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KS State Board of Healing Arts

BEFORE THE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

In the Matter of	)	
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Thomas A. Scott, M.D.	)	
Kansas License No. 04-30195	)	**KSBHA Docket No. 21-HA00019**
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Journal Entry Lifting Suspension

The Kansas State Board of Healing Arts ("Board"), by its Acting Executive Director, Tucker L. Poling, a duly authorized representative of the Board, in accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act, K.S.A. 77-501 *et seq.,* as amended, and upon due consideration of the agency record, the applicable statutes and regulations, and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, makes the following determinations:

1. On or about August 26, 2020, a Final Order was issued by the Board against the license of Thomas A. Scott, M.D., ("Licensee"), imposing requirements therein, and suspending his license until such time as he came into compliance with the Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund ("KHCSF").
2. On or about September 18, 2020, Licensee submitted an Application for Change of Designation/Type requesting that his license be changed to Inactive.
3. On or about September 18, 2020, Licensee's license status was changed to Inactive, making him now compliant with the KHCSF.
4. On or about September 18, 2020, Litigation Counsel filed a Motion to Modify Final Order and/or Lift Suspension.

Therefore, the Motion to Modify Final Order and/or Lift Suspension is **GRANTED**, and the suspension of Licensee's medical license in Kansas is **LIFTED**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 23rd day of September 2020.

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS

Tucker L. Poling, Acting Executive Director
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing **Journal Entry Lifting Suspension** was served this 23rd day of September 2020 by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, and via email, addressed to:

Thomas A. Scott, M.D.
CONFIDENTIAL

Licensee

And a copy hand delivered to:

J. Todd Hiatt
Litigation Counsel
Matthew P. Gaus
Associate Litigation Counsel
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Compliance Coordinator
Kansas Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A
Topeka, Kansas 66612

Licensing Administrator
Kansas Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A
Topeka, Kansas 66612

And the original was filed with:

Tucker L. Poling, Acting Executive Director
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level - Suite A
Topeka, Kansas 66612

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Jennifer Cook, Paralegal

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

In the Matter of **Thomas A. Scott, M.D.** **Kansas License No. 04-30195**	**Docket No. 21-HA** 00019

SUMMARY ORDER

NOW ON THIS 7th day of August 2020, this matter comes before Tucker L. Poling, Acting Executive Director, Kansas State Board of Healing Arts ("Board"), in summary proceedings pursuant to K.S.A. 77-537.

Pursuant to K.S.A 77-537 and K.S.A. 77-542, this Summary Order shall become effective as a Final Order, without further notice, if no written request for a hearing is made within 15 days of service. Upon review of the agency record and being duly advised in the premises, the following findings of fact, conclusions of law, and order are made for and on behalf of the Board:

Findings of Fact

1. Thomas A. Scott, M.D. ("Licensee") was issued License No. 04-30195 to practice medicine and surgery on June 7, 2003. On or about June 27, 2019, Licensee renewed his license status as Active.

2. Licensee's last known mailing address to the Board is: CONFIDENTIAL

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ENTIAL

3. During all times relevant to the facts set forth in this Summary Order, Licensee held an Active license to practice medicine and surgery in Kansas.

4. The factual basis for this Order is as follows:

a. On or about June 27, 2019, Licensee renewed his license online as Active. Licensee's renewal application stated that "As a condition of providing professional services in Kansas, whether or not physically located in Kansas, each person with an active license must pay the annual surcharge to the Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund ("KHCSF".) (emphasis in original). Licensee was asked "Have you paid the annual surcharge to the KHCSF?" to which he answered "Yes." (Exhibit 1.)

b. After renewing his license as Active, a search of the KHCSF showed Licensee was not in compliance.

c. On September 16, 2019, and October 17, 2019, the Board requested Licensee to provide proof of compliance with the Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund ("KHCSF"), as required by K.S.A. 40-3404. The Board included instructions on how to contact KHCSF and warned that a failure to provide proof of compliance may result in a fine or suspension of Licensee's license to practice medicine in Kansas. (Exhibit 2 and 3.)

d. On or about November 8, 2019, after receiving no response to the September 16, 2019, and October 18, 2019 letters, this matter was referred to the Litigation Department.

e. A subsequent search on July 30, 2020, showed that Licensee was still not fund compliant. (Exhibit 4.)

f. Licensee has been out of compliance with the KHCSF since on or about July 1, 2019, while holding an Active license to practice medicine and surgery in Kansas.

g. To date, Licensee remains non-compliant with the fund.

