

STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS BRANCH

In re: Donald Ducor, D.V.M.

Petition No. 2005-0927-047-024

INTERIM CONSENT ORDER

WHEREAS, Donald Ducor, of Farmington, Connecticut (hereinafter "respondent") has been issued license number 001447 to practice as a veterinarian by the Department of Public Health (hereinafter "the Department") pursuant to Chapter 384 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, the Department has received information regarding respondent's alleged abuse or use to excess of the controlled substance buprenorphine;

WHEREAS, it will be necessary to conduct further investigation, and the parties wish to provide for the protection of the public during the interim.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to §19a-17 and 20-202 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, the parties hereby stipulate to the following:

1. Respondent's license number 001447 to practice as a veterinarian shall be suspended until 120 days after the effective date of this Order or until the first meeting of the Connecticut Board of Veterinary Medicine is held in the 2006 calendar year, whichever is later.

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2. Respondent shall surrender his license number 001447 to the Board immediately upon approval of this Interim Consent Order by the Board.
3. Respondent shall withdraw any pending applications for renewal of his license immediately upon approval of this Interim Consent Order by the Board, and shall not apply for renewal of his license until either the expiration of this Interim Consent Order or the dismissal of the pending complaint, whichever occurs first.
4. Respondent has executed releases for his treatment records, as requested by the Department.
5. This stipulation shall not deprive respondent of his right to a hearing on the merits of this case, nor shall it be construed as an admission of any fact or waiver of any right to which respondent may be entitled, other than as specifically provided for herein.
6. This Interim Consent Order shall become effective on the day it is approved and entered by the Board.
7. Respondent permits a representative of the Department to present this Interim Consent Order and the factual basis for this Consent Order to the Board. Respondent understands that the Board has complete and final discretion as to whether an executed Interim Consent Order is approved or accepted.
8. Respondent has had the opportunity to consult with an attorney prior to signing this document.
9. The execution of this document has no bearing on any criminal liability without the written consent of the Director of the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit or the Bureau Chief of the Division of Criminal Justice's Statewide Prosecution Bureau.

I, Donald Ducor, have read the above Interim Consent Order, and I agree to the terms set forth therein. I further declare the execution of this Interim Consent Order to be my free act and deed.

Donald Ducor, D.V.M.
Donald Ducor, D.V.M.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of November 2005.

[Signature]
~~Notary Public or person authorized~~
by law to administer an oath or
affirmation Commissioner of Superior Ct.

The above Interim Consent Order having been presented to the duly appointed agent of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Health on the 9th day of November 2005, it is hereby accepted.

Wendy H. Furniss
~~Jennifer Filippone, Section Chief~~ Wendy H. Furniss, RAC, M.S.
Practitioner Licensing and Investigations Branch Chief
Healthcare Systems Branch

The above Interim Consent Order having been presented to the Connecticut Board of Veterinary Medicine on the 9th day of November 2005, it is hereby ordered and accepted.

BY: [Signature]
Connecticut Board of Veterinary Medicine