## BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE IN THE MATTER OF THE PHYSICIAN'S LICENSE

OF

## SATYASEELAN PACKIANATHAN, M.D.

## SURRENDER OF MEDICAL LICENSE

WHEREAS, SATYASEELAN PACKIANATHAN, M.D., hereinafter referred to as "Licensee," is the current holder of License Number 20845 issued on September 28, 2009, to practice medicine in the State of Mississippi;

**WHEREAS**, Medical License number 20845 expired June 30, 2021. Licensee retains the inchoate right to renew said license;

WHEREAS, on Tuesday, September 6, 2022, Licensee, having entered a plea of guilty to the crime of Child Exploitation, was sentenced to a term of ten (10) years in the custody of the Mississippi Department of Corrections, with five (5) years to be suspended;

WHEREAS, Licensee was further ordered to be placed on Supervised Probation for a period of five (5) years after release, and as a part of the Guilty Plea Agreement, Licensee is responsible for court costs and fines;

WHEREAS, Licensee is currently incarcerated and must also register as a sex offender;

WHEREAS, the aforementioned guilty plea and conviction of the crime of Child Exploitation constitutes an offense involving moral turpitude, and unprofessional conduct, including any dishonorable or unethical conduct likely to deceive, defraud, or harm the public, in violation of Miss. Code Ann. §§ 73-25-29(6), (8)(d), and 73-25-83(a).

NOW THEREFORE, in order to resolve this matter now pending before the Board, Licensee agrees to voluntarily surrender his medical license (No. 20845) to practice

medicine in the State of Mississippi and understands said Surrender shall be effective immediately upon execution. Licensee understands this is an unconditional surrender, is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and other entities, such as the Federation of State Medical Boards, and is a public record of the State of Mississippi.

Recognizing his right to notice of charges specified against him, to have such charges adjudicated pursuant to Miss. Code Ann. § 73-25-27 (1972), 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, **Satyaseelan Packianathan, M.D.**, nevertheless, hereby waives his right to notice and a formal adjudication of charges and authorizes the Board to enter an Order accepting this Surrender of Medical License to practice medicine in the State of Mississippi.

**EXECUTED AND EFFECTIVE,** this the 2/5 day of February, 2023.

Satyaseelan Packianathan, M.D.

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