

IN THE MATTER OF  
GARY A. WILLIAMSON, D.D.S.  
Respondent  
Former License Number 6844

BEFORE THE MARYLAND  
STATE BOARD OF DENTAL  
EXAMINERS  
Case Number 95-077

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CONSENT ORDER

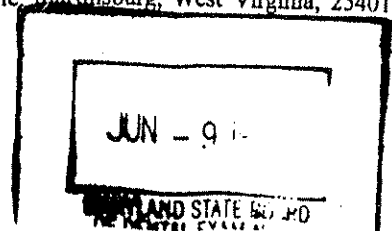
BACKGROUND

The Maryland dental license of Gary A. Williamson, former license number 6844 (the "Respondent")<sup>1</sup> expired and has remained "non-renewed" since 1979. On August 15, 1994, the Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners (the "Board") received Respondent's application for re-licensure. Because Respondent answered affirmatively to a number of disciplinary questions on his application, the Board conducted an investigation.

At its meeting on August 7, 1996, the Board considered the result of the investigation and the results of a case resolution conference with Respondent, and voted to initially deny Respondent's application for licensure. The Board voted that it would grant licensure if Respondent complied with a number of conditions. The Board notified Respondent of its decision by letter dated August 22, 1996. The initial denial was based on MD. CODE ANN., HEALTH OCC. ("HO") §4-315(a) which provides inter alia "subject to the hearing provisions of §4-318 of this subtitle, the Board may deny a general license to practice dentistry... to any applicant... if the applicant... (7) has had a license to practice dentistry revoked or suspended in any other state."

On April 23, 1997, pursuant to Respondent's request, the Board held a hearing to determine whether it would grant Respondent's application for licensure. At hearing, Respondent

<sup>1</sup>Respondent's most recent address on file with the Board is 108 Meadowbrook Circle, Martinsburg, West Virginia, 25401. Respondent was originally licensed by the Board on December 6, 1978.



5. Respondent has submitted evidence to the Board that he has received diagnosis and treatment for AD, and that he has been trained to safely alleviate the symptoms of AD by a procedure known as self-catheterization.

6. The Board has received favorable information from the Maryland State Dental Association's Committee for Dentists' Well-Being concerning Respondent's treatment and recovery.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact, the Board concludes as a matter of law that Respondent meets the qualifications for licensure provided that he comply with the conditions set forth in this Order.

### ORDER

Based on the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, it is this 21<sup>st</sup> day of July, 1997, by the Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners:

ORDERED that the dental license of Respondent, Gary A. Williamson, D.D.S., be and is hereby reinstated subject to the terms and conditions of this order; and be it further

ORDERED that unless and until expressly authorized by the Board, Respondent shall not perform dental procedures on human beings in the State; and be it further

ORDERED that unless and until expressly authorized by the Board, Respondent shall not supervise individuals in the practice of dentistry or dental hygiene in the State; and be it further

ORDERED that unless and until expressly authorized by the Board, Respondent shall not administer general anesthesia or parenteral sedation on a human being in the State, and be it further

practice of dentistry in the State; and

2. That Respondent submits to the Board, or causes to be submitted, proof that he has taken and successfully completed all portions of the Northeast Regional Board ("NERB") examination within the five (5) year period prior to Respondent's petition for reinstatement of his license without condition; and be it further

ORDERED that this is a public document in accordance with the Maryland Public Information Act, Md. Code Ann., State Gov't §§10-611 et seq. (1995), and as such will be available for public inspection and distributed to individuals and agencies who have continuing public information requests on file with the Board.

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DATE



MELVIN F. KUSHNER, PRESIDENT  
Maryland State Board of Dental Examiners  
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CONSENT

I, Gary A. Williamson, D.D.S., acknowledge that I have been encouraged by the Board to obtain and be represented by counsel, and that I have had the opportunity to consult with counsel before entering into and signing this document. By this consent, and in order to obtain licensure, I agree to accept the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained herein. Accordingly, I accept and submit to the foregoing Consent Order.

I acknowledge the validity of this Consent Order entered after the conclusion of a formal evidentiary hearing in which I had the right to counsel, to confront witnesses, to give testimony,