

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

**In the Matter of the Accusation Against:**

**YASMIN PIRANI, M.D.  
7828 Day Creek Blvd #337  
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91739**

**Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A  
102053**

**Case No. 800-2018-049302**

**OAH No. 2023040218**

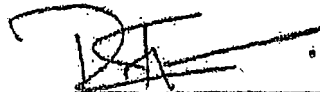
**Respondent.**

**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 September 21, 2023 . IT IS SO ORDERED September 14, 2023.**

**MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**



**Reji Varghese  
Executive Director**

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**STIPULATED SURRENDER OF  
LICENSE AND ORDER**

15 Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A 102053,

16 Respondent.  
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18 **IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED** by and between the parties to the above-  
19 entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:

20 **PARTIES**

21 1. Reji Varghese (Complainant) is the Executive Director of the Medical Board of  
22 California (Board). He brought this action solely in his official capacity and is represented in this  
23 matter by Rob Bonta, Attorney General of the State of California, by Vladimir Shalkevich,  
24 Deputy Attorney General.

25 2. Yasmin Pirani, M.D. (Respondent) is represented in this proceeding by attorney  
26 Nathan Mubasher, whose address is: 2621 Green River Rd., Ste 105 PMB 403, Corona, CA  
27 92882-7454.  
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1           3.     On November 9, 2007, the Board issued Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A  
2     102053 to Respondent. That license was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the  
3     charges brought in Accusation No. 800-2018-049302 and will expire on December 31, 2022,  
4     unless renewed.

5                                   **JURISDICTION**

6           4.     Accusation No. 800-2018-049302 was filed before the Board and is currently pending  
7     against Respondent. The Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly  
8     served on Respondent on January 24, 2023. Respondent timely filed her Notice of Defense  
9     contesting the Accusation. A copy of Accusation No. 800-2018-049302 is attached as Exhibit A  
10    and is incorporated by reference.

11                               **ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS**

12          5.     Respondent has carefully read, fully discussed with counsel, and understands the  
13    charges and allegations in Accusation No. 800-2018-049302. Respondent also has carefully read,  
14    fully discussed with counsel, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Surrender of License  
15    and Order.

16          6.     Respondent is fully aware of her legal rights in this matter, including the right to a  
17    hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to confront and cross-examine  
18    the witnesses against her; the right to present evidence and to testify on her own behalf; the right  
19    to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of  
20    documents; the right to reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other  
21    rights accorded by the California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.

22          7.     Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and  
23    every right set forth above.

24                               **CULPABILITY**

25          8.     Respondent admits the truth of the Cause for Discipline in the Accusation No. 800-  
26    2018-049302, that she suffers from a mental and/or physical illness affecting her ability to  
27    practice medicine safely. Respondent agrees that cause exists for discipline pursuant to Business  
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1 and Professions Code section 822. Respondent hereby surrenders her Physician's and Surgeon's  
2 Certificate No. A 102053 for the Board's formal acceptance.

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

6 **CONTINGENCY**

7 10. Business and Professions Code section 2224, subdivision (b), provides, in pertinent  
8 part, that the Medical Board "shall delegate to its executive director the authority to adopt a ...  
9 stipulation for surrender of a license."

10 11. Respondent understands that, by signing this stipulation, she enables the Executive  
11 Director of the Board to issue an order, on behalf of the Board, accepting the surrender of her  
12 Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A 102053 without further notice to, or opportunity to be  
13 heard by, Respondent.

14 12. This Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order shall be subject to the  
15 approval of the Executive Director on behalf of the Board. The parties agree that this Stipulated  
16 Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order shall be submitted to the Executive Director for his  
17 consideration in the above-entitled matter and, further, that the Executive Director shall have a  
18 reasonable period of time in which to consider and act on this Stipulated Surrender of License and  
19 Disciplinary Order after receiving it. By signing this stipulation, Respondent fully understands  
20 and agrees that she may not withdraw her agreement or seek to rescind this stipulation prior to the  
21 time the Executive Director, on behalf of the Medical Board, considers and acts upon it.

22 13. The parties agree that this Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order  
23 shall be null and void and not binding upon the parties unless approved and adopted by the  
24 Executive Director on behalf of the Board, except for this paragraph, which shall remain in full  
25 force and effect. Respondent fully understands and agrees that in deciding whether or not to  
26 approve and adopt this Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order, the Executive  
27 Director and/or the Board may receive oral and written communications from its staff and/or the  
28 Attorney General's Office. Communications pursuant to this paragraph shall not disqualify the

1 Executive Director, the Board, any member thereof, and/or any other person from future  
2 participation in this or any other matter affecting or involving respondent. In the event that the  
3 Executive Director on behalf of the Board does not, in his discretion, approve and adopt this  
4 Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order, with the exception of this paragraph, it  
5 shall not become effective, shall be of no evidentiary value whatsoever, and shall not be relied  
6 upon or introduced in any disciplinary action by either party hereto. Respondent further agrees  
7 that should this Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order be rejected for any reason  
8 by the Executive Director on behalf of the Board, Respondent will assert no claim that the  
9 Executive Director, the Board, or any member thereof, was prejudiced by its/his/her review,  
10 discussion and/or consideration of this Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order or  
11 of any matter or matters related hereto.

#### 12 **ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS**

13 14. This Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary Order is intended by the parties  
14 herein to be an integrated writing representing the complete, final and exclusive embodiment of  
15 the agreements of the parties in the above-entitled matter.

16 15. The parties agree that copies of this Stipulated Surrender of License and Disciplinary  
17 Order, including copies of the signatures of the parties, may be used in lieu of original documents  
18 and signatures and, further, that such copies shall have the same force and effect as originals.

19 16. In consideration of the foregoing admissions and stipulations, the parties agree the  
20 Executive Director of the Board may, without further notice to or opportunity to be heard by  
21 Respondent, issue and enter the following Disciplinary Order on behalf of the Board:

#### 22 **ORDER**

23 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT** Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A 102053,  
24 issued to Respondent Yasmin Pirani, M.D., is surrendered and accepted by the Board.

25 1. The surrender of Respondent's Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate and the  
26 acceptance of the surrendered license by the Board shall constitute the imposition of discipline  
27 against Respondent. This stipulation constitutes a record of the discipline and shall become a part  
28 of Respondent's license history with the Board.

2. Respondent shall lose all rights and privileges as a Physician and Surgeon in California as of the effective date of the Board's Decision and Order.

3. Respondent shall cause to be delivered to the Board her pocket license and, if one was issued, her wall certificate on or before the effective date of the Decision and Order.

4. 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. 800-2018-049302 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. 800-2018-049302 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 Nathan Mubasher. 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: 09/10/2023

*Yasmin Pirani*

YASMIN PIRANI, M.D.  
Respondent

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1 I have read and fully discussed with Respondent Yasmin Pirani, M.D. the terms and  
2 conditions and other matters contained in this Stipulated Surrender of License and Order. I  
3 approve its form and content.

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5 DATED: 09/10/2023



NATHAN MUBASHER  
*Attorney for Respondent*

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8 **ENDORSEMENT**

9 The foregoing Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby respectfully submitted  
10 for consideration by the Medical Board of California of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

11 DATED: September 11, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

12 ROB BONTA  
13 Attorney General of California  
14 ROBERT MCKIM BELL  
15 Supervising Deputy Attorney General



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*Attorneys for Complainant*

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**Exhibit A**

**Accusation No. 800-2018-049302**



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**A C C U S A T I O N**

15 Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate  
16 No. A 102053;

Respondent.

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18 **PARTIES**

19 1. Reji Varghese (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in his official capacity as  
20 the Deputy Director of the Medical Board of California, Department of Consumer Affairs  
21 (Board).

22 2. On November 9, 2007, the Board issued Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate  
23 Number A 102053 to Yasmin Pirani, M.D. (Respondent). That license was in full force and  
24 effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on December 31, 2024,  
25 unless renewed.

