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IN THE MATTER OF
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

J. GREGORY HOFFMANN, M.D. **ORDER ACCEPTING**
RESPONDENT. **SURRENDER**
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The parties to this action for the purposes of § 227.53, Wis. Stats., are:

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Wisconsin Medical Examining Board
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The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the decision of this matter, subject to the approval of the Board. The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent John Gregory Hoffmann, M.D. (dob 7/26/50) is and was at all times relevant to the facts set forth herein a physician and surgeon licensed in the State of Wisconsin pursuant to license #26569, first granted on 2/1/85. Respondent is a family practitioner. Respondent is presently practicing under an Order of the Board dated October 22, 1997, which limits his license consistent with treatment recommendations for his diagnosis of alcohol dependence. At this time, respondent represents that he is in full compliance with all the terms and conditions of that Order, and the Board has no information to the contrary.
2. Respondent has notified the Board that he is retiring from the practice of medicine and surgery, and desires to surrender his registration.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

A. The Wisconsin Medical Examining Board has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to §448.02(3), Wis. Stats. and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to §227.44(5), Wis. Stats.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the attached Stipulation is accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that effective the date of this Order, the SURRENDER of the registration, and the right to renew the registration, of the license to practice medicine and surgery of John Gregory Hoffmann, M.D., is ACCEPTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that if respondent desires to register his Wisconsin license at any time in the future, he may petition the Board in accordance with the terms set forth in the Stipulation. Respondent shall not practice medicine and surgery without being currently registered. Respondent shall maintain (or arrange for the maintenance of) his patients' health care records pursuant to § Med 21.03(1), Wis. Adm. Code, and may respond to questions from successor providers about patients, including by providing copies of records, and such actions shall not be deemed the practice of medicine for purposes of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that respondent has no further obligations under the Board's Order of October 22, 1997.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that pursuant to §448.02(4), Wis. Stats., if the Board determines that there is probable cause to believe that respondent has violated any term of this Final Decision and Order, the Board may order that the license and registration of respondent be summarily suspended pending investigation of the alleged violation.

Dated this June 22, 2000.

WISCONSIN MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

s/
by: Darold A Treffert, M.D
a member of the Board