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In the Matter of  
  
JAMES MORRIS GORDON

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CONSENT  
ORDER

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The Louisiana State Board of Medical Examiners ("Board") met on March 11, 1987, to consider the application of James Morris Gordon ("Mr. Gordon") to qualify as a respiratory therapist under the provisions of the Respiratory Therapists Act, LSA-R.S. 37:3353, et seq.

The Board noted that Mr. Gordon was convicted of two counts of distribution of cocaine and one count of conspiracy to distribute cocaine on July 14, 1984 by the 1st Judicial District Court, Judge R. Ballard presiding, and was placed on probation on January 11, 1985. Mr. Gordon's probation is scheduled to expire on August 21, 1991 or until other action is taken by the Board of Parole, Department of Corrections, State of Louisiana. The terms, conditions and restrictions of Mr. Gordon's parole are attached hereto as Exhibit No. 1.

The Board elected to issue to Mr. Gordon a Graduate Temporary Permit allowing him to practice respiratory therapy as a respiratory

therapy technician until September 11, 1988, provided that he comply strictly with each of the terms, conditions and restrictions of his probation. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED, that Mr. Gordon comply fully with each and every term, condition and restriction of his probation, detailed fully in and attached hereto as Exhibit No. 1.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Consent Order shall remain in effect until such time as Mr. Gordon's probation has been fulfilled and completed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any violation of strict compliance with the terms, conditions, or restrictions of this Consent Order by Mr. Gordon shall be deemed adequate and sufficient cause, upon proof of such violation, for the revocation or suspension of Mr. Gordon's license to practice respiratory therapy in the state of Louisiana.

New Orleans, Louisiana, this 10 day of June, 1987.

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By: J. Morgan Lyons M.D.  
J. MORGAN LYONS, M.D.  
Chief Executive Officer and  
Secretary-Treasurer

I, James Morris Gordon, hereby acknowledge, approve and accept and consent to entry of the above and foregoing Consent Order, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1987.

James Morris Gordon  
JAMES MORRIS GORDON