

Oregon Medical Board
BOARD ACTION REPORT
September 15, 2016

The information contained in this report summarizes new, interim, and final actions taken by the Oregon Medical Board between August 16, 2016, and September 15, 2016.

Scanned copies of Interim Stipulated Orders, Orders of Emergency Suspension, Stipulated Orders, Final Orders, Termination Orders, Modification Orders and Voluntary Limitations are included at the end of this report in the order that they appear in the report. These orders are marked with an * asterisk. **Scanned copies of Consent Agreements are not posted, as they are not disciplinary action and impose no practice limitations.** Complaint and Notices of Proposed Disciplinary Action are not listed in this report, as they are not final actions by the Board. Both Orders, however, are public and are available upon request.

Printed copies of the Board Orders not provided with this report are available to the public. To obtain a printed copy of a Board Order not provided in this report, please complete the License Verification and Malpractice Report Request (<http://www.oregon.gov/OMB/ombforms1/request-licensee-info-verification.pdf>) found under the Forms link on the Board's web site. Submit it with the \$10.00 fee *per licensee* and mail to:

Oregon Medical Board
1500 SW 1st Ave, Ste 620
Portland, OR 97201

Copies of the Orders listed below are mailed to Oregon hospitals where the Licensee had self-reported that he/she has privileges.

***Laird, Ashley Rosanna, MD; MD173210; Medford, OR**

On August 29, 2016, Licensee entered into an Interim Stipulated Order to voluntarily withdraw from practice and place her license in Inactive status pending the completion of the Board's investigation into her ability to safely and competently practice medicine.

***Laws, Craig Robert, MD; MD171675; Bend, OR**

On August 19, 2016, Licensee entered into an Interim Stipulated Order to voluntarily withdraw from practice and place his license in Inactive status pending the completion of the Board's investigation into his ability to safely and competently practice medicine.

***Meckling, Kent Forrest, MD; MD24567; Maywood Pk, OR**

On September 9, 2016, Licensee entered into an Interim Stipulated Order to voluntarily withdraw from practice and place his license in Inactive status pending the completion of the Board's investigation into his ability to safely and competently practice medicine.

If you have any questions regarding this service, please call the Board at (971) 673-2700 or toll-free within Oregon at (877) 254-6263.

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BEFORE THE
OREGON MEDICAL BOARD
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of)
ASHLEY ROSANNA LAIRD, MD) INTERIM STIPULATED ORDER
LICENSE NO. MD173210)
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1.

The Oregon Medical Board (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain healthcare providers, including physicians, in the state of Oregon. Ashley Rosanna Laird, MD (Licensee) is a licensed physician in the state of Oregon.

2.

The Board received credible information regarding Licensee that resulted in the Board initiating an investigation. The results of the Board's investigation to date have raised concerns to the extent that the Board believes it necessary that Licensee agree to cease the practice of medicine until the investigation is completed.

3.

In order to address the concerns of the Board, Licensee and the Board agree to enter into this Interim Stipulated Order, which is not an admission of any wrongdoing on the part of the Licensee, and provides that Licensee shall comply with the following conditions effective the date this Order is signed by Licensee:

3.1 Licensee voluntarily withdraws from the practice of medicine and her license is placed in Inactive status pending the completion of the Board's investigation into her ability to safely and competently practice medicine.

3.2 Licensee understands that violating any term of this Order will be grounds for disciplinary action under ORS 677.190(17).

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At the conclusion of the Board's investigation, Licensee's status will be reviewed in an expeditious manner. Following that review, if the Board determines that Licensee shall not be permitted to return to the practice of medicine, Licensee may request a hearing to contest that decision.

5.

This Order is issued by the Board pursuant to ORS 677.265(1) and (2) for the purpose of protecting the public, and making a complete investigation in order to fully inform itself with respect to the performance or conduct of the Licensee and Licensee's ability to safely and competently practice medicine. Pursuant to ORS 677.425, Board investigative materials are confidential and shall not be subject to public disclosure. However, as a stipulation this Order is a public document and is reportable to the national Data Bank and the Federation of State Medical Boards.

6.

This Order becomes effective the date it is signed by the Licensee.

IT IS SO STIPULATED THIS 9th day of September, 2016.

Signature Redacted

KENT FORREST ~~MECKLING~~, MD

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 13th day of September, 2016.

State of Oregon

OREGON MEDICAL BOARD

Signature Redacted

KATHLEEN HALEY, JD
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR