In the Matter of
Robert L. Walton, M.D. License Number 15530

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## FINAL ORDER ON RECONSIDERATION

NOW, on this 10th day of December, 1993, this matter comes on for further consideration before the Kansas state Board of Healing Arts (hereinafter "Board") based upon the Petition for Reconsideration filed by Robert L. Walton, Jr., M.D. (hereinafter "Licensee") filed on or about November 23, 1993. The Board appears by and through Charlene K. Abbott, Licensing Administrator. Licensee does not appear. There are no other appearances.

After reviewing the file and hearing the statements of Ms. Abbott; the Board makes the following findings and order:

1. Licensee was originally granted license number 415530 to practice medicine and surgery in the state of Kansas on December 7, 1973. On August 11, 1993, Licensee was mailed a Proposed Default Order of Cancellation of License for failure to have submitted the necessary information and fees to the Board in order to have his license renewed for the period of July 1, 1993 through June $30,1994$.

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2. On August 17, 1993, Licensee requested withdrawal of the Cancellation Notice within the seven (7) day time period for filing said request and on September 20, 1993, Licensee submitted an Application for Renewal together with a check made payable to the Board dated September 16,1993 in the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200).
3. That on November 8, 1993, a Final Order of Cancellation of License was filed in the Board office denying Licensee's request to vacate the Proposed Default order of Cancellation of License previously issued.
4. That following the issuance of the Final order of Cancellation of License, Licensee petitioned for reconsideration within the time limitations allowed by law.
5. The Board finds that all actions previously taken by the Board were lawful and in compliance with the Kansas Healing Arts Act and the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act. However, based upon Licensee's confidential from July 15, 1993 through August 15, 1993, the fact that Licensee has been licensed for twenty years and has promptly renewed said license during said period of time, and on principles of equity, the license of Licensee should be renewed for the period of July 1, 1993 through June 30, 1994.

IT IS THEREFORE BY THE BOARD ORDERED:
a. That the findings herein and above made be and the same are hereby made the order of the Board.
b. That Licensee's license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Kansas, being license number 4-15530, be renewed for the period of July 1, 1993 through June 30, 1994.
c. That the records in the Board office be modified to reflect that Licensee has held a license to practice medicine and surgery in this State from and since July 1, 1993.
d. This is a Final Order and is effective upon service on the parties.

IT IS SO ORDERED.
DATED this 20th day of December, 1993.

KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS
 Executive Director

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Lawrence T. Buening, Jr., do hereby certify that on the 20th day of December, 1993, a copy of the above and foregoing Final Order on Reconsideration was deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, first class to the following:

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and a copy was hand-delivered to:
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