



*New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct*

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June 20, 1997

**CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Thaddeus H. Jozefowicz, M.D.  
68 Darling Parke Drive  
Bangor, Maine 04401

RE: License No. 114007

Dear Dr. Jozefowicz:

Enclosed please find Order #BPMC 97-139 of the New York State Board for Professional Medical Conduct. This Order and any penalty provided therein goes into effect upon receipt of this letter or seven (7) days after the date of this letter, whichever is earlier.

If the penalty imposed by the Order is a surrender, revocation or suspension of this license, you are required to deliver to the Board the license and registration within five (5) days of receipt of the Order.

Board for Professional Medical Conduct  
New York State Department of Health  
Hedley Park Place, Suite 303  
433 River Street  
Troy, New York 12180

Sincerely,

Ansel R. Marks, M.D., J.D.  
Executive Secretary  
Board for Professional Medical Conduct

Enclosure

cc: Charles Gilbert, Esq.  
82 Columbia Street  
Bangor, Maine 04401

Robert Bogan, Esq.

STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

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IN THE MATTER : SURRENDER  
OF : ORDER  
THADDEUS H. JOZEFOWICZ, M.D. : BPMC # 97-139  
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THADDEUS H. JOZEFOWICZ, M.D., says:

On or about August 30, 1972, I was licensed to practice medicine as a physician in the State of New York having been issued License No. 114007 by the New York State Education Department.

My current address is 68 Darling Parke Drive, Bangor, Maine 04401, and I will advise the Director of the Office of Professional Medical Conduct of any change of my address.

I am not currently registered with the New York State Education Department to practice as a physician in the State of New York.

I understand that I have been charged with two specifications of professional misconduct as set forth in the Statement of Charges, annexed hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "A".

I am applying to the State Board for Professional Medical

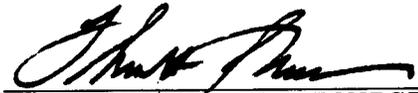
Conduct for an agreement to allow me to surrender my license as a physician in the State of New York and request that the Board issue this Surrender Order.

I hereby agree not to contest the allegations and two specifications set forth in the Statement of Charges (Exhibit A).

I understand that, in the event that this proposed agreement is not granted by the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct, nothing contained herein shall be binding upon me or construed to be an admission of any act of misconduct alleged or charged against me, such proposed agreement shall not be used against me in any way, and shall be kept in strict confidence during the pendency of the professional misconduct disciplinary proceeding; and such denial by the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct shall be made without prejudice to the continuance of any disciplinary proceeding and the final determination by a Committee on Professional Medical Conduct pursuant to the provisions of the Public Health Law.

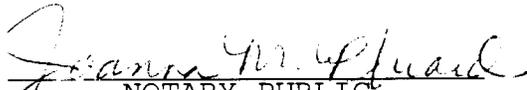
I agree that in the event the State Board for Professional Medical Conduct agrees with my proposal, this Order shall be issued striking my name from the roster of physicians in the State of New York without further notice to me.

I am making this agreement of my own free will and accord and not under duress, compulsion, or restraint of any kind or manner.



THADDEUS H. JOZEFOWICZ, M.D.  
Respondent

Subscribed before me this  
4th day of June, 1997

  
NOTARY PUBLIC

**Joanna M. Pluard**  
Notary Public  
Commission Expires 10/18/98

AGREED TO:

Date: 4 JUN, 1997



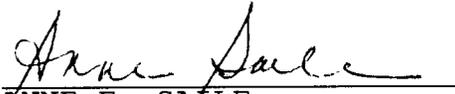
CHARLES GILBERT, Esq.  
Attorney for Respondent  
(Not Admitted in N.Y.)

