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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF MEDICINE  
DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE  
MARCH 16, 2016 MEETING**

**APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Medicine Disciplinary Subcommittee met on March 16, 2016, at the Ottawa Building, Conference Room 3, 611 West Ottawa Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Renee Johnston, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 8:37 a.m.

**ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:** Renee Johnston, Public Member, Chairperson  
Sandra Howell, M.D. (arrived at 8:39)  
Dennis Szymanski, M.D.  
Terri Tahnoose, Public Member

**Members Absent:** Mohammed Arsiwala, M.D.  
Richard Bates, M.D.  
Lisa Huta, Public Member

**Staff Present:** Erin Londo, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section  
Kiran Parag, Analyst, Enforcement Division  
Michele Wagner-Gutkowski, Assistant Attorney General

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Howell, to approve the agenda with the deletion of item 5(J).

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Tahnoose, to approve the January 20, 2016 meeting minutes as presented.

A voice vote was taken.

MOTION PREVAILED

## **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Vijil K. Rahulan, M.D. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Tahnoose, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote followed:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays - None

MOTION PREVAILED

### **Robert Stephen Smith, M.D. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Howell, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

A roll call vote followed:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

MOTION PREVAILED

### **Ali Abdul Karim Elhorr, M.D. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Howell, seconded by Szymanski, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

MOTION PREVAILED

### **Sam-Hussain Hassan Awada, M.D. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Howell, seconded by Szymanski, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.



MOTION PREVAILED

**James Jung Choi, M.D. E.D. LTD. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Howell, seconded by Szymanski, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed:                   Yeas –Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

MOTION PREVAILED

**John C. Sennish, M.D. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Tahnoose, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

**Gauresh Harendra Kashyap, M.D. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Howell, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

**Kaleb Anthony Lane, M.D. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

MOTION by Howell, seconded by Tahnoose, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote followed:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

**James E. Beale, Jr., M.D. – Administrative Complaint**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Howell, to suspend Respondent's license for six months and one day and fined \$25,000.00 to be paid prior to filing an application for reinstatement.

A role call vote was held:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

**Vinod Sharma, M.D. – Proposal for Decision**

MOTION by Szymanski, seconded by Howell, to accept the Proposal for Decision and grant reclassification to a full and unlimited license.

Discussion was held.

A role call vote followed:                   Yeas – Howell, Szymanski, Tahnoose, Johnston  
  Nays – None

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held May 18, 2016, scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center (UL), Conference Room 3, Lansing, Michigan.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chairperson Johnston adjourned the meeting at 9:40 a.m.

\*\*Minutes approved by the Board on May 18, 2016.

Prepared by:  
Erin Londo, Board Support

March 17, 2016