Maryland State Board of Physicians (the "Board") and Victoria E. Steiner-Larson, M.D. entered into a consent order (the "Consent Order") under which Dr. Steiner-Larson was reprimanded and placed on probation for a minimum of two years with probationary terms and conditions. A probationary condition of the Consent Order, "Condition Two," provided that:

The Respondent shall not provide any pain management treatment to patients and shall not prescribe any CDS. However, if the Respondent successfully complete Condition Three (3) below and meets with Disciplinary Panel A at a DCCR to address the Respondent's anticipated CDS prescribing, Disciplinary Panel A may authorize the Respondent to resume prescribing CDS and practicing pain management. Disciplinary Panel A may also impose reasonable conditions upon the Respondent's CDS prescribing. Thus, upon completion of the opioid prescribing course required in Condition Three (3), the Respondent shall petition Disciplinary Panel A for a DCCR[.]

On February 24, 2015, Dr. Steiner-Larson requested that the Board terminate the restriction on her prescribing authority under Condition Two. Dr. Steiner-Larson submitted documentary evidence that she purchased and read Responsible Opioid Prescribing, A Physician's Guide by Scott M. Fishman, M.D., as required by Condition One of the Consent Order and that she successfully completed a Panel approved course on the appropriate prescribing of opioid medication, as required by Condition Three. On October 14, 2015, Dr. Steiner-Larson appeared before Disciplinary Panel A (the "Panel"), seeking approval of her

request to terminate Condition Two of her probation. The Panel grants Dr. Steiner-Larson's request with one condition. The Panel will monitor Dr. Steiner-Larson's CDS prescribing by ordering quarterly queries of her prescribing through the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program ("PDMP"). At the hearing Dr. Steiner-Larson orally requested an early termination to her probation. The early termination request is denied.

It is, thus, hereby

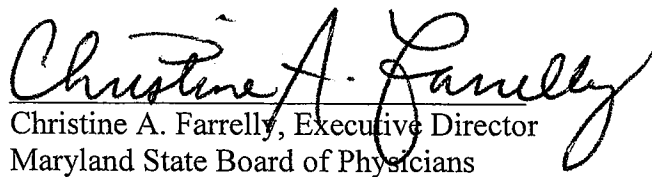
ORDERED that the condition prohibiting Dr. Steiner-Larson from providing pain management treatment to patients and from prescribing any Controlled Dangerous Substances set forth in the Consent Order, dated November 18, 2014 is terminated; and it is further

ORDERED that Disciplinary Panel A will query the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program on a quarterly basis to monitor Dr. Steiner-Larson's CDS prescribing; and it is further

ORDERED that the remaining terms, conditions, and length of probation detailed in the November 18, 2014 Consent Order remain unchanged; and it is further

ORDERED that this Order is a public document under Md. Code Ann., Gen. Prov. § 4-101 *et seq.*

10/19/2015
Date


Christine A. Farrelly, Executive Director
Maryland State Board of Physicians