Applicable Law

5. Under the Kansas Healing Arts Act, K.S.A. 65-2809(c),

The board, prior to renewal of a license, shall require an active licensee to submit to the board evidence satisfactory to the board that licensee is maintaining a policy of professional liability insurance as required by K.S.A. 40-3402, and amendments there to, and has paid the premium surcharges as required by K.S.A. 40-3404, and amendments thereto.

6. K.S.A. 40-3402 states:

(a) A policy of professional liability insurance approved by the commissioner and issued by an insurer duly authorized to transact business in this state in which the limit of the insurer's liability is not less than $200,000 per claim, subject to not less than a $600,000 annual aggregate for all claims made during the policy period, shall be maintained in effect by each resident health care provider as a condition of active licensure or other statutory authorization to render professional service as a health care provider in this state, unless such health care provider is a self-insurer. . .
(b) A nonresident health care provider shall not be licensed to actively render professional service as a health care provider in this state unless such health care provider maintains continuous coverage in effect as prescribed by subsection (a), except such coverage may be provided by a non-admitted insurer who has filed the form required by subsection (b)(1). This provision shall not apply to optometrists and pharmacists on or after July 1, 1991 nor to physical therapists on and after July 1, 1995.

(1) Every insurance company authorized to transact business in this state, that is authorized to issue professional liability insurance in any jurisdiction, shall file with the commissioner, as a condition of its continued transaction of business within this state, a form prescribed by the commissioner declaring that its professional liability insurance policies, wherever issued, shall be deemed to provide at least the insurance required by this subsection when the insured is rendering professional services as a nonresident health care provider in this state. Any nonadmitted insurer may file such a form.

(2) Every nonresident health care provider who is required to maintain basic coverage pursuant to this subsection shall pay the surcharge levied by the board of governors pursuant to subsection (a) of K.S.A. 40-3404 and amendments thereto directly to the board of governors and shall furnish to the board of governors the information required in subsection (a)(1). . .

7. K.S.A. 40-3404 states:

(a) Except for any health care provider whose participation in the fund has been terminated pursuant to subsection (i) of K.S.A. 40-3403, and amendments thereto, the board of governors shall levy an annual premium surcharge on each health care provider who has obtained basic coverage and upon each self-insurer for each year.

(b) In the case of a resident health care provider who is not a self-insurer, the premium surcharge shall be collected in addition to the annual premium for the basic coverage by the insurer and shall not be subject to the provisions of K.S.A. 40-252, 40-955 and 40-2801 et seq., and amendments thereto. The amount of the premium surcharge shall be shown separately on the policy or an endorsement thereto and shall be specifically identified as such. Such premium surcharge shall be due and payable by the insurer to the board of governors within 30 days after the annual premium for the basic coverage is received by the insurer. Within 15 days immediately following the effective date of this act, the board of governors shall send to each insurer information necessary for their compliance with this subsection. The certificate of authority of any insurer who fails to comply with the provisions of this subsection shall be suspended pursuant to K.S.A. 40-222, and amendments thereto, until such insurer shall pay the annual premium surcharge due and payable to the board of governors. In the case of a nonresident health care provider or a self-insurer, the premium surcharge shall be paid upon submitting documentation of compliance with K.S.A. 40-3402, and amendments thereto.

8. Under K.S.A. 65-2836, a license may be revoked, suspended or limited, or the licensee may be publicly censured or placed under probationary conditions, upon a finding of the existence of any of the following grounds:

(z) The licensee has failed to pay the premium surcharges as required by K.S.A. 40-3404.

Conclusions of Law

9. The Board has jurisdiction over Licensee as well as the subject matter of this proceeding, and such proceeding is held in the public interest.

10. The Board finds that Licensee violated K.S.A. 65-2836(z), in that Licensee has failed to pay the premium surcharges as required by K.S.A. 40-3404.

