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STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF		:
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	ORDER GRANTING STAY
		:
THOMAS J. STRICK, M.D.		: LS0210232MED
RESPONDENT.		:

By its Final Decision and Order dated October 23, 2002, the Medical Examining ordered that the license of Dr. Strick be suspended for an indefinite period of not less than five (5) years. The suspension was stayed for a period of three months, with provision for further stays conditioned upon compliance with the conditions and limitations on the license. Among these are that Respondent not engage in the clinical practice of medicine and surgery until further order of the Board. Respondent was required to enroll and continue successfu participation in all components of a drug and alcohol treatment program at a treatment facility acceptable to the Board as respondent's Supervising Health Care Provider shall determine to be appropriate for respondent's rehabilitation. The rehabilitation program mus include and respondent shall participate in individual and/or group therapy sessions for the first year of the stayed suspension upon a schedule as recommended by the supervising physician or therapist, but not less than once weekly. Respondent is required to attend Narcotics Anonymous and/or Alcoholic Anonymous meetings or an equivalent program for recovering professionals, upon a frequency a: recommended by the supervising of urine specimens at a frequency of not less than 52 times per year during the period of time Respondent is not engaged in the clinical practice of medicine and surgery, and 104 times per year during any period of the term of this order that Respondent is engaged in clinical practice. Finally, Respondent was required to surrender any DEA registration to prescribe dispense, administer and order controlled substances to the Drug Enforcement Administration.

On December 18, 2003, and March 19, 2003, the board granted Dr. Strick's petitions for further stays of the suspension of his license.

On June 18, 2003, the board granted Dr. Strick's request for a further three month stay of the suspension, and his further request that he be permitted to apply for and hold a DEA registration. Based upon all information of record herein, the board orders as follows:

<u>ORDER</u>

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the suspension of the license of Thomas J. Strick, M.D., to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Wisconsin is hereby stayed for an additional period of three months.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Dr. Strick's request that he be permitted to apply for and hold a DEA registration is denied. Dr. Strick may renew his request upon providing to the board a letter of support from his health care provider.

Dated this 23rd day of June, 2003.

STATE OF WISCONSIN MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD

Alfred L. Franger, M.D.

Board Secretary