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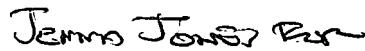
RE: Physician's and Surgeon's Certificate No. A 68228
Case No. 800-2022-094148

Public Letter of Reprimand

An investigation conducted by the Board revealed that you committed repeated negligent acts and failed to maintain adequate and accurate records in the care and treatment of one patient, upon whom you performed a colostomy reversal on or about November 6, 2017. You failed to conduct and/or document a thorough preoperative evaluation of the patient; failed to identify and/or document identification of the rectal stump and surrounding tissue, as well as the details relating to creating and testing the anastomosis; and you failed to detect a bladder injury.

These actions constitute a violation of Business and Professions Code 2234 (c) and 2266.

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, and you are required to do the following: a Medical Record Keeping Course and an Ethics Course.


Reji Varghese
Executive Director