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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

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In the Matter of Charges and Complaint

Case No. 22-12486-1

Against:

FILED

DJORDJE V. HRISTIC, M.D.,

FEB 17 2022

Respondent.

NEVADA STATE BOARD OF
MEDICAL EXAMINERS
By: 

COMPLAINT

The Investigative Committee¹ (IC) of the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners (Board), by and through Donald K. White, J.D., Deputy General Counsel and attorney for the IC, having a reasonable basis to believe that (Respondent) violated the provisions of Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 630 and Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 630 (collectively, the Medical Practice Act), hereby issues its Complaint, stating the IC's charges and allegations as follows:

1. Respondent was at all times relative to this Complaint a medical doctor holding an active license to practice medicine in the State of Nevada (License No. 8834). Respondent was originally licensed by the Board on October 26, 1998.

2. Patient A² was a forty-four (44) year-old male at the time of the events at issue.

3. Patient A was seen on or about July 19, 2015 at St. Rose Dominican Hospital, San Martin Campus complaining of a severe headache, slurred speech and right-sided weakness.

4. On July 20, 2015 Patient A underwent a CT of his head without contrast. The report was read by Respondent. The findings by Respondent were "No acute intracranial process."

¹ The Investigative Committee of the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners, at the time this formal Complaint was authorized for filing, was composed of Board members Mr. M. Neil Duxbury, Aury Nagy, M.D. and Michael C. Edwards, M.D.

² Patient A's true identity is not disclosed herein to protect his privacy, but is disclosed in the Patient Designation served upon Respondent along with a copy of this Complaint.

1 15. NAC 630.210 requires a physician to seek consultation with another provider of
2 health care in doubtful or difficult cases whenever it appears that consultation may enhance the
3 quality of medical services.

4 16. Respondent failed to timely seek consultation with regard to Patient A's medical
5 condition from on or about July 20, 2015., and Respondent should have consulted with an
6 appropriate care provider to address the doubtfulness of, or difficulty in, the diagnosis of Patient
7 A's medical condition. A timely consultation may have confirmed or denied such a diagnosis and
8 may have enhanced the quality of medical care provided to Patient A with regard to suffering too
9 long from an eschemic stroke without any treatment..

10 17. By reason of the foregoing, Respondent is subject to discipline by the Nevada State
11 Board of Medical Examiners as provided in NRS 630.352.

12 **WHEREFORE**, the Investigative Committee prays:

13 1. That the Board give Respondent notice of the charges herein against him and give
14 him notice that he may file an answer to the Complaint herein as set forth in
15 NRS 630.339(2) within twenty (20) days of service of the Complaint;

16 2. That the Board set a time and place for a formal hearing after holding an Early
17 Case Conference pursuant to NRS 630.339(3);

18 3. That the Board determine what sanctions to impose if it determines there has been
19 a violation or violations of the Medical Practice Act committed by Respondent;

20 4. That the Board award fees and costs for the investigation and prosecution of this
21 case as outlined in NRS 622.400;

22 5. That the Board make, issue and serve on Respondent its findings of fact,
23 conclusions of law and order, in writing, that includes the sanctions imposed; and

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6. That the Board take such other and further action as may be just and proper in these premises.
DATED this 17th day of February, 2022.

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF NEVADA)
 : ss.
COUNTY OF WAHOOE)

Bret W. Frey, M.D., having been duly sworn, hereby deposes and states under penalty of perjury that he is the Chairman of the Investigative Committee of the Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners that authorized the Complaint against the Respondent herein; that he has read the foregoing Complaint; and that based upon information discovered in the course of the investigation into a complaint against Respondent, he believes that the allegations and charges in the foregoing Complaint against Respondent are true, accurate and correct.

DATED this 17 February 2022.

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

By: 
BRET W. FREY, M.D.
Chairman of the Investigative Committee