BEFORE THE MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

| In the Matter of the Accusation Against: | |
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| Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D. | Case No. 800-2019-056214 |
| Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A 50042 | |
| Respondent. | |
| DECISION | • |

DECISION

The attached Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby adopted as the Decision and Order of the Medical Board of California, Department of Consumer Affairs, State of California.

This Decision shall become effective at 5:00 p.m. on JUN 12 2020.

IT IS SO ORDERED JUN 0 5 2020

MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA

Christine J. Lally Interim Executive Director

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| 10 | MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS | | |
| 11 | STATE OF CA | ALIFORNIA | |
| 12 | In the Matter of the Accusation Against: | Case No. 800-2019-056214 | |
| 13 | YADVINDER KUMAR NARANG, M.D. | | |
| 14 | 2601 16th Street Bakersfield, CA 93301 | STIPULATED SURRENDER OF | |
| 15 | Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate | LICENSE AND ORDER | |
| 16 | No. A 50042, | | |
| 17 | Respondent. | | |
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| 19 | IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGR | EED by and between the parties to the above- | |
| 20 | entitled proceedings that the following matters are | • | |
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| 22 | PARTIES 1. Christine J. Lally ("Complainant") is the Interim Executive Director of the Medical | | |
| 23 | Board of California ("Board"). She brought this action solely in her official capacity and is | | |
| 24 | represented in this matter by Xavier Becerra, Attorney General of the State of California, by | | |
| 25 | Rebecca L. Smith, Deputy Attorney General. | | |
| 26 | 2. Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D. ("Respondent") is represented in this proceeding by | | |
| 27 | attorney, Robert H. Brumfield, III, whose address is 1810 Westwind Drive, Suite 100, | | |
| 28 | Bakersfield, California 93301. | | |
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3. On or about October 15, 1991, the Medical Board issued Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate Number A 50042 to Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D. ("Respondent"). That license was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on September 30, 2021, unless renewed.

JURISDICTION

4. Accusation No. 800-2019-056214 was filed before the Board, and is currently pending against Respondent. The Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly served on Respondent. A copy of Accusation No. 800-2019-056214 is attached as Exhibit A and incorporated by reference.

ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS

- 5. Respondent has carefully read, fully discussed with counsel, and understands the charges and allegations in Accusation No. 800-2019-056214. Respondent also has carefully read, fully discussed with counsel, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order.
- 6. Respondent is fully aware of his legal rights in this matter, including the right to a hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against him; the right to present evidence and to testify on his own behalf; the right to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents; the right to reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other rights accorded by the California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.
- 7. Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and every right set forth above.

CULPABILITY

8. Respondent admits the truth of each and every charge and allegation in Accusation No. 800-2019-056214, agrees that cause exists for discipline and hereby surrenders his Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A 50042 for the Board's formal acceptance.

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9. Respondent understands that by signing this stipulation he enables the Board to issue an order accepting the surrender of his Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate without further process.

CONTINGENCY

- 10. This stipulation shall be subject to approval by the Board. Respondent understands and agrees that counsel for Complainant and the staff of the Board may communicate directly with the Board regarding this stipulation and surrender, without notice to or participation by Respondent or his counsel. By signing the stipulation, Respondent understands and agrees that he may not withdraw his agreement or seek to rescind the stipulation prior to the time the Board considers and acts upon it. If the Board fails to adopt this stipulation as its Decision and Order, the Stipulated Surrender and Disciplinary Order shall be of no force or effect, except for this paragraph, it shall be inadmissible in any legal action between the parties, and the Board shall not be disqualified from further action by having considered this matter.
- 11. The parties understand and agree that Portable Document Format ("PDF") and facsimile copies of this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order, including PDF and facsimile signatures thereto, shall have the same force and effect as the originals.
- 12. In consideration of the foregoing admissions and stipulations, the parties agree that the Board may, without further notice or formal proceeding, issue and enter the following Order:

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A 50042, issued to Respondent Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D., is surrendered and accepted by the Board.

- 1. The surrender of Respondent's Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate and the acceptance of the surrendered license by the Board shall constitute the imposition of discipline against Respondent. This stipulation constitutes a record of the discipline and shall become a part of Respondent's license history with the Board.
- 2. Respondent shall lose all rights and privileges as a cardiologist in California as of the effective date of the Board's Decision and Order.

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- 3. Respondent shall cause to be delivered to the Board his pocket license and, if one was issued, his wall certificate on or before the effective date of the Decision and Order.
- 4. For three (3) years from the effect date of the Decision and Order, Respondent cannot file an application for licensure or a petition for reinstatement in the State of California. If Respondent ever files an application for licensure or a petition for reinstatement in the State of California, the Board shall treat it as a petition for reinstatement. Respondent must comply with all the laws, regulations and procedures for reinstatement of a revoked or surrendered license in effect at the time the petition is filed, and all of the charges and allegations contained in Accusation No. 800-2019-056214 shall be deemed to be true, correct and admitted by Respondent when the Board determines whether to grant or deny the petition.
- 5. If Respondent should ever apply or reapply for a new license or certification, or petition for reinstatement of a license, by any other health care licensing agency in the State of California, all of the charges and allegations contained in Accusation, No. 800-2019-056214 shall be deemed to be true, correct, and admitted by Respondent for the purpose of any Statement of Issues or any other proceeding seeking to deny or restrict licensure.