11. Based on the facts and circumstances set forth herein, the use of summary proceedings in this matter is appropriate, in accordance with the provisions set forth in K.S.A. 77-537(a), in that the use of summary proceedings does not violate any provision of law, and the protection of the public interest does not require the Board to give notice and opportunity to participate to persons other than Licensee.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Licensee's license is hereby **SUSPENDED** until such time as he comes into compliance with the KHCSF, that a **PUBLIC CENSURE** shall be issued against Licensee, and that Licensee is assessed a **CIVIL FINE** in the amount of one thousand dollars (**$1,000.00**) for violations of the Kansas Healing Arts Act, due within thirty (30) days after this Order becomes a Final Order. Such fine shall be paid to the "Kansas State Board of Healing Arts," in full. All monetary payments, which shall be in the form of check or money order, relating to this Summary Order shall be mailed to the Board certified and addressed to:

Compliance Coordinator
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level – Suite A
Topeka, Kansas 66612
KSBHA_compliancecoordinator@ks.gov

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that upon becoming effective as a Final Order, this document shall be deemed a public record and be reported to any reporting entities authorized to receive such disclosure.

Dated this 7th **day of** August **2020.**

KANSAS STATE BOARD
OF HEALING ARTS

Tucker L. Poling
Acting Executive Director

FINAL ORDER NOTICE OF RIGHTS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that this is a Final Order. A Final Order is effective upon service. A party to an agency proceeding may seek judicial review of a Final Order by filing a petition in the District Court as authorized by K.S.A. 77-601, *et seq*. Reconsideration of a Final Order is not a prerequisite to judicial review. A petition for judicial review is not timely unless filed within 30 days following service of the Final Order. A copy of any petition for judicial review must be served upon Tucker L. Poling, Acting Executive Director, Kansas Board of Healing Arts, 800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A, Topeka, KS 66612.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing **FINAL ORDER** was served this 26th day of August 2020 by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class, postage prepaid, and addressed to:

CONFIDENTIAL

thomas.scott@ascension.org
Licensee

And a copy was hand-delivered to:

Tammie L. Mundil
Deputy Litigation Counsel
Meg D. Markey
Associate Litigation Counsel
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A
Topeka, Kansas 66612

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Topeka, Kansas 66612

And the original was filed with the office of the Executive Director.

Staff signature

KSBOHA Online Renewal Application

Date Created:	Thursday, June 27, 2019
Name:	Thomas Anthony Scott

License Information

License Number:	04-30195
License Type:	Medical Doctor (MD)
Status Before Renewal:	Active
Status After Renewal:	Active
Status Change Date:	
Birth Date:	CONFIDE
Gender:	M
Citizenship Status:	U.S. Citizen
Ethnicity:	Black

Address Information:

Use Primary Business Address for mailing: Y

Residence Address:

Line 1:	CONFIDENTIAL
Line 2:	
City, State, Zip	
Country:*	
Phone:	
Email:*	thomas.scott@ascension.org

Primary Business Address:

Line 1:	3311 E. Murdock
Line 2:	
City, State, Zip	Wichita, KS 67208
Country:*	United States
Phone:	3162748804
Email:*	thomas.scott@ascension.org

Insurance Information:

ProAssurance Add

Policy Number:	CONFIDE Malpractice Insurance
Insurance Issue Date:	7/1/2018
Insurance Exp Date:	7/1/2020

Exempt - Professional Activities

Professional activity	Description

EXHIBIT

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Applicant Questions

Retirement

Planning to retire within 5 years?
N

Dispensing

Dispense Pharmaceuticals
N

Malpractice Screening Panel

I am willing to serve on a Screening Panel
N

No Practice Address

I certify that I do NOT practice in Kansas:
N

Expert Witness

I am willing to serve as an expert for the Board
N

Supervise Non-Licensed Rad Techs

I supervise non-licensed rad techs	I certify that they are trained on the equipment	I certify that they have/will obtain continuing ed
N	N	N

Board Certifications

Certifying Board	Other Board
ABIM-American Board of Internal Medicine	
ABAI-American Board of Allergy and Immunology	

Kansas Hospital Privileges

Hospital\Surgery Center	Other Hospital
Via Christi Health, Inc. (H081003)	

DEA Number

DEA Number
BS0132910

Identify all other authorities that have ever licensed you to practice.

