

STATE OF ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION)	
of the State of Illinois,)	
v.)	No. 2001-07551-1
CHRIST PETE KOULIS, M.D.)	
License No. 36-087150,)	
Respondent)	

CONSENT ORDER

The Department of Professional Regulation by John M. Goldberg, one of its attorneys, and Christ Pete Koulis, Respondent, hereby agree to the following:

STIPULATIONS

Christ Pete Koulis is licensed as a Physician and Surgeon in the State of Illinois, holding license No. 36-087150. At all times material to the matter set forth in this Consent Order, the Department of Professional Regulation of the State of Illinois had jurisdiction over the subject matter and parties herein.

Information has come to the attention of the Department that Respondent had his clinical privileges suspended at a hospital in Nashville, Tennessee after he had entered into a romantic relationship with two patients.

The allegation(s) as set forth herein, if proven to be true, would constitute grounds for suspending or revoking Respondent's license as a Physician and Surgeon, on the authority of 225 Illinois Compiled Statutes 60/22 (A)(5).

As a result of the foregoing allegation(s), the Department held a Disciplinary Conference at the offices of the Department, 100 West Randolph Street, Suite 9-300, Chicago, Illinois, 60601 on January 9, 2002. Respondent appeared in person on that date, represented by Dan Warlick by telephone. Dr. Allan Bennett and Mr. Mark Weiner



appeared as members of the Illinois Medical Disciplinary Board of the State of Illinois and John M. Goldberg appeared as an attorney for the Department.

Respondent admits that he violated appropriate boundaries in entering into the relationships in question and is currently under an aftercare contract with the Tennessee Medical Foundation's Physicians Health Program. On April 12, 2002 the Respondent, under threat of summary suspension, executed an affidavit of retirement of his Tennessee Medical License after it was determined that he could not practice medicine with reasonable skill safety or judgement as the result of his abuse of alcohol and/or controlled substances. Respondent has sought and is receiving treatment for his addiction.

Respondent has been advised of the right to have to pending allegation(s) reduced to written charges, the right to a hearing the right to contest any charges, the right to administrative review of any order resulting from a hearing. Respondent knowingly waives each of these rights, as well as any right to administrative review of this Consent Order.

Respondent and the Department have agreed, in order to resolve this matter, that Christ Pete Koullis be permitted to enter into a Consent Order with the Department, providing for the imposition of disciplinary measures which are fair and equitable in the circumstances and which are consistent with the best interests of the people of the State of Illinois.

CONDITIONS

WHEREFORE, the Department, through John M. Goldberg, its attorney, and Christ Pete Koulis, agree:

- A. Respondent's license shall be placed on Indefinite Suspension.
- B. This Consent Order shall become effective upon approval by the Director of the Department.

5/21/02
DATE

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June 5, 2002
DATE

DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL
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John M. Goldberg
John M. Goldberg
Attorney for the Department

Christ Pete Koulis
Christ Pete Koulis
Respondent

Dan Warlick
Dan Warlick, Attorney for Respondent

Heidi Offordolaks
Medical Disciplinary Board Member

The foregoing Consent Order is approved in full.

DATED THIS 2nd day of July, 2002

DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
Of the State of Illinois

Leonard A. Sherman
LEONARD A. SHERMAN
DIRECTOR

REF: License No. 36-087150
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