ACCEPTANCE

I have carefully read the above Stipulated Surrender of License and Order and have fully discussed it with my attorney Robert H. Brumfield, III. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on my Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate. I enter into this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Medical Board of California.

| DATED: | 6/4/2020 | Lambe Mc |
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| | | YADVINDER KUMAR NARANG, M.D. |
| | | Respondent by Ray Chani Marangi |
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| 1 | I have read and fully discussed with Respondent Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D. the terms |
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| 2 | and conditions and other matters contained in this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order. I |
| 3 | approve its form and content. |
| 4 | DATED: 6/4/20 VW |
| 5 | Robert H. Brumfield, III Attorney for Respondent |
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| 7 | ENDORSEMENT |
| 8 | The foregoing Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby respectfully submitted |
| 9 | for consideration by the Medical Board of California of the Department of Consumer Affairs. |
| 10 | DATED: 4/2020 Respectfully submitted, |
| 11 | XAVIER BECERRA Attorney General of California |
| 12 | JUDITH T. ALVARADO Supervising Deputy Attorney General |
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Exhibit A

Accusation No. 800-2019-056214

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| 17 18 | Respondent. | |
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| 20 | 1. Christine J. Lally ("Complainant") bri | ngs this Accusation solely in her official |
| 21 | capacity as the Interim Executive Director of the I | Medical Board of California, Department of |
| 22 | Consumer Affairs ("Board"). | |
| 23 | 2. On or about October 15, 1991, the Medical Board issued Physician's and Surgeon's | |
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(YADVINDER KUMAR NARANG, M.D.) ACCUSATION NO. 800-2019-056214

JURISDICTION

- 3. This Accusation is brought before the Board under the authority of the following provisions of the Business and Professions Code ("Code") unless otherwise indicated.
 - 4. Section 2004 of the Code states:

The board shall have the responsibility for the following:

- (a) The enforcement of the disciplinary and criminal provisions of the Medical Practice Act.
 - (b) The administration and hearing of disciplinary actions.
- (c) Carrying out disciplinary actions appropriate to findings made by a panel or an administrative law judge.
- (d) Suspending, revoking, or otherwise limiting certificates after the conclusion of disciplinary actions.
- (e) Reviewing the quality of medical practice carried out by physician and surgeon certificate holders under the jurisdiction of the board.
 - (f) Approving undergraduate and graduate medical education programs.
- (g) Approving clinical clerkship and special programs and hospitals for the programs in subdivision (f).
 - (h) Issuing licenses and certificates under the board's jurisdiction.
 - (i) Administering the board's continuing medical education program.
- 5. Section 2227 of the Code states:
- (a) A licensee whose matter has been heard by an administrative law judge of the Medical Quality Hearing Panel as designated in Section 11371 of the Government Code, or whose default has been entered, and who is found guilty, or who has entered into a stipulation for disciplinary action with the board, may, in accordance with the provisions of this chapter:
 - (1) Have his or her license revoked upon order of the board.
- (2) Have his or her right to practice suspended for a period not to exceed one year upon order of the board.
- (3) Be placed on probation and be required to pay the costs of probation monitoring upon order of the board.
- (4) Be publicly reprimanded by the board. The public reprimand may include a requirement that the licensee complete relevant educational courses approved by the board.
- (5) Have any other action taken in relation to discipline as part of an order of probation, as the board or an administrative law judge may deem proper.

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(b) Any matter heard pursuant to subdivision (a), except for warning letters, medical review or advisory conferences, professional competency examinations, continuing education activities, and cost reimbursement associated therewith that are agreed to with the board and successfully completed by the licensee, or other matters made confidential or privileged by existing law, is deemed public, and shall be made available to the public by the board pursuant to Section 803.1.

Section 822 of the Code states:

If a licensing agency determines that its licentiate's ability to practice his or her profession safely is impaired because the licentiate is mentally ill, or physically ill affecting competency, the licensing agency may take action by any one of the

- (a) Revoking the licentiate's certificate or license.
- (b) Suspending the licentiate's right to practice.
- (c) Placing the licentiate on probation.
- (d) Taking such other action in relation to the licentiate as the licensing agency in its discretion deems proper.

The licensing section shall not reinstate a revoked or suspended certificate or license until it has received competent evidence of the absence or control of the condition which caused its action and until it is satisfied that with due regard for the public health and safety the person's right to practice his or her profession may be

CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Inability to Practice)

Respondent Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D. is subject to disciplinary action under section 822 of the Code in that he is unable to engage in the practice medicine due to physical

<u>PRAYER</u>

WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged, and that following the hearing, the Medical Board of California issue a decision:

- Revoking or suspending Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate Number A 50042, issued to Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D.:
- Revoking, suspending or denying approval of Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D.'s authority to supervise physician assistants and advanced practice nurses;
- Ordering Yadvinder Kumar Narang, M.D., if placed on probation, to pay the Board the costs of probation monitoring; and

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| 1 | 4. Taking such other and furthe | r action as deemed necessary and proper. |
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| 3 | DATED: JUN 0 4,2020 | (Mrinting) Lally |
| 4 | | CHRISTINE J. LALLY Interim Executive Director |
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