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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** )  
**RIAZ AHMED, M.D.** )  
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**Kansas License No. 08-00338** )  
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**KSBHA Docket No. 15-HA00083**

**FINAL ORDER GRANTING INSTITUTIONAL LICENSE**

NOW on this 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 2015, comes before the Kansas State Board of Healing Arts (“Board”) the application of Riaz Ahmed, M.D. (“Applicant”) for an institutional license in the State of Kansas. Applicant appears in person and by and through counsel, Diane Bellquist of Joseph Hollander and Craft LLC. Reese Hays Litigation Counsel, appears on behalf of the Respondent Board.

Pursuant to the authority granted to the Board by the Kansas Healing Arts Act, K.S.A. 65-2801, *et seq.* and in accordance with the provisions of the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act K.S.A. 77-501 *et seq.*, the Board hereby enters this Final Order in the above-captioned matter. After reviewing the agency record, hearing the statements and arguments of the parties, and being otherwise duly advised in the premises, the Board makes the following findings, conclusions, and order:

1. On or about April 07, 2015, Applicant submitted an application to the Board for an institutional license in the State of Kansas.
2. K.S.A. 65-2895 sets forth the qualifications required for the Board to grant an institutional license.
3. K.S.A. 65-2895(a)(1) requires that an applicant be a graduate of a medical school that has been in operation for 15 years and has had graduates licensed in other states with similar

standards to Kansas. Applicant is a 1993 graduate of the Universidad Tecnologica de Santiago (“UTESA”) school of medicine. UTESA has been in operation over 15 years. In 1999, the Board disapproved UTESA as a medical school. However, prior to 1999, the Board had granted medical licenses to UTESA graduates. K.S.A. 65-2895 does not prohibit issuing an institutional license to an applicant who graduated from a disapproved medical school.

4. K.S.A. 65-2895(a)(2) requires that an applicant have completed at least two years of approved postgraduate training. Applicant has five years of approved postgraduate training in psychiatry.

5. K.S.A. 65-2895(a)(3) further requires that the applicant be employed to practice in specific practice settings, including employment by an institution within the Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (“KDADS”). Applicant has been hired to work at Osawatomie State Hospital, which is an institution within the KDADS.

6. The Board concludes that Applicant meets the qualifications for an institutional license and his application for an institutional license should be granted.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, BY THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALING ARTS** that Applicant is hereby GRANTED an institutional license in the State of Kansas.

**IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 30 DAY OF JUNE, 2015, IN THE CITY OF TOPEKA, COUNTY OF SHAWNEE, STATE OF KANSAS.**

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Kathleen Selzer Lippert, Executive Director  
Kansas State Board of Healing Arts

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing **FINAL ORDER GRANTING INSTITUTIONAL LICENSE** was served on this 30th day of June, 2015, by depositing the same in the United States Mail, first-class, postage prepaid, and addressed to:

Riaz Ahmed, MD  
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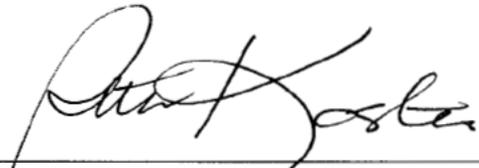
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for   
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