## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CENTER FOR PROFESSIONAL LICENSING, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN DENTISTRY

VS

COMPLAINT NO.: 170927 LICENSEE NO.: DEN02475

JOHN MANOUSOS, DMD

## CONSENT ORDER

The RI Department of Health (hereinafter "RIDOH") and the RI Board of Examiners in Dentistry (hereinafter the "Board") have investigated a complaint charging John Manousos, DMD, DEN02475 (hereinafter "Respondent") with a violation of R.I. Gen. Laws § 5-31.1-10(14).

After review and consideration by the Board with respect to the allegations of unprofessional conduct of Respondent, the following are and shall constitute

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. That Respondent is a Dentist licensed to practice in the State of Rhode Island under Dental License Number DEN02475.
- 2. That on or around January 24, 2013 Respondent began treating patient with a type of removable clear braces.
- 3. That patient exhibited a severe and complex situation in which contributing dental and skeletal discrepancies resulted in malocclusion. Nevertheless, Respondent failed to obtain a sufficiently comprehensive collection of dental and skeletal records in the course of providing care to the patient. This comprehensive collection of records would allow proper diagnosis and treatment planning for the patient.
- 4. That Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of RIDOH and hereby agrees to remain under the jurisdiction of RIDOH.
- 5. That Respondent has read this Consent Order and understands this Consent Order shall become binding once signed by the Respondent and the Board.
- 6. That Respondent understands the purpose of this Consent Order is solely to resolve Case No. 170927.
- 7. That Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:
  - a) The right to have an Administrative Hearing on this matter;
  - b) The right to represent himself/herself or be represented by an Attorney of Respondent's own choosing at said hearing;
  - c) The right to present testimony, evidence and witnesses on Respondent's behalf;
  - d) The right to cross-examine witnesses presented by the Board;
  - e) The right to further procedural steps except for those specifically contained herein;

f) The right to take any appeal from this Consent Order; and

g) Any objection that this Consent Order will be reported to the National Practitioner Data Bank as well as posted on RIDOH's public web site.

## ACCORDINGLY AND BASED ON THE FOREGOING

RIDOH, the Board and Respondent hereby agree to the following:

- 1. The facts contained herein constitute unprofessional conduct pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 5-31.1-10(14).
- 2. Respondent is hereby issued the sanction of a Reprimand.
- 3. Respondent shall complete 16 hours of continuing education in orthodontic diagnosis and treatment planning as approved by the Board.
- 4. This Consent Order shall become part of a public record of this proceeding.
- 5. If Respondent fails to adhere to the terms of this Consent Order, disciplinary charges will be instituted against Respondent at the discretion of the Board.

JOHN MANOUSOS, DMD

3-10-2018

DATE

JEFFREY E DODGE, DMD,

CHAIRMAN!

DATE