Other State Licenses Ever Held

Other State	Date Issued
KY	
AL	
OH	

National Provider Identifier

NPI Number	I do not currently have a NPI #:
1043247430	

Language

English	Spanish	ASL (American Sign Language)	Other Languages
Y	N	N	

Disaster Relief

Please do not include me in the registry	Within My County	Within 75 Miles	Anywhere in Kansas	Outside the State of Kansas
N	Y	N	N	N

CE Year

Education Year
2021

Question Responses

Continuing Education Questions Does your **"Education Year"** listed above indicate that you do not have continuing education hours due at this time?	Y
Do you have at least **50 total hours** of continuing education with a minimum of 20 Category I & a maximum of 30 Category II from 01-01-2018 through 06-30-2019?	Y
Do you have at least **100 total hours** of continuing education with a minimum of 40 Category I & a maximum of 60 Category II from 01-01-2017 through 06-30-2019?	Y
Do you have at least **150 total hours** of continuing education with a minimum of 60 Category I & a maximum of 90 Category II from 01-01-2016 through 06-30-2019?	Y
Continuing Education Audit Question The Board will verify compliance with continuing education requirements in an undetermined percentage of renewal applications. This verification will involve an audit of records maintained by the licensee. You must maintain your continuing education records for a three year period in a manner that allows them to be readily produced. Do you understand the audit process?	Y
Gratuitous Professional Services Have you entered into an agreement with the Kansas Secretary of Health and Environment to gratuitously provide professional services to medically indigent persons or to conduct a children's immunization program administered by the Kansas Secretary of Health and Environment?	N
Have you gratuitously provided any professional services at a local health department or indigent healthcare clinic to a medically indigent person or a person receiving medical assistance from the programs operated by the department of health and environment?	N
If you answered in the affirmative to either of the preceding questions, how many hours of gratuitous services to medically indigent persons have you provided within the preceding licensure period? If you answered "No" above, enter "NA".	N/A
How many hours of continuing education credit (by the performance of two hours of gratuitous professional services to medically indigent persons per hour claimed), up to a maximum of twenty (20) hours of continuing education credit, are you claiming for this licensure period? If you answered "No" above, enter "NA".	N/A
KHCSF Compliance As a condition of providing professional services in Kansas, whether or not physically located in Kansas, each person with an active license must pay the annual surcharge to the Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund (KHCSF). Have you paid the annual surcharge to the KHCSF?	Y
KTRACS Are you enrolled in the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (K-TRACS)? (see www.kansas.gov/pharmacy)	Y
I know what K-TRACS is.	Y
I am unsure of how to enroll in K-TRACS.	N
K-TRACS is clinically useful for me.	Y
K-TRACS is cumbersome to use.	N
I prescribe/dispense controlled substances.	N
Office Based Surgery In Kansas, have you since your last renewal, performed procedures in your office that require sedation, including IV sedation of any kind: inhaled agents; parenteral, regional, spinal, epidural or general anesthesia. ("Office" as used here does not include a hospital based practice. Also excluded are minor procedures that can be performed safely and comfortably with any one or combination of the following: a low dose oral sedative that does not affect the patient's level of consciousness; local; topical; or no anesthesia.)	N
Office Based Surgery Practice Location: **If you answered "Yes"** to the above question, enter the location here or **if you answered "No"** above enter "NA".	N/A
Accrediting Entity Name: **If you answered "Yes"** to the above question, enter the entity name here. If your office is not accredited or **if you answered "No"** above, enter "NA". Appropriate names are as follows: • Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care, Inc. • American Association for Accreditation of Ambulatory Surgery Facilities, Inc. • Institute for Medical Quality • Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations • NA	N/A
Certification\Accreditation Number: **If you answered "Yes"** to the above question, enter the Certification\Accreditation number here. If your office is not accredited or **if you**	N/A

