

**Before the  
New Hampshire Board of Medicine  
Concord, New Hampshire 03301**

**In The Matter Of:**

**Docket No.: 11-11**

**Michael E. Schorsch, M.D.**  
License No.: 6680  
(Adjudicatory/Disciplinary Proceeding)

**FINAL DECISION AND ORDER**

Before the New Hampshire Board of Medicine (“Board”) is an adjudicatory/disciplinary proceeding of Michael E. Schorsch, M.D. (“Respondent” or “Dr. Schorsch”)

**Background Information:**

The Board received information of certain misconduct allegations regarding Dr. Schorsch from the Vermont Board of Medicine. On August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011 the Board issued a Notice of Hearing. On Monday October 3, 2011 at 10:00am a pre-hearing conference was held via telephone conference. A pre-hearing Order was issued on the same date. On Wednesday, October 5, 2011, at 1:00 p.m., the Board commenced with the adjudicatory/disciplinary hearing in the above captioned matter. Board members present were:

Robert Andelman, Physician Member, Chair, Presiding Officer  
Louis Rosenthal, Physician Member  
Robert Cervenka, Physician Member  
Gail Barba, Public Member  
Nick Perencevich, Physician Member  
John Wheeler, Physician Member  
Mark Sullivan, Physician Assistant Member  
Edmund Waters, Jr., Public Member

The prosecution was represented by Hearing Counsel Attorney Sarah Blodgett of the Administrative Prosecutions Unit (“APU”) of the Office of the Attorney General. Dr. Schorsch appeared *pro se*.

The following exhibits were introduced into evidence and accepted into the record:

- Hearing Counsel's exhibits 1-11 (on submission of Exhibits at the hearing, Hearing Counsel moved that the Board seal Hearing Counsel Exhibits 1 and 3-11. Respondent did not object to the motion, Exhibits 1 and 3-11 are sealed).

- Respondent's Exhibits 1a – 6A1 and 2 (Exhibit 5A1 was not admitted into evidence because it was not provided to Hearing Counsel pursuant to the pre-hearing Order). Following the close of evidence, both Hearing Counsel and Dr. Schorsch submitted post-hearing memoranda which were considered by the Board in their deliberations.

### **Findings of Fact and Rulings of Law**

Hearing Counsel presented two witnesses, Dr. Amy Feitelson, a psychiatrist who reviewed Dr. Schorsch's treatment records and Dori Tohill, the Board's investigator. The Board found both witnesses to be professional, forthright and credible. Dr. Schorsch also testified on his own behalf. The Board found his testimony to be professional, forthright and credible.

Based upon the evidence at the hearing, including the Respondent's admissions, the Board finds that there are technical violations of each of the allegations A-J in the Notice of Hearing. As the Respondent has demonstrated a commitment to curing these defects, the Board is following Hearing Counsel's recommendation and is not imposing disciplinary action at this time.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Final Decision and Order shall become a permanent part of the Respondent's file, which is maintained by the Board as a public document. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Final Decision and Order shall take effect as an Order of the Board on the date an authorized representative of the Board signs it.

\*\BY ORDER OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE  
BOARD OF MEDICINE

Date: 12/15/2011

Penny Taylor  
(Signature)

PENNY TAYLOR  
(Print or Type Name)

Authorized Representative of the  
New Hampshire Board of Medicine

\*\ Board member Amy Feitelson, M.D. recused.