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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 )  
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**ROBERT CHARLES TURNER, M.D.** )  
Applicant for Licensure by Endorsement )

**SUMMARY ORDER**

NOW, on this 16th day of April, 1994, comes on for Summary Hearing before the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts ("Board") sitting as a whole as presiding officer in a summary proceeding pursuant to the provisions of K.S.A. 77-511(a)(2)(B) and conducted in accordance with the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act and specifically K.S.A. 77-537 and 77-541 to consider the Application for Endorsement filed by Robert Charles Turner, M.D. ("Applicant").

Charlene K. Abbott, Licensing Administrator, appears on behalf of the Board. Applicant appears in person pro se.

After reviewing the Application for Endorsement and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board makes the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and order:

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1. That on February 17, 1994, Applicant filed an Application for Endorsement to receive a license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas.

2. On the application filed by Applicant, it was indicated that Applicant had received the degree of M.D. from UTESA, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic on the 5th day of June, 1987.

3. According to the World Directory of Medical Schools, Sixth Edition published by the World Health Organization, the year in which medical education began at UTESA was 1982 and during the 1983-1984 academic year the Institution awarded no medical degrees.

4. Applicant does not qualify for a license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas pursuant to K.S.A. 65-2873 since he is not a graduate of a school which has been in operation for not less than 15 years as required by subsection (c)(2) and UTESA is not an accredited school of medicine which has been approved by the Board as required by K.S.A. 65-2874.

5. As part of the application, Applicant has provided proof that he received a license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Wisconsin on November 1, 1990 and in the State of Florida on November 23, 1991.

6. That pursuant to K.S.A. 65-2833, the Board may issue a license to an individual by endorsement of the license held in another state.

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7. That Applicant is entitled to endorsement based upon his licenses to practice in Wisconsin and Florida.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that Applicant is entitled to receive a license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas based upon his licenses to practice in the State of Wisconsin and Florida.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that a license be issued to Applicant to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas in the customary and due course of business by Board staff.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that this is a Summary Order and either party is entitled to a review of the Order if written request is received in the Board office within fifteen (15) days of service of the Order upon the parties.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**DATED** this 2<sup>d</sup> day of May, 1994.

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS

  
LAWRENCE T. BUENING, JR., #9125  
Executive Director

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Lawrence T. Buening, Jr., Executive Director, Kansas State Board of Healing Arts, do hereby certify that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 1994 a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing **SUMMARY ORDER** was deposited in the United States mail, first class postage prepaid to the following:

Robert Charles Turner, M.D.  
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and a copy hand-delivered to:

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