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Re: Kofi E. Shaw-Taylor, M.D.

Case Nos.: 2016-0684B, 2016-0105B, 2016-0271B, 2016-0281B

License No.: D26832

Dear Dr. Shaw-Taylor and Counsel:

On May 9, 2017, Disciplinary Panel B of the Maryland State Board of Physicians issued an **ORDER FOR SUMMARY SUSPENSION OF LICENSE TO PRACTICE MEDICINE** in this case, pursuant to Md. Code Ann., State Gov't § 10-226(c)(2). On June 28, 2017, Disciplinary Panel B held an initial postdeprivation hearing, giving you an opportunity to argue why the summary suspension should not continue. You attended the hearing with counsel, Peter T. McDowell, Esquire. The State was represented by Janet Klein Brown, Assistant Attorney General, Administrative Prosecutor. Both parties presented oral argument at the hearing.

After consideration of the presentations of the parties, Disciplinary Panel B of the Board finds that the public health, safety or welfare imperatively requires the summary suspension of your license. See State Gov't § 10-226(c)(2)(i). The order of summary suspension is thus reaffirmed and continues. See COMAR 10.32.02.08H(1).

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NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL

You have the opportunity to contest the order of summary suspension through a full evidentiary hearing before an Administrative Law Judge of the Office of Administrative Hearings. To receive the evidentiary hearing, you must file your request for the hearing within **10 days** of the date of this letter. The request for the hearing shall be filed with Christine Farrelly, Executive Director, at 4201 Patterson Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21215. If the hearing is timely requested, the hearing will be set within 30 days of your request, *see* COMAR 10.32.02.08I, though you may waive the 30-day time period.

This letter constitutes an order of Disciplinary Panel B resulting from formal disciplinary action and is therefore a public document.

Sincerely,

Ellen Douglas Smith, Deputy Director Maryland State Board of Physicians

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