NOW, on this 19th day of October, 1991, comes on for consideration before the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts (hereafter "Board"), the Application for License by Endorsement to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas filed by Ibrahim Adham Gobar, M.D. (hereafter "Applicant").

Applicant appeared pro se. Steve A. Schwarm, Litigation Counsel for the Board, also appeared.

After reviewing the file, hearing statements and arguments and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board makes the following findings of fact and orders:


2. As part of said Application, Applicant did not have completed § X entitled "Certificate of Professional College".

3. K.A.R. 100-8-2 requires all Applications for Endorsement to be upon forms furnished by the Board which forms shall contain the following in plain, legible writing:

   "(e) Certified statement in detail of professional education showing healing arts schools or colleges attended, periods of study, degrees obtained and date of gradation."
4. Applicant graduated from Kabul University, Faculty of Medicine in Afghanistan in 1967; during December of 1979, a life-threatening situation occurred when the U.S.S.R. invaded Afghanistan and Applicant escaped from Afghanistan; due to the present political structure in Afghanistan, Applicant is unable to obtain a certificate from Kabul University in compliance with § X of the Application for Endorsement.

5. Applicant has provided the following information in an attempt to totally comply with § X of the Application for Endorsement:

   A. An original of an English Version Diploma issued by Kabul University Faculty of Medicine.

   B. A notarized transcript of grades from Kabul University showing subjects studied and the years in which such subjects were taken.

   C. A letter from Abdoul Wassay Latifi, M.D., former Dean and Professor of Kabul Medical Faculty, indicating he knew Applicant personally during his enrollment at Kabul University and was personally aware that Applicant successfully completed all medical courses and received a medical degree from Kabul University.

6. Although Applicant has been unable to complete § X of the Application for Endorsement, the information provided by Applicant in support of the Application is in substantial conformity with the requirements of K.A.R. 100-8-2(e).
IT IS THEREFORE BY THE BOARD ORDERED that Applicant has provided the information in substantial conformity with K.A.R. 100-8-2(e) and that formal completion of § X of the Application for Endorsement should be waived.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Application for License by Endorsement to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas filed by Applicant should be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this is a Final Order and is effective upon service upon the parties. Any party may, within 15 days after service, file a Petition for Reconsideration. The filing of a Petition for Reconsideration is not a prerequisite for seeking administrative or judicial review.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 15th day of July, 1991.

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS
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By:
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President

Prepared by:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lawrence T. Buening, Jr., hereby certify that on the __ day of ________, 19__, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing ORDER FOLLOWING CONFERENCE HEARING was deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

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