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RE:

Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. G 46399

Case No. 800-2021-080486

Public Letter of Reprimand

An investigation by the Medical Board of California revealed that on October 13, 2020, you plead guilty in violation of Penal Code (PC) 273.5(a), a felony. Subsequently on February 16, 2022, the felony conviction was reduced to a misdemeanor pursuant to PC 17(b). In addition, you failed to report your felony conviction to the Board within the mandated 30-day timeframe.

These actions constitute a violation of California Business and Professions Code Section(s): 2234, 2236, and 802.1.

Pursuant to the authority of the California Business and Professions Code section 2233, you are hereby issued this Public Letter of Reprimand by the Medical Board of California.

Reji Varghese

Interim Executive Director