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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

**KANSAS STATE BOARD OF
HEALING ARTS**

In the Matter of)
)
FELIPE A. CECENA, M.D.)
Applicant for Licensure)

Docket No. 03-HA-04

FINAL ORDER FOLLOWING CONFERENCE HEARING

NOW on this 17th day of August, 2002, comes on for conference hearing before the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts ("Board") the Application for Licensure to practice medicine and surgery in the state of Kansas filed by Felipe A. Cecena, M.D. ("Applicant").

Charlene K. Abbott, Licensing Administrator, presented information before the Board. Applicant appeared in person *pro se*.

After reviewing the file, hearing the statements and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board finds as follows:

1. On June 5, 2002, Applicant filed an Application for Licensure to receive a license to practice medicine and surgery in the state of Kansas.
2. As part of the Application, Applicant provided evidence that he had graduated from the Facultad de Medicina, Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico on December 31, 1962.
3. Facultad de Medicina Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico is not an accredited medical school.
4. K.S.A. 65-2873(c)(2) provides that an applicant from school that is not accredited may be granted a licensed if the applicant has completed three years of postgraduate training as approved by the Board.

5. The Board has adopted K.A.R. 100-6-2(b) that requires applicants who graduated from an unaccredited school of medicine provide proof completion of postgraduate training approved by the council of education of the American medical association or its equivalent.

6. Only one year of Applicant's postgraduate training meets the requirement of K.A.R. 100-6-2-(b)

7. Applicant has obtained licenses to practice medicine and surgery in the states of Colorado and Arizona; has been practicing medicine and surgery since since 1969; and has been a director of a cardiovascular interventional fellowship program.

8. Applicant's experience is equivalent to an approved year of postgraduate training.

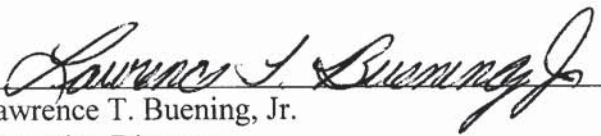
9. Applicant meets the requirements for licensure under K.S.A. 65-2873 and K.A.R. 100-6-2(b) and is eligible for a license.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the above findings are made the order of the Board and that Applicant is eligible for a license to practice medicine and surgery under the provisions of K.S.A. 65-2873.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the temporary permit granted to Applicant on July 12, 2002, is extended to October 12, 2002, at which time the Board will grant a permanent license to Applicant.

DATED this 23rd day of August, 2002.

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS



Lawrence T. Buening, Jr.
Executive Director

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lawrence T. Buening, Jr., Executive Director, Kansas State Board of Healing Arts, do hereby certify that on the 23^d day of August 2002, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing **Final Order Following Conference Hearing** was deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, first class to the following:

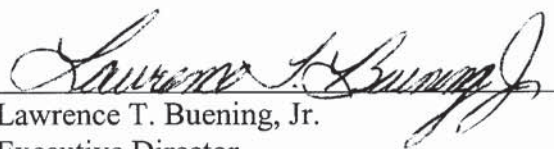
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