

1 Respondent briefly examined the patient. The examination was negative and Respondent
2 assessed an arrhythmia or occlusive vascular phenomenon. Respondent failed to ask
3 basic questions concerning the equilibrium symptoms and did not perform an appropriate
4 examination.

5 5. The patient returned again on July 13, 1999, complaining of dizziness and
6 minor headaches. Respondent examined the patient and concluded that the patient
7 ambulates well. The record is void of any diagnosis. On November 14, 1999, the patient
8 returned complaining of headaches and back pains. The record is void of any examination
9 and diagnosis.

10 6. On December 20, 1999, the patient returned for a check-up and informed
11 Respondent of another incident of tripping over an uneven surface. Respondent referred
12 her to an orthopedist for disequilibrium. The referral was inappropriate. Respondent
13 should have referred the patient to an otolaryngologist or a neurologist.

14 7. In March 2000, the patient relocated to Tucson and began treatment with
15 another physician. An MRI of the brain was performed and showed an acoustic tumor.
16 The patient underwent invasive brain surgery to remove the tumor.

17 8. Respondent performed an inadequate evaluation of the patient concerning
18 her equilibrium symptoms, causing a delay in diagnosis of acoustic neuroma.
19 Respondent's actions fell below the standard of care.

20 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

21 1. The Board possesses jurisdiction over the subject matter hereof and over
22 Juneau D. Stump, M.D. (Respondent), holder of license number 7971.

23 2. The conduct and circumstances described above in paragraphs 4 to 8
24 constitute unprofessional conduct pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-1401(25)(q) (Any conduct or
25 practice which is or might be harmful or dangerous to the health of the patient or public).

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Juneau D. Stump, M.D. (Respondent), holder of license number 7971, is hereby issued a Letter of Reprimand for the unprofessional conduct described above.
2. Respondent is placed on probation for six (6) months with the following terms and conditions:
 - (A) Respondent, shall within six (6) months of the effective date of this Order, obtain twenty (20) hours of Board staff pre-approved Continuing Medical Education (CME) in the evaluation of dizziness and shall provide Board staff with satisfactory proof of attendance. The CME hours shall be in addition to the hours required for the biennial renewal of medical license.
3. This Order is final disposition of case number MD-00-0457.
4. The Board retains jurisdiction and may initiate a new action based upon any violation of this order.

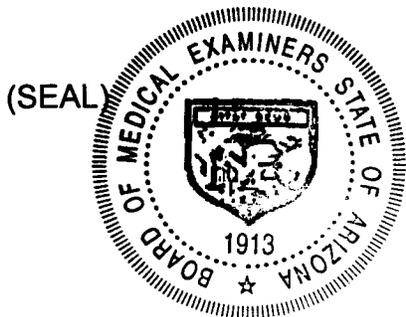
RIGHT TO PETITION FOR REVIEW

Juneau D. Stump, M.D. (Respondent) is hereby notified that he has the right to petition for a rehearing of this Order. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 41-1092.09, as amended, the petition for rehearing must be filed with the Board's Executive Director within thirty (30) days after service of this Order and pursuant to A.A.C. R4-16-102, it must set forth legally sufficient reasons for granting a rehearing. Service of this Order is effective five (5) days after the date of mailing. If a petition for rehearing is not filed, the order becomes effective thirty-five (35) days after it has been mailed. Timely filing of a motion for rehearing shall stay the enforcement of this Order, until the Board enters a final and effective Order ruling on the merits of the motion for rehearing.

1 Respondent is further notified, as required by A.R.S. § 41-1092.09(B), that the
2 timely filing of a petition for rehearing with the Board is required to preserve any rights of
3 appeal to the superior court that he may wish to pursue.

4 DATED and effective this 23rd day of May, 2001.

5 BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
6 OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA



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