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## JURISDICTION

3. This Accusation is brought before the Board, under the authority of the following laws. All section references are to the Business and Professions Code (Code) unless otherwise indicated.

## STATUTORY PROVISIONS

4. Section 820 of the Code states:

Whenever it appears that any person holding a license, certificate or permit under this division or under any initiative act referred to in this division may be unable to practice his or her profession safely because the licentiate's ability to practice is impaired due to mental illness, or physical illness affecting competency, the licensing agency may order the licentiate to be examined by one or more physicians and surgeons or psychologists designated by the agency. The report of the examiners shall be made available to the licentiate and may be received as direct evidence in proceedings conducted pursuant to Section 822.

5. 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 following methods:

- (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 safely reinstated.

6. Section 2234 of the Code states, in pertinent part:

The board shall take action against any licensee who is charged with unprofessional conduct. In addition to other provisions of this article, unprofessional conduct includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- ... (d) Incompetence.

## COST RECOVERY

7. Section 125.3 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Board may request the administrative law judge to direct a licensee found to have committed a violation or violations of the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of the case, with failure of the licensee to comply subjecting the license to not being renewed or reinstated. If a case settles, recovery of investigation and enforcement costs may be included in a stipulated settlement.

## FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

8. An unrelated Medical Board investigation led the Board to begin to investigate Respondent's potential involvement in violations of the Medical Practice Act that included allegations of durable medical equipment fraud, shoplifting, and attempts to illegally enter the United States from Canada. On August 19, 2020, Respondent was interviewed by Medical Board investigators in connection with their ongoing investigation. During this interview, Respondent revealed that her license to practice medicine in Canada was not active, because that license was "put on hold" due to Respondent's illness. Respondent described her illness and medications that she was taking to treat it. Respondent was unable to complete the interview on August 19, 2020, because, she stated, she was not feeling well, and felt that she could not answer the investigators' questions accurately. The interview was completed at a later date using written questions that were sent to Respondent and her attorney.

9. On May 10, 2021, the Board's investigators requested that Respondent consent to provide them with medical records regarding her illness and voluntarily submit to a mental examination pursuant to section 820 of the Code. Respondent did not consent to provide the Board with her medical records and her attorney objected to the requested examination(s) and release of her medical records.

10. The Board then proceeded to compel a mental examination, and on October 27, 2021 Respondent was served an Order Compelling Mental Examination, issued by the Board. During her examination, Respondent identified medical and/or mental health facilities in Canada that provided her with treatment. After some delay, Respondent executed the necessary releases and

1 these facility records were eventually obtained by the Board investigators and provided to the  
2 examiner.

3 11. On or about October 19, 2022 the Board received a report from the Board's evaluator,  
4 in which he concluded that, inter alia,

5 1. Respondent suffers from a mental illness or condition that impacts her ability to  
6 safely engage in the practice of medicine;

7 2. Respondent is unable to practice medicine safely without restrictions or  
8 conditions;

9 3. Respondent is unable to safely practice medicine as a result of a mental illness  
10 or condition; and

11 4. Respondent's continued practice of medicine poses a present danger or threat to  
12 the public welfare or safety.

13 **CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

14 (Illness Affecting Competency/Incompetence)

15 12. Respondent Yasmin Pirani, M.D. is subject to disciplinary action under sections 820,  
16 822 and 2234, subdivision (d) of the Code in that Respondent's ability to practice medicine safely  
17 is impaired, because she suffers from a mental and/or physical illness affecting competency.

18 The circumstances are as follows:

19 13. The allegations of Paragraphs 7 through 11 are incorporated herein by reference.

20 **PRAYER**

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

23 1. Revoking or suspending Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate Number A 102053,  
24 issued to Yasmin Pirani, M.D.;

25 2. Revoking, suspending or denying approval of her authority to supervise physician  
26 assistants and advanced practice nurses;

27 3. Ordering her to pay the Board the costs of the investigation and enforcement of this  
28 case, and if placed on probation, the costs of probation monitoring;

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4. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

DATED: JAN 24 2023



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*Complainant*

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