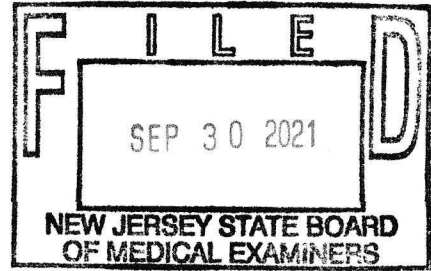


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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION
OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF

MUHAMMAD A. MIRZA, M.D.
LICENSE NO. 25MA07267400

TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE
TO FILE ANSWER

TO: Muhammad A. Mirza, M.D.
C/o Paul D. Werner, Esq.
Buttaci Leardi & Werner
212 Carnegie Center, Suite 202
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners (the "Board") by Verified Complaint of Andrew J. Bruck, Acting Attorney General of New Jersey, by Michael Antenucci and Daniel Evan Leef Hewitt, Deputy Attorneys General, together with supporting documents and exhibits, seeking the immediate suspension of the license of Respondent, Muhammad A. Mirza, M.D. ("Respondent"), to practice medicine and surgery and for such other relief deemed appropriate, pursuant to the authority conferred on the Board by N.J.S.A. 45:1-14 to -27 and related administrative regulations. It being alleged in the Verified Complaint that Respondent committed serious violations of the statutes and regulations governing the practice of medicine, and it being further alleged that the continued practice of medicine by Respondent pending final disposition of the Verified Complaint would represent a clear and imminent danger to the public health, safety, and welfare, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 45:1-22; and for good cause shown:

IT IS ON THIS 30 day of September 2021,

ORDERED that Respondent, either in person or by attorney or both, show cause before the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners, or a Committee thereof, on **the 13th Day of October, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.** or as soon thereafter as the parties may be heard, **at the Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex, 4th Floor, 25 Market Street, Trenton, NJ 08625-0183** or by **videoconference as directed by the Board**, why an Order should not be entered immediately suspending Respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in this State, or imposing such other restraints as the Board deems necessary; and it is further

ORDERED that a copy of this Order, together with the Verified Complaint and materials in support thereof be served upon Respondent forthwith; and it is further

ORDERED that Respondent shall file an Answer to the charges contained in the Verified Complaint, and a Response to the Order to Show Cause, **on or before October 4, 2021**; said Answer and Response to be delivered to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners, 140 East Front Street, Second Floor, P.O. Box 183, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0183, with a copy delivered on that same date and time to Michael Antenucci, Deputy Attorney General, Division of Law, 124 Halsey Street, 5th Floor, P.O. Box 45029, Newark, New Jersey 07101; and it is further

ORDERED that failure to respond to this Order to Show Cause or failure to file an Answer to the Verified Complaint or failure to appear before the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners in person or through an attorney, as is herein required, may result in this matter being considered in Respondent's absence on the proofs presented and an Order may be entered against Respondent for any and all relief demanded in the Verified Complaint; and it is further

ORDERED that an admission of the charges will indicate that Respondent does not wish to contest the charges stated, rendering a plenary hearing unnecessary in this matter. The case will then be presented to the State Board of Medical Examiners within thirty (30) days of the receipt of Respondent's Answer or on an adjourned date, together with any written materials he may wish to submit with the Answer in alleged mitigation of penalty, for a determination as to whether disciplinary actions, including suspension or revocation of Respondent's license to practice medicine or other sanctions should be imposed and whether monetary penalties and costs should be assessed and, if so, the amount thereof, pursuant to the authority conferred on the Board by N.J.S.A. 45:9-1 et seq. and N.J.S.A. 45:1-14 et seq.; and it is further

ORDERED that a denial of the charges will result in a formal plenary hearing which may be conducted by the Board or by an administrative law judge, who, upon notice to Respondent, will hear the Complaint and consider the imposition of disciplinary sanctions. Respondent may

appear at the hearing either in person or by attorney or both, and shall be afforded an opportunity at the time to make defense to any and all charges.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'SM', is written over a horizontal line.

By: **METZGER, Scott E., M.D.**
Scott E. Metzger, M.D.,
Board President

KINDLY ADDRESS AN ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY OF RESPONDENT'S ANSWER SPECIFICALLY RESPONDING TO EACH PARAGRAPH OF THE VERIFIED COMPLAINT AND HIS RESPONSE TO THE ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE TO:

ANTONIA WINSTEAD, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
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and

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