State of Rhode Island Department of Health Board of Medical Licensure & Discipline



IN THE MATTER OF:

Frank Maggiacomo, D.O.

License Number DO 00383

Controlled Substance Registration CDO 00383

BMLD Case Number C15-545

Suspension of Controlled Substance Registration

Frank Maggiacomo, D.O. (hereinafter "Respondent") is licensed as a physician in Rhode Island. An investigation was conducted by the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline (Board) regarding complaint C15-545 which was resolved by a Consent Order ratified by the Board on May 11th, 2016. The Board and the Director of Health make the following findings:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- Respondent is a physician who has been licensed in Rhode Island since June 14th, 1989.
 Respondent has a license to practice medicine and a Controlled Substance Registration.
 Respondent's office is located at 1681 Cranston Street, Suite D, Cranston, Rhode Island, and his primary specialty is Internal Medicine, in which he has been board certified since 2006.
- 2. Respondent agreed to a Consent Order based on complaint C15-545 which was ratified by the Board on May 11th, 2016. In the ratified Consent Order, paragraph 6 states that

"Respondent will attend within 9 months of ratification of this order The CPEP: Prescribing Controlled Drugs: Critical Issues and Common Pitfalls©"

- 3. Respondent has not taken the agreed upon CME course.
- 4. The ratified Consent order stipulates in paragraph 7, "In the event that any conditions of this Consent Order are violated after it is signed and accepted, the Director of the Department of Health shall have the discretion to impose further disciplinary action. If the Director suspends such license, Respondent shall be given notice and shall have the right to request an administrative hearing within twenty (20) days of the suspension. The Director of the Department of Health shall also have the discretion to request an administrative hearing after notice to Respondent of any violation of this Consent Order."
- 5. The Board alleges Respondent has violated Rhode Island General Law § 5-37-5.1 (24) "Violating any provision or provisions of this chapter or the rules and regulations of the board or any rules or regulations promulgated by the director or of an action, stipulation, or agreement of the board;"

ORDER

6. After considering the findings of the Board, regarding Frank Maggiacomo D.O., and the subsequent ratified Consent Order, the Controlled Substance Registration of Frank Maggiacomo D.O. is suspended until Respondent submits evidence of completion of the agreed upon CME to the Director of the Department of Health. Once the appropriate documentation is received by the Director of Health, and verified, the Respondent's

controlled substance suspension will be lifted and Respondents controlled substance registration will be reinstated with a further order from the Director. Respondent is subject to further disciplinary actions from the Board due to this non-compliance with the previously ratified consent order. The Respondent may request, in writing, an administrative hearing on this suspension, which will be conducted within (20) days of the Department's receipt of said written request for hearing.

7. Respondent is required to ensure appropriate continuity of care for his patients including ready access to medical records, appropriate referral to qualified health professions.

Nicole Alexander-Scott, M.D., M.P.H.

Date

Director of Health

CERTIFICATION

Stephen Marrib