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STATE OF OHIO  
THE STATE MEDICAL BOARD  
Suite 510  
65 South Front Street  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

July 9, 1986

Frank R. Souers, M.D.  
656 West Market Street  
Akron, OH 44303

Dear Doctor Souers:

In accordance with Chapter 119., Ohio Revised Code, you are hereby notified that the State Medical Board of Ohio intends to determine whether or not to limit, revoke, suspend, refuse to register or reinstate your certificate to practice medicine and surgery or to reprimand or place you on probation for one or more of the following reasons:

1. In completing your renewal application card for registration of your certificate to practice medicine or surgery for the current biennial registration period, you did certify that you completed during the last biennium the requisite hours of continuing medical education, as required by Section 4731.281, Ohio Revised Code.
2. On or about November 1, 1985, a letter was sent to you by certified mail from the State Medical Board of Ohio informing you that you would be required to provide the Board with documentation that you had completed the requisite number of Continuing Medical Education hours as required by Section 4731.281, Ohio Revised Code. This certified letter was returned to the State Medical Board as "refused."
3. On or about April 3, 1986, Investigator Harold May and Investigator Thomas Shane delivered to you a letter from the State Medical Board of Ohio informing you that you would be required to provide the Board with documentation that you had completed the requisite number of Continuing Medical Education hours as required by Section 4731.281, Ohio Revised Code. You failed to provide the Board with said documentation.

Your acts in certifying to the State Medical Board that you had completed the statutorily required continuing medical education as set forth in the above Paragraph 1, when you had not, in fact, done so, constitutes "fraud, misrepresentation, or deception in applying for or securing any license or certificate issued by the Board," as that clause is used in Section 4731.22(A), Ohio Revised Code.

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Further, the acts or omissions set forth in Paragraphs 2 and 3 constitute violations of Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4731-10-08(A)(1), to wit: The board may randomly select applications for verification that all CME requirements have been met. Licensees whose applications are selected shall submit additional documentation of compliance with CME requirements as the Board may require.

Further, the acts or omissions set forth in Paragraphs 2 and 3 constitute violations of Section 4731.22(B)(16) of the Ohio Revised Code, to wit: Violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, . . . any provisions of this chapter or any rule promulgated by the Board, to wit: Section 4731.281, Ohio Revised Code, and Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4731-10-08(A)(1).

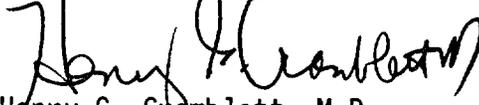
Pursuant to Chapter 119., Ohio Revised Code, you are hereby advised that you are entitled to a hearing in this matter. If you wish to request such hearing that request must be made within thirty (30) days of the time of mailing of this notice.

You are further advised that you are entitled to appear at such hearing in person, or by your attorney, or you may present your position, arguments, or contentions in writing, and that at the hearing you may present evidence and examine witnesses appearing for or against you.

In the event that there is no request for such hearing made within thirty (30) days of the time of mailing of this notice, the State Medical Board may, in your absence and upon consideration of this matter, determine whether or not to limit, revoke, suspend, refuse to register or reinstate your certificate to practice medicine and surgery or to reprimand or place you on probation.

Copies of the applicable sections are enclosed for your information.

Very truly yours,

  
Henry G. Cramblett, M.D.  
Secretary

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Enclosures:

CERTIFIED MAIL #P 569 364 031  
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED