

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL AND
OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS

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IN THE MATTER OF THE SD MEDICAL
LICENSE OF BRIAN TJARKS, MD,

license #2786

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ADDENDUM TO
STIPLULATION ON AGREED
DISPOSITION

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This ADDENDUM to the June 5, 2007 Stipulation on Agreed Disposition, is made and entered into by the South Dakota Board of Medical and Osteopathic Examiners, hereinafter referred to as Board, BY AND THROUGH ITS DULY APPOINTED Investigative Committee WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, Dr. Tjarks failed on at least three occasions to place the daily mandatory phone call to the Affinity On-line Services as required by South Dakota Health Professionals Assistance Program for the purpose of monitoring his abstinence from alcohol and/or controlled substances, and

WHEREAS, the Board views this failure as non-compliance with the Stipulation on Agreed Disposition.

THEREFORE, the medical license for Dr. Tjarks will be renewed while under investigation, and Dr. Tjarks agrees that he will execute his daily required calls to the Affinity On-line Services, and he further agrees that if he does not make

his daily call, he will notify the Board office on the day he missed the call, and

FURTHER, Dr. Tjarks agrees that failure to call the Affinity On-line Services on a daily basis and failure to report a missed call to the Board office will constitute grounds for the immediate suspension of his medical license.

Dated this 18 day of Feb, 2009.

THE SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL
AND OSTEOPATHIC EXAMINERS

By Margaret B. Hansen
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 IN THE MATTER OF SOUTH DAKOTA * ORDER TO APPROVE
 BOARD OF MEDICAL AND OSTEOPATHIC * ADDENDUM TO
 EXAMINERS MEDICAL LICENSE #2786 * STIPULATION ON AGREED
 ISSUED TO BRIAN TJARKS, MD * DISPOSITION
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This matter came before the South Dakota Board of Medical and Osteopathic
 Examiners, and the Board reviewed the Proposed Addendum to the Stipulation and
 Agreement.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that said the Addendum to the STIPULATION AND
 AGREEMENT dated February 18, 2009, is approved and the licensee shall comply with
 all necessary requirements contained therein.

Dated this 8th day of April, 2009

South Dakota Board of Medical and Osteopathic Examiners



Robert L. Ferrell, MD, President