

**BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE**

**IN THE MATTER OF PHYSICIAN'S LICENSE**

**OF**

**WADE LOWELL BANKER, M.D.**

**CONSENT ORDER**

**WHEREAS**, Wade Lowell Banker, M.D., hereinafter referred to as "Licensee," is the current holder of License No. 19652, issued February 12, 2007, for the practice of medicine in the State of Mississippi;

**WHEREAS**, on April 26, 2023, the State Medical Board of Ohio, hereinafter referred to as the "Ohio Board," ordered the **PERMANENT REVOCATION** of Licensee's Ohio Medical License after finding that he engaged in unprofessional conduct as defined in Ohio Revised Code Section 4731.22(B)(6), by "[a] departure from, or the failure to conform to, minimal standards of care of similar practitioners under the same or similar circumstances, whether or not actual injury to a patient is established," as well as 4731.22(B)(2), "[f]ailure to maintain minimal standards applicable to the selection or administration of drugs, or failure to employ acceptable scientific methods in the selection of drugs or other modalities for treatment of disease";

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 73-25-29 (9) (1972), the aforementioned actions by the State Medical Board of Ohio constitute action against Licensee's ability to practice in another jurisdiction, grounds for which the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure, hereinafter referred to as the "Board," may suspend his right to practice for a time deemed proper by the Board, place his license on probation,

the terms of which may be set by the Board, or take any other action in relation to his license as the Board may deem proper under the circumstances;

**WHEREAS**, Licensee wishes to avoid a hearing before the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure and, in lieu thereof, has consented to certain conditions on his license to practice medicine in the State of Mississippi.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure, with consent of Licensee as signified by his joinder herein, does hereby formally accept the following terms and conditions:

1. Licensee's Mississippi medical license is **INDEFINITELY SUSPENDED**.
2. Licensee shall obey all federal, state, and local laws, and all rules and regulations governing the practice of medicine. Any further acts of misconduct will result in further action.
3. Licensee shall reimburse the Board for all costs incurred in relation to the pending matter pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 73-25-30, said amount not to exceed \$10,000. Licensee shall be advised of the total assessment by separate written notification and shall tender to the Board a certified check or money order made payable to the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure, on or before forty (40) days from the date the assessment is mailed to Licensee via U.S. Mail to Licensee's current mailing address.

Should the Board hereafter receive documented evidence of Licensee violating any of the terms and conditions of this Consent Order, the Board shall have the right, pursuant to a full evidentiary hearing, to revoke the medical license of Licensee, suspend it for a

time deemed proper by the Board, or take any other action determined as necessary by the Board.

This Consent Order shall be subject to approval by the Board. If the Board fails to approve this Consent Order, in whole or in part, it shall have no force or effect on the parties. It is further understood and agreed that the purpose of this Consent Order is to avoid a hearing before the Board. In this regard, Licensee authorizes the Board to review and examine any documentary evidence or material concerning the Licensee prior to or in conjunction with its consideration of this Consent Order. Licensee further acknowledges that he may be required to personally appear before the Board on the scheduled hearing date to answer any questions which the Board may have. Should this Consent Order not be accepted by the Board, it is agreed that presentation to and consideration of this Consent Order and other documents and matters pertaining thereto by the Board, including Licensee's answers to questions, shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Board or any of its members from participation in any further proceedings.

Licensee understands and expressly acknowledges that this Consent Order, if approved and executed by the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure, shall constitute a public record of the State of Mississippi. Licensee further acknowledges that the Board shall provide a copy of this Order to, among others, the National Practitioners Data Bank (NPDB), the Mississippi Department of Health (MSDH), the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB), the Office of the Inspector General, United States Department of Health and Human Services (OIG HHS), the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), the Mississippi Division of Medicaid, the Mississippi Board of Pharmacy, and the Mississippi State Medical Association (MSMA). The Board makes no

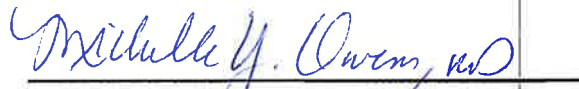
representation as to what action, if any, which any other agency or jurisdiction may take in response to this Consent Order.”

Recognizing his right to notice of charges specified against him, to have such charges adjudicated pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 73-25-27, to be represented therein by legal counsel of his choice, and to a final decision rendered upon written findings of fact and conclusions of law, **WADE LOWELL BANKER, M.D.** nonetheless, hereby waives his right to notice and a formal adjudication of charges and authorizes the Board to enter an order accepting this Consent Order.

**EXECUTED**, this the 27<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023.

  
**Wade Lowell Banker, M.D.**

**ACCEPTED AND APPROVED** this the 11<sup>th</sup> day January, 2024, by the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure.

  
**Michelle Y. Owens, M.D.**  
**Board President**