A. In the past 12 months have you been and/or continued to be a defendant or has any judgment, award or settlement been paid on your behalf as a result of a professional liability claim/lawsuit?	N
B. In the past 12 months have you been arrested, charged with or convicted of any felony, misdemeanor or the military equivalent? This includes a diversion or plea to a felony, misdemeanor or the military equivalent.	N
C. In the past 12 months has any disciplinary action been initiated or taken against you by any state or government agency, or have you been denied a license, had any adverse action taken on your license, surrendered or consented to limitation of your license to practice in any state or country?	N
D. In the past 12 months have any privileges related to your profession as a health care provider been suspended, restricted, limited or voluntarily surrendered or has any peer review or professional association initiated or taken any action against you?	CONFIDENTIAL
E. In the past 12 months have you suffered from any impairment which might affect your ability to safely practice, been referred to and/or participated in a program for impaired providers?	
F. In the past 12 months have you been the subject of <u>any</u> investigation, including in Kansas, regarding allegations, complaints, or charges by any state licensing agency or other government agency?	N
Voluntary Supplemental Public Statement Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-28, 131, on and after July 1, 2010, the board shall make available on a searchable website which shall be accessible by the public, the following information regarding licensees: (1) The licensee's full name, business address, telephone number, license number, type, status and expiration date; (2) the licensee's practice specialty, if any, and board certifications, if any; (3) any public disciplinary action taken against the licensee by the board or by the licensing agency of any state or other country in which the licensee is currently licensed or has been licensed in the past; (4) any involuntary limitation, denial, revocation or suspension of the licensee's staff membership or clinical privileges at any hospital or other health care facility, and the name of the hospital or facility, the date the action was taken, a description of the action, including any terms and conditions of the action and whether the licensee has fulfilled the conditions of the action; (5) any involuntary surrender of the licensee's drug enforcement administration registration; and; (6) any final criminal conviction or plea arrangement resulting from the commission or alleged commission of a felony in any state or country. At the time of licensure or renewal, a licensee may add a statement to such licensee's profile as it appears on the website created herein. Such statement may provide further explanation of any disciplinary information contained in your profile. **This statement must be received by the Board within 30 days after your license cancellation date.** **Do you wish to add a statement to further explain any disciplinary information in your public profile?**	N
Renewer Please Enter the **Full Name** of person completing this renewal.	Thomas Anthony Scott

Attestation

Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-28,131, information provided herein may be deemed public and posted on our Website. Failure to furnish the Board any information legally requested by the Board may be deemed unprofessional conduct and may be the basis for disciplinary action.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 65-28,126, Licensees are required to notify the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts in writing within 30 days of any changes in the licensee's mailing and practice adresses. I certify, under penalty of perjury, that by clicking the "Pay Fees" button I am the person named in this request or have been authorized by that person, and the information I have provided is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that Kansas Statutes allow the State Board of Healing Arts to revoke, suspend or limit a license, or censure the licensee, or impose a fine in an amount up to $5,000 for any act of fraud or misrepresentation in applying for renewal of a license.

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level-Suite A
Topeka, KS 66612

phone: 785-296-7413
fax: 785-368-7102
Email: KSBHA_healingarts@ks.gov
www.ksbha.org

Kathleen Selzler Lippert, Executive Director

Laura Kelly, Governor

September 16, 2019

357275
Thomas Anthony Scott, MD
CONFIDENTIAL

RE: Professional Liability Insurance & Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund Audit; 04-30195

Dear Dr. Scott:

Under the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts ("Board") audit process, you have been selected to provide proof of your professional liability insurance and Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund ("KHCSF") compliance for your most recent renewal period.

In Kansas, if you have an Active license, you are required to maintain professional liability insurance of not less than $200,000 per claim, and not less than $600,000 annual aggregate for all claims made during the policy period. *See* K.S.A. 40-3402(a)-(b); K.S.A. 65-2809(c). Additionally, you are required to maintain compliance with the KHCSF by paying the annual surcharge. *See* K.S.A. 40-3402; K.S.A. 40-3404; and K.S.A. 65-2809(c).

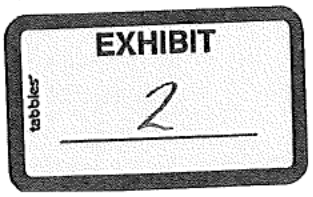
According to the Board's records, you most recently renewed your license for the period of August 1, 2019, through July 31, 2010. On that renewal, you agreed to maintain and produce proof of professional liability insurance and KHCSF compliance upon request. *See generally* K.S.A. 65-2809(c).

Please provide proof of your: (1) professional liability insurance; and (2) KHCSF compliance for the period for which you renewed your license, on or before **October 16, 2019**. Failure to produce this requested information may result in disciplinary action against your license, including but not limited to, a fine, a public censure, and/or **SUSPENSION** of your license. Submit all proof via email to KSBHA_Licensing@ks.gov.

To effectuate submission of evidence of KHCSF compliance to the Board, you must contact the KHCSF and obtain a certification that you have paid the annual premium charges. You must then submit a copy of the certification to the Board. Please keep in mind, if you are a non-resident, you must also submit a non-resident form to the KHCSF.

