

BEFORE THE ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

In the Matter of

EDWARD TENG, M.D.

Holder of License No. 47833 For the Practice of Allopathic Medicine in the State of Arizona. CASE No: MD-24-0061A

REQUEST FOR LICENSE
INACTIVATION WITH CAUSE AND
ORDER INACTIVATING LICENSE
WITH CAUSE

- 1. I, Edward Teng, M.D. ("Respondent"), am the holder of License No. 47833 to practice allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.
- 2. I hereby request that, effective at 5:00 p.m. on the date of the following Order, the Arizona Medical Board ("Board") inactivate with cause my license to practice allopathic medicine number 47833 pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1452(F). I participated in the Board's Physician Health Program ("PHP"), from March 14, 2018 through November 3, 2023 and no longer qualify for a confidential Board Order.
- 3. I will not practice medicine in Arizona or any other state, territory or district of the United States or a foreign country while my Arizona license is inactive. I may not hold or maintain a controlled substance certificate with the Drug Enforcement Administration or write or refill prescriptions as long as my license is inactive. If I practice medicine while my license is inactive I will be practicing medicine without a license and/or without being exempt from licensure, which amongst other things, is a felony.
- 4. I shall not request reactivation of my license to practice medicine in Arizona until I complete a long-term care residential program, an inpatient hospital treatment program, an intensive outpatient treatment program or any combination of these programs as required by A.R.S. § 32-1452(F) and subsequently complete an assessment with the Board's PHP Contractor, and the Board is in receipt of the assessment findings and

recommendations. I understand that I may also be required to complete other evaluations if deemed necessary by the Board. The Board will not reactivate my license until I present evidence satisfactory to the Board, in its sole discretion, that I am medically competent and mentally and physically able to safely practice medicine in the State of Arizona.

DATED this 23 day of 1/2, 2024.

PHYSICIAN, M.D.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent currently holds an active license to practice medicine in this state.
- 2. Respondent was under a Board stipulation or probationary order pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-1452 that is no longer in effect.
- 3. On January 18, 2024, the Board received a complaint from an individual who reported that Respondent appeared to be impaired by a substance of abuse.
- 4. On January 24, 2024 Respondent contacted Board staff to advise that he had relapsed on a substance of abuse and requested treatment.
- 5. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-1452(F), Respondent has requested that his license to practice medicine in the State of Arizona be placed on the status of Inactive with Cause.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

- 1. The Board possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over Licensee.
- 2. The conduct and circumstances described above constitute unprofessional conduct pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1401(27)(f) ("Exhibiting a pattern of using or being under the influence of alcohol or drugs or a similar substance while practicing medicine or to the extent that judgment may be impaired and the practice of medicine detrimentally affected.").

1 **ORDER** 2 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT: 3 1. License number 47833 held by Respondent is Inactivated with Cause. 4 2. Before Respondent can request that his license be reactivated, he/she shall 5 successfully complete a long-term care residential program, an inpatient hospital 6 treatment program, an intensive outpatient treatment program or any combination of these programs and shall meet the applicable requirements of A.R.S. §32-1431(D). 7 8 3. Once Respondent has completed treatment, the Board shall determine if it should 9 refer the matter for a formal hearing for the purpose of suspending or revoking the license 10 or to place Respondent on probation for a minimum of five (5) years with restrictions 11 necessary to ensure public safety. DATED this 5 day of Jehner 3024. 12 13 ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD 8 Mc Saley 14 15 **Executive Director** 16 **EXECUTED COPY of the foregoing mailed** 17 This 5 th day of Jelman, 2024 to: 18 Edward Teng, M.D. 19 Address of Record 20 ORIGINAL of the foregoing filed this 5th day of **sebruary** 2024 with: 21 **Arizona Medical Board** 22 1740 West Adams, Suite 4000 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 23 24 **Board staff** 25