Date: 5 June, 1997



ROBERT BOGAN  
Assistant Counsel  
Bureau of Professional  
Medical Conduct

Date: June 11, 1997



ANNE F. SAILE  
Director, Office of  
Professional Medical Conduct

ORDER

Upon the proposed agreement of THADDEUS H. JOZEFOWICZ, M.D., to Surrender his license as a physician in the State of New York, which proposed agreement is made a part hereof, it is AGREED TO and

ORDERED, that the proposed agreement and the provisions thereof are hereby adopted; it is further

ORDERED, that the name of Respondent be stricken from the roster of physicians in the State of New York; it is further

ORDERED, that this Order shall take effect as of the date of the personal service of this Order upon Respondent, upon receipt by Respondent of this Order via certified mail, or seven days after mailing of this Order via certified mail, whichever is earliest.

DATED:

June 15, 1997

Patrick F. Carone, M.D.

PATRICK F. CARONE, M.D., M.P.H.  
Chair  
State Board for Professional  
Medical Conduct

STATE OF NEW YORK : DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
STATE BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL MEDICAL CONDUCT

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IN THE MATTER : STATEMENT  
OF : OF  
THADDEUS H. JOZEFOWICZ, M.D. : CHARGES

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THADDEUS H. JOZEFOWICZ, M.D., the Respondent, was authorized to practice medicine in New York State on August 30, 1972, by the issuance of license number 114007 by the New York State Education Department.

**FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS**

A. By a Judgement In A Criminal Case, Case Number 1:95 cr0019 dated July 19, 1995 in the United States District Court, District of Maine, the Respondent was adjudged guilty of Title 21 United States Code Section 844(a), Possession of Schedule III Controlled Substance, by unlawfully, knowingly and intentionally possessing excess of 15,000 doses of Hydrocodone. The conduct upon which the Federal conviction was based would if committed in New York State have constituted a crime under New York State Law.

B. (1) On or about October 1995, the State of Maine, Board of Licensure in Medicine issued a complaint against the Respondent, alleging violations of 32 M.R.S.A. §§ 3282-A(2), (B), (F), (G), and (J): habitual substance abuse, unprofessional conduct, conviction of a crime that involves dishonesty or which relates directly to the practice of medicine

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and prescribing narcotics for other than accepted therapeutic purposes.

(2) On or about November 11, 1996 the Respondent entered into a Consent Agreement for Discipline and Modification of Licensure with the State of Maine, Board of Licensure in Medicine which was approved effective on or about December 11, 1996 as a result of the violations in paragraph (B)(1) above. The Consent Agreement placed the Respondent on probation for five years. It imposed a fine of \$6,000. It modified his license to practice medicine in the State of Maine with regard to Scheduled Drugs and Controlled Substances. It imposed conditions of abstinence of Prohibited Substances (opiates; alcohol; cocaine; fentanyl; mood, consciousness or mind-altering substances, whether licit or not; and all drugs which are dispensed to or prescribed for the Respondent by anyone other than a treating physician knowledgeable of the Respondent's history of substance abuse, unless the circumstances constitute a genuine medical emergency).

3. The conduct resulting in the disciplinary action taken by the State of Maine, Board of Licensure in Medicine would, if committed in New York State, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of New York state pursuant to N.Y. Educ. Law §6530(2) (practicing fraudulently), §6530 (8) (being a habitual abuser of narcotics or other drugs), and or §6530(9) (ii) (conviction of a crime under federal law).

SPECIFICATIONSFIRST SPECIFICATION

Respondent is charged with professional misconduct under N.Y. Educ. Law §6530 (9) (a) (ii) and/or (iii) (McKinney Supp. 1997) by reason of having been convicted of committing acts constituting crimes under Federal Law and which, if committed within New York State, would have constituted crimes under New York State law in that, Petitioner charges:

The facts in Paragraph A.

SECOND SPECIFICATION

Respondent is charged with professional misconduct under N.Y. Educ. Law §6530 (9) (d) by reason of having disciplinary action taken by a duly authorized disciplinary agency of another state, where the conduct resulting in the disciplinary action would if committed in New York State, constitute professional misconduct under the laws of New York State in that Petitioner charges:

The facts in Paragraph B and B(1), B and B(2), and B and B(3).

DATED: *May 8*, 1997  
Albany, New York

*Peter D. Van Buren*  
PETER D. VAN BUREN  
Deputy Counsel  
Bureau of Professional  
Medical Conduct