If you have questions about submitting forms to or compliance with the KHCSF, you can contact the KHSCF by mail, telephone, or email at the following:

BOARD MEMBERS: STEVEN J. GOULD, PRESIDENT, CHENEY • JOHN F. SETTICH, PH.D., PUBLIC MEMBER, VICE PRESIDENT, ATCHISON • MARK BALDERSTON, DC, SHAWNEE
R. JERRY DEGRADO, DC, WICHITA • ROBIN D. DURRETT, DO, GREAT BEND • THOMAS ESTEP, MD, WICHITA • ANNE HODGDON, PUBLIC MEMBER, LENEXA
JOEL R. HUTCHINS, MD, HOLTON • STEVE KELLY, PUBLIC MEMBER, NEWTON • DAVID LAHA, DPM, OVERLAND PARK • DOUGLAS J. MILFELD, MD, WICHITA
GAROLD O. MINNS, MD, BEL AIRE • KIMBERLY J. TEMPLETON, MD, LEAWOOD • RONALD M. VARNER, DO, EL DORADO



Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund
300 SW 8th Ave, 2nd FL
Topeka, KS 66603
(785) 291-3777
www.hcsf.org

All the KHCSF's forms are available at: https://hcsf.kansas.gov/forms/

If you currently hold an Active license in Kansas, but do not actively practice in Kansas, you may want to consider changing your license status to either Exempt or Inactive. To change your license status, please submit an Application for Change of Designation/Type.

All correspondence regarding your professional liability insurance and KHCSF compliance audit must be directed to: KSBHA_Licensing@ks.gov, or via mail:

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
Attn: MD Audit
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level – Suite A
Topeka, KS 66612

Sincerely,

Rebekah Moon

Licensing Administrator
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
800 SW Jackson, Lower Level – Suite A
Topeka, Kansas 66612

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Laura Kelly, Governor

October 18, 2019

Final Notice

357275
Thomas Anthony Scott, MD
CONFIDENTIAL

RE: Professional Liability Insurance & Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund Audit; Final Notice; 04-30195

Dear Dr. Thomas Anthony Scott:

This letter serves as your **final notice** for your audit. You were previously sent a letter on September 16, 2019.

The Kansas State Board of Healing Arts ("Board") is contacting you as part of the audit process. You have been selected to provide proof of your professional liability insurance and Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund ("HCSF") compliance for your most recent renewal period (August 1, 2019 - July 31, 2020).

In Kansas, if you have an Active license, you are required to maintain professional liability insurance of not less than $200,000 per claim, and not less than $600,000 annual aggregate for all claims made during the policy period and required to maintain compliance with the HCSF (the HCSF provides supplemental professional liability coverage for health care providers affected by the Fund law). *See* K.S.A. 40-3402(a)-(b); K.S.A. 40-3404; K.S.A. 65-2809(c).

Please provide proof of your: (1) professional liability insurance; and (2) HCSF compliance for the period for which you renewed your license (August 1, 2019 - July 31, 2020), on or before **November 1, 2019**. Failure to produce this requested information may result in disciplinary action against your license, including but not limited to, a fine, a public censure, and/or **SUSPENSION** of your license. Submit all proof via email to KSBHA_Licensing@ks.gov.

If you are unable to provide a Certificate of Compliance from HCSF, please contact HCSF through the contact information described below. Please remember, once you have obtained your Certificate of Compliance from HCSF, you must then submit a copy of the certification to the Board. Additionally, if you have questions regarding past expired coverage periods, please contact HCSF.

Kansas Health Care Stabilization Fund
300 SW 8th Ave, 2nd Floor
Topeka, KS 66603
Phone: (785) 291-3777
Fax: (785) 291-3550
Email: hcsf@ks.gov
Error! Hyperlink reference not valid.https://hcsf.kansas.gov

If you currently hold an Active license in Kansas, but do not actively practice in Kansas, you may want to consider changing your license status to either Exempt or Inactive. To change your license status, please submit an Application for Change of Designation/Type to the Board.

Kansas State Board of Healing Arts
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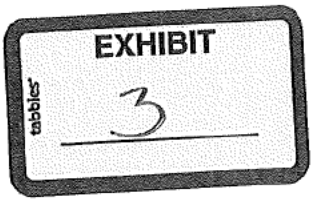

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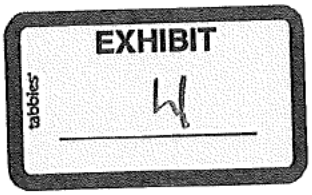
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