

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICINE

**IN RE: MARIETA AGAWIN BAJIT, M.D.
 License No.: 0101- 023495**

ORDER

In accordance with Sections 54.1-2400(10), 2.2-4019 and 2.2-4021 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), an informal conference was held with Marieta Agawin Bajit, M.D., on August 30, 2006, in Williamsburg, Virginia. Members of the Virginia Board of Medicine ("Board") serving on the Special Conference Committee ("Committee") were: Karen A. Ransone, M.D., Chairman; Robert T. Mosby, Jr., M.D.; and Stephen E. Heretick, J.D. Dr. Bajit appeared personally and was not represented by legal counsel. Adjudication Specialist Virginia A. Scher was present as a representative for the Administrative Proceedings Division of the Department of Health Professions. The purpose of the informal conference was to inquire into allegations that Dr. Bajit may have violated certain laws governing the practice of medicine in the Commonwealth of Virginia, as set forth in a Notice of Informal Conference dated July 13, 2006.

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Now, having properly considered the evidence and statements presented, the Committee makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

1. Marieta Agawin Bajit, M.D., was issued license number 0101-023495 by the Board of Medicine on August 15, 1973. Said license will expire on March 31, 2008, unless renewed or acted upon.
2. After thorough review and consideration of the statements and materials presented by Dr. Bajit, the Committee finds no violation of law.

3. While Dr. Bajit's actions were a deviation from standards at Bon Secours DePaul Medical Center ("DePaul") at that time, DePaul has since made policy and procedural changes to ensure timely and efficient distribution and wastage of scheduled medications.

4. Dr. Bajit attended a thirty-hour intensive course in controlled substance management at Case Western Reserve University.

5. Dr. Bajit was investigated by DePaul and was reinstated with full privileges.

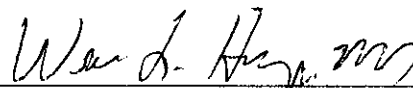
6. Since Dr. Bajit returned to work at DePaul, there have been no further problems with drug wastage, and she has been fully compliant with the new hospital policies which include increased personnel available to witness wastage.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, based on the above Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, it is hereby ORDERED that Marieta Agawin Bajit, M.D., be, and hereby is, EXONERATED of all charges.

Pursuant to Section 54.1-2400.2(D) of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as a public record, and shall be made available for public inspection and copying upon request.

FOR THE BOARD



William L. Harp, M.D.
Executive Director
Virginia Board of Medicine

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