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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

ROBERT T. OBMA, M.D.,
Respondent

ORDER GRANTING PETITION

On July 19, 2000, the Medical Examining Board issued its Final Decision and Order in the above-captioned matter. By the terms of the board's order, respondent's license to practice medicine and surgery in Wisconsin was limited to require that he complete a one day continuing education program addressing appropriate boundaries with patients, and that he not perform any breast examinations until providing sufficient proof to the board that he has the knowledge to do so with reasonable skill and safety to patients.

By letter dated March 6, 2001, Dr. Obma requested that the limitation prohibiting him from performing breast examinations be lifted, and he provided letters from two colleagues indicating their belief that he is able to do breast examinations with reasonable skill and safety to patients. at its meeting of March 22, 2001, the board considered Dr. Obma's request and, while expressing confidence that Dr. Obma was capable of acquiring the skill and training to do a proper breast examination, decided that there was nothing in the petition or supporting correspondence documenting that Dr. Obma has in fact demonstrated that capability or has acquired any necessary education or training. Dr. Obma was therefore encouraged to contact Dr. Thomas C. Meyer of the Department of Continuing Medical Education regarding that department's remedial course in breast examinations.

On December 19, 2001, the board considered information that Dr. Obma has in fact completed the suggested remedial program. Accordingly, it is ordered as follows:

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that all limitations on the license of Robert Obma, M.D., are terminated, and Dr, Obma is reinstated to full licensure.

Dated this 19th day of December, 2001.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

Sidney E. Johnson, MD
Secretary