

**BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE**  
**IN THE MATTER OF THE PHYSICIAN'S LICENSE**  
**OF**  
**DANETT ADIA DILLON, M.D.**  
**ORDER OF PROHIBITION**

**WHEREAS, DANETT ADIA DILLON, M.D.**, hereinafter referred to as "Licensee," currently holds Mississippi Medical License Number 24627, said number valid until June 30, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure (Board) has received a letter from the Mississippi Professionals Health Program (MPHP) Medical Director, Scott Hambleton, M.D., stating that MPHP can no longer advocate for Licensee do to her non-compliance with her Recovery Contract Agreement (RCA), therefore, withdrawing advocacy for Licensee immediately. Licensee was under her first recovery contract agreement;

**WHEREAS**, the Board is now in possession of evidence establishing that MPHP has withdrawn advocacy due to Licensee violating the current RCA, as evidenced in the supporting affidavit attached hereto;

**WHEREAS**, paragraph 20 of the RCA, dated July 9, 2019, attached as Exhibit "A," states, in part:

*In the event I {Licensee} should relapse or fail to comply with any of the conditions of this Agreement, the MSBML shall have the authority, with recommendation from the MPHP/MPHC, to immediately prohibit me from practicing medicine until such time as the MSBML and the MPHP determines that I am able to return to the practice of medicine.*

*In doing so, the MSBML and MPHP may require me to undergo further evaluation;*

**WHEREAS**, by virtue of violation of the aforementioned RCA, the Board has the authority to prohibit the Licensee from practicing medicine until such time as the Board determines that Licensee may return to the practice of medicine;

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**, that, as a result of the aforementioned letter, Licensee shall be prohibited from the practice of medicine until such time as the Board determines that Licensee may return to the practice of medicine;

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED**, that a copy of this Order shall be sent by registered mail or personally served upon Danett Adia Dillon, M.D., and shall be effective immediately upon receipt thereof.

**ORDERED** this the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE**



Kenneth E. Cleveland, M.D.  
Executive Director

I, Michael B. Smith  
personally served this Order  
~~subpoena/summons~~ on Dr. Dillon  
This the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020.

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**STATE OF MISSISSIPPI**

**COUNTY OF HINDS**

**AFFIDAVIT**

I, Michael B. Smith, Agent, Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure, hereinafter referred to as the "Board," do hereby make oath that I have reason to believe and do believe:

1. That DANETT ADIA DILLON, M.D., hereby referred to as "Licensee," currently holds Mississippi Medical License Number 24627, said number valid until June 30, 2021.
2. That on January 30, 2019, Licensee appeared before the Examining Committee of the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure, hereinafter referred to as the "Committee", to address several issues regarding disruptive behavior. The Committee found Licensee to be unfit to practice medicine and recommended that Licensee undergo a comprehensive, multidisciplinary psychiatric and behavioral evaluation to determine her fitness for duty.
3. That on February 20, 2019, Licensee underwent an inpatient evaluation and was found to be unfit to practice medicine on February 22, 2019. An additional follow-up evaluation took place on March 9, 2019, ending on March 13, 2019. Licensee underwent treatment from April 13, 2019, until being discharged on July 3, 2019.

4. That on July 9, 2019, Licensee executed a non-expiring Recovery Contract Agreement (RCA) with Mississippi Physician Health Program (MPHP) and the Board. Said contract required Licensee to comply with certain conditions in order to maintain advocacy with MPHP.
5. That paragraph 20 of the RCA, dated July 9, 2019, attached as Exhibit "A," states, in part:  
  
*In the event I {Licensee} should relapse or fail to comply with any of the conditions of this Agreement, the MSBML shall have the authority, with recommendation from the MPHP/MPHC, to immediately prohibit me from practicing medicine until such time as the MSBML and the MPHP determines that I am able to return to the practice of medicine. In doing so, the MSBML and MPHP may require me to undergo further evaluation.*
6. That the Board received a letter, dated May 28, 2020, attached as Exhibit "B," from MPHP Medical Director, Scott Hambleton, M.D., stating that MPHP could no longer advocate for Licensee do to her non-compliance with said RCA, therefore, withdrawing advocacy for Licensee immediately.
7. That by her signature on the RCA, Licensee understands and recognizes the Board's authority to immediately prohibit Licensee from the practice of medicine until such time that the Board determines Licensee is fit to return to the practice of medicine.

{Signature page follows}

*Michael B. Smith*

Michael B. Smith, Agent  
Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure

**SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME**, this the 29th day of May, 2020.

*Francis E. Carrillo*

Notary Public

