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June 22, 2011

Jason Paul Acuff, DDS
2227 W. Dale Lane
Phoenix, AZ 85085

RE: Case No. 201000 267

Dear Dr. Acuff:

The Board has considered all information and investigative materials in regard to the above - referenced case. Following that review, the Board finds there is no violation of the Dental Practice Act, Arizona Revised Statutes §32-1201 through §32-1299. However, the Board expressed concern stating, "**doctor should ensure his consumption of alcohol doesn't affect his practice in the future**".

This letter of concern, pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1263.01(B) will become part of your file. A letter of concern is defined in A.R.S. §32-1201(13) as follows:

*" Letter of Concern" means an advisory letter to notify a licensee or a registered business entity that, while the evidence does not warrant disciplinary action, the Board believes that the licensee or registered business entity should modify or eliminate certain practices and that continuation of the activities that led to information being submitted to the Board may result in board action against the practitioner's license or the business entity's registration. **A letter of concern is not a disciplinary action.** A letter of concern is a public document and may be used in a future disciplinary action. (emphasis added)*

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact this office at 602.242.1492, ext. 2003.

Sincerely,

Elaine Hugunin

Elaine Hugunin
Executive Director

cc: Jeffrey J. Tonner

1 **BEFORE THE ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS**

AZ STATE BOARD OF
DENTAL EXAMINERS

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3 IN THE MATTER OF:

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Case No. 201200085

4 **Karl J. Baker, D.D.S.**

**CONSENT AGREEMENT
AND ORDER**

5 Holder of License No. D5299
6 For the Practice of Dentistry
In the State of Arizona.

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8 In order to resolve this case quickly and judiciously, the Arizona State Board of Dental
9 Examiners ("Board") and Karl J. Baker, D.D.S. enter into this Consent Agreement and Order
10 ("Consent Agreement") in lieu of further administrative and judicial proceedings. It is
11 consistent with the public interest and the requirements and statutory authority of the Board,
12 specifically, A.R.S. §§ 32-1263.01, -1263.02, and 41- 1092.07(F) (5). This Consent
13 Agreement shall resolve all issues the Board has reviewed and investigated regarding the
14 allegations in this matter.

15 Therefore, in lieu of further proceedings, Karl J. Baker, D.D.S. admits and understands
16 that:

17 1. Any record prepared in this matter, all investigative materials prepared and
18 received by the Board concerning the allegations, and all related materials and exhibits may
19 be retained in the Board's file pertaining to this matter.

20 2. Dr. Baker waives any right to a hearing or re-hearing of this matter and any
21 right to judicial review of the attached Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order.

22 3. Dr. Baker has the right to consult with an attorney prior to entering into this
23 Consent Agreement.

24 4. The findings contained in the Findings of Fact portion of the Consent
25 Agreement are conclusive evidence of the stated facts. The Board may consider this Consent
26 Agreement when and if future disciplinary proceedings arise only if the disciplinary
proceedings are within 5 years from the date of this order.

1 5. This Consent Agreement is subject to the Board's approval and will be
2 effective only when the Board accepts it and it is signed on behalf of the Board. In the event
3 that the Board, in its discretion, does not approve this Consent Agreement, it will be deemed
4 withdrawn, will be of no evidentiary value and shall not be relied upon or introduced in any
5 disciplinary proceeding by any party. Dr. Baker agrees that should the Board reject this
6 Consent Agreement and this case continues through the administrative process, he shall assert
7 no claim that the Board was prejudiced by its review and discussion of this document or any
8 related records.

9 6. Dr. Baker further understands that this Consent Agreement, if approved and
10 signed by the Board, constitutes a public document that may be disseminated as a formal
11 action by the Board.

12 7. Dr. Baker agrees to the Board approving the following Findings of Fact,
13 Conclusions of Law and Order.

14 DATED this 13 day of August 2012.

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Karl J. Baker D.D.S.

