BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

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In The Matter of Charges and)	Case No. 11-28023-1
Complaint Against)	FILED
EDWARD MICHAEL OUTLAW, M.D.,)	JUL 1 2 2011
Respondent.)	NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS By:

COMPLAINT

The Investigative Committee of the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners, comprised at the time of authorizing the filing of this complaint, Charles N. Held, M.D., Chairman, Theodore B. Berndt, M.D., Member, and Valerie J. Clark, BSN, RHU, LUTCF, Member, by and through Bradley O. Van Ry, Deputy General Counsel, having a reasonable basis to believe that Edward Michael Outlaw, M.D., hereinafter referred to as "Respondent", has violated the provisions of NRS Chapter 630, hereby issues its formal Complaint, stating the Investigative Committee's charges and allegations, as follows:

- 1. Respondent is currently licensed in active status (License No. 10630), and has been so licensed since September 8, 2003 by the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 630 of the Nevada Revised Statutes.
- 2. On or about October 27, 2010, the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners discovered that Respondent had abandoned numerous medical records in his former home at 1877 Glory Lily Ct., Las Vegas, Nevada 89123.
- 3. The medical records included patient charts, patient identification and demographics, medical histories, charts, films, etc. These records were left behind by Respondent in a foreclosed, bank owned property.

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Count I

- All of the allegations contained in the above paragraphs are hereby incorporated by 4. reference as though fully set forth herein.
- Nevada Revised Statute 630.3062(1) provides that the failure to maintain timely, 5. legible, accurate and complete medical records relating to the diagnosis, treatment and care of a patient is grounds for initiating disciplinary action against a licensee.
- Respondent failed to maintain timely, legible, accurate and complete medical records relating to the diagnosis, treatment and care of numerous patients.
- By reason of the foregoing, Respondent is subject to discipline by the Nevada State 7. Board of Medical Examiners as provided in Section 630.352 of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

Count II

- 8. All of the allegations contained in the above paragraphs are hereby incorporated by reference as though fully set forth herein.
- Nevada Revised Statute Section 630.3065(1) provides that willful disclosure of a 9. communication privileged pursuant to a statute or court order is grounds for initiating discipline against a licensee.
- Respondent's aforementioned willful abandonment of medical records constitutes a 10. violation of the provisions of NRS 630.3065(1).
- 11. By reason of the foregoing, Respondent is subject to discipline by the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners as provided in Section 630.352 of the Nevada Revised Statutes.

WHEREFORE, the Investigative Committee prays:

- That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners give Respondent notice of the 1. charges herein against him and give him notice that he may file an answer to the Complaint herein as set forth in Section 630.339 of the Nevada Revised Statutes within twenty (20) days of service of the Complaint.
- That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners set a time and place for a 2. formal hearing after holding an Early Case Conference pursuant to NRS 630.339(3);

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- That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners determine what sanctions it 3. determines to impose if it determines there has been a violation or violations of the Medical Practice Act (Nevada Revised Statutes Chapter 630) committed by Respondent; and
- That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners make, issue and serve on 4. Respondent its findings of facts, conclusions of law and order, in writing, that includes the sanctions imposed; and
- That the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners take such other and further 5. action as may be just and proper in these premises.

DATED this day of July, 2011.

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

By: Bradley O. Van Ry, Esq.

Attorney for the Investigative Committee

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners

Reno, Nevada 89502

VERIFICATION

STATE OF NEVADA)	
COUNTY OF WASHOE	: s)	>

Theodore B. Berndt, M.D., hereby deposes and states under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Nevada that he is the Chairman of the Investigative Committee of the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners that authorized the foregoing Complaint against the Respondent herein; that he has read the foregoing Complaint; and that based upon information discovered during the course of the investigation into a complaint against Respondent, that he believes the allegations and charges in the foregoing Complaint against Respondent are true, accurate, and correct.

Dated this 12th day of July, 2011.

Theodore B. Berndt, M.D.

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I am employed by Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners and that on 12th day of July 2011, I served a file copy of the COMPLAINT, SETTLEMENT LETTER & FINGERPRINT INFORMATION, by mailing via USPS certified mail to the following:

Edward Michael Outlaw, M.D. 801 S. Rancho, Ste. A3 Las Vegas, NV 89106

Dated this 12th day of July 2011.

Angelia L. Donohoe Legal Assistant