

<b>IN THE MATTER OF</b>	*	<b>BEFORE THE MARYLAND</b>
<b>JESSICA R. McLAUGHLIN, P.D.</b>	*	<b>STATE BOARD OF</b>
<b>LICENSE NO. 22852</b>	*	<b>PHARMACY</b>
<b>Respondent</b>	*	<b>Case No. 15-098</b>
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**CONSENT ORDER LIFTING SUSPENSION**

**Background**

The Maryland Board of Pharmacy (the “Board”) is in receipt of a petition from Jessica R. McLaughlin, License No. 22852, requesting to lift the suspension of her license as set forth in a Consent Order Terminating Summary Suspension, dated August 13, 2015. The Consent Order provides that Ms. McLaughlin may petition to lift the suspension of her license after December 24, 2015, and provided that she submit to a substance abuse evaluation and is compliant with all terms of suspension. Ms. McLaughlin submitted to a substance abuse evaluation by a Board-appointed evaluator who opined that Ms. McLaughlin was fit to resume the practice of pharmacy with certain conditions. On September 21, 2016, the Board voted to lift the suspension and place Ms. McLaughlin’s license on immediate probation with terms as set forth below.

**ORDER**

Based on agreement of the parties, it is this 16<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2016, by an affirmative vote of the Board, hereby

**ORDERED** that Ms. McLaughlin’s license be placed on PROBATION for at least THREE (3) YEARS; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that during the probationary period, Ms. McLaughlin:

- (1) May not work in a pharmacy prescription area alone;

(2) Shall ensure that her pharmacist supervisor submits to the Board quarterly progress reports;

(3) Shall continue treatment and medication management with her psychiatrist, and ensure that her psychiatrist submits to the Board quarterly reports regarding her status and medication compliance; and, be it further,

**ORDERED** that after one (1) year of probation, Ms. McLaughlin may petition to modify the probationary terms provided that she has fully complied with all terms of probation and has no pending complaints against her; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that after three (3) years of probation, Ms. McLaughlin may petition to terminate the probation provided that she has fully complied with the probationary terms and has no pending complaints against her; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that Ms. McLaughlin's execution of this Consent Order shall constitute a release of any and all of her medical records, substance abuse treatment records, and psychological/psychiatric records to the Board in complying with the terms and conditions set forth herein. Further, Ms. McLaughlin agrees and consents to the release by the Board of any information or data produced in relation to this Consent Order to any treatment provider; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that Ms. McLaughlin shall at all times cooperate with the Board in the monitoring, supervision, and investigation of her compliance with the terms and conditions of this Consent Order; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that Ms. McLaughlin's failure to fully cooperate with the Board shall be deemed a violation of the terms of probation and a violation of this Consent Order; and be it further,


**ORDERED** that Ms. McLaughlin shall provide the Board with written notification in advance of any period of time during which she may be unreachable due to travel or other reason; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that in the event the Board finds for any good faith reason that Ms. McLaughlin has violated any of the terms of this Order, or in the event that the Board finds for any good faith reason that the Respondent has committed a violation of Title 12 of the Health Occupations Article or regulations adopted thereunder, the Board may take emergency action, or further disciplinary action against the Respondent, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing, as appropriate; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that Ms. McLaughlin shall bear the expenses associated with this Order; and be it further,

**ORDERED** that this document constitutes a formal order of the Maryland Board of Pharmacy and is therefore a public document for purposes of public disclosure, pursuant to the Public Information Act., General Provisions Art. § 4-333.

11/16/2016  
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Date

  
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Mitra Gavgani, Pharm.D.  
President, Board of Pharmacy

CONSENT

By signing this Consent, I hereby consent to the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, and agree to be bound by the foregoing Consent Order and its conditions.

1. By this Consent, I submit to the foregoing Consent Order as a resolution of this matter. By signing this Consent, I waive any rights I may have had to contest the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained in this Consent Order.

2. I acknowledge the validity of this Consent Order as if it were made after a hearing in which I would have had the right to counsel, to confront witnesses on my own behalf, and to all other substantial procedural protections provided by law.

3. I acknowledge the legal authority and the jurisdiction of the Board to enter and enforce this Consent Order.

4. I acknowledge that, by entering into this Consent Order, I am waiving my right to appeal any adverse ruling of the Board that might have followed an evidentiary hearing.

5. I sign this Consent Order freely and voluntarily, after having had the opportunity to consult with counsel. I fully understand the language, meaning, and effect of this Consent Order.

Nov 2, 2016  
Date

Jessica R McLaughlin  
Jessica McLaughlin, R.Ph.

STATE OF MARYLAND  
COUNTY/CITY OF FREDERICK :

I hereby certify that on this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of NOVEMBER, 2016, before me, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland and County/City aforesaid, personally appeared JESSICA R. McLAUGHLIN, and made an oath in due form that the foregoing Consent was her voluntary act and deed.

Harry L. Price  
Notary Public  
My commission expires: 12/7/2017

