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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF
THE APPLICATION OF

ROBERT E. FARNER, M.D.

Applicant

ORDER RENEWING THE LICENSE

On February 2, 2002, Robert E. Farner, M.D. (applicant) filed his application for a license to practice medicine and surgery in Wisconsin. The board and Dr. Farner thereafter entered into a Stipulation, by which the board agreed to grant, and Dr. Farner agreed to accept, a limited license to practice medicine and surgery in Wisconsin. The term of the license was for three months with provision for additional three month renewals of the license upon evidence of compliance with limitations on the license. These include a requirement that Dr. Farner practice only in a group or institutional setting approved in advance by the board or its agent, that he have a chaperone immediately present any time that applicant performs a physical examination on a female patient, and that he participate in individual therapy sessions for the first year of the limited license with a psychiatrist or psychologist approved by the board upon a schedule as recommended by the therapist, but not less than once weekly. Dr. Farner is also required to provide for submission of formal written reports prepared by the therapist and the administrator of his practice group on a quarterly basis, as directed by the Department Monitor.

On November 20, 2002, the board considered Dr. Farner's request for a three month renewal of the license. Based upon all information of record herein, the board orders as follows:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the limited license of Robert F. Farner, M.D. (be, and hereby is, renewed for a period of three months.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 2002.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

Virginia S. Heinemann
Secretary