17 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 18 1. Dr. Baker holds license no. D5299 initially issued by the Board on July 18, 2000.
- 19 2. On February 14, 2012, the Board opened a complaint against Dr. Baker for alleged
20 abuse of his prescribing privileges. Dr. Baker provided controlled substance prescriptions to
21 LM and KB which were not documented in their patient records.
- 22 3. For patient LM, Dr. Baker wrote the following prescriptions which are not documented
23 in the patient records; March 1, 2012 - 40 Vicodin ES, December 31, 2012- 20 Vicodin ES,
24 November 14, 2011 - 20 Vicodin ES, October 5, 2011 - 20 Vicodin ES and October 4, 2011
25 - 12 Vicodin ES.
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1 4. For patient KB, the first treatment notes are dated March 10, 2008 however Dr. Baker
2 records prescriptions for controlled substances on; September 1, 2004 – 20 Vicodin and
3 September 15, 2004 – 20 Percocet.

4 5. Dr. Baker wrote a prescription for an anti-malaria drug for KB (his wife). When she
5 did not take the planned trip he kept the prescription for himself.

6 6. For patient PM, Dr. Baker provided a prescription for a controlled substance without
7 updating the health history for 25 months and without personally examining the patient.

8 7. None of the prescriptions reference in findings of fact nos. 3-6 had a documented dental
9 therapeutic reason in the progress notes or elsewhere.
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11 **CONCLUSION OF LAW**

12 Pursuant to ARS 32-1263.01(B), the Board finds that Dr. Baker's conduct, as described in the
13 above findings of fact can be remediated through non-disciplinary continuing education.
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15 **ORDER**

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17 1. **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that, within 6 months from the effective date of
18 this Consent Agreement and Order, Dr. Baker shall take and complete six (6) hours of non-
19 disciplinary continuing dental education in the area of appropriate prescribing of controlled
20 substances. Home study or online courses are not acceptable unless they are on the list of
21 Board Approved courses that do not require prior approval. Within five days of completion
22 of each continuing education course, Dr. Baker shall submit to the Board verification of
23 completion of the course(s). Verification shall be by canceled checks, attendance slips, if any,
24 and a copy of any notes taken during the course. The continuing education ordered in this
25 Consent Agreement is in addition to the continuing education hours required for license
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1 renewal. In the event Dr. Baker fails to timely complete the continuing education, the Board
2 may initiate disciplinary proceedings for non-compliance with a Board order.

3 DATED this 11th day of October, 2012.

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5 ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF
6 DENTAL EXAMINERS

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Elaine Hugunin
9 Executive Director

10 A copy of the following mailed by CERTIFIED MAIL this 11th day of October 2012
11 to:

12 Karl J. Baker, DDS
13 1920 S. Stapley Dr., Suite 105
14 Mesa, AZ 85204
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1 **BEFORE THE ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS**

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3 IN THE MATTER OF:

Case No. 201300162

4 **Brian B. Roberts, D.D.S.**

**NON-DISCIPLINARY
CONSENT AGREEMENT
AND ORDER**

5 Holder of License No. D7364
6 For the Practice of Dentistry
7 In the State of Arizona.

8 In order to resolve this case quickly and judiciously, the Arizona State Board of Dental
9 Examiners ("Board") and Brian B. Roberts, D.D.S. enter into this Non-Disciplinary Consent
10 Agreement and Order ("Consent Agreement") in lieu of further administrative and judicial
11 proceedings. It is consistent with the public interest and the requirements and statutory
12 authority of the Board, specifically, A.R.S. §§ 32-1263.01, -1263.02, and 41- 1092.07(F) (5).
13 This Consent Agreement shall resolve all issues the Board has reviewed and investigated
14 regarding the allegations in this matter.

15 Therefore, in lieu of further proceedings, Brian D. Roberts, D.D.S. admits and
16 understands that:

17 1. Any record prepared in this matter, all investigative materials prepared and
18 received by the Board concerning the allegations, and all related materials and exhibits may
19 be retained in the Board's file pertaining to this matter.

20 2. Dr. Roberts waives any right to a hearing or re-hearing of this matter and any
21 right to judicial review of the attached Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Order.

22 3. Dr. Roberts has the right to consult with an attorney prior to entering into this
23 Consent Agreement.

24 4. The findings contained in the Findings of Fact portion of the Consent
25 Agreement are conclusive evidence of the stated facts. The Board may consider this Consent
26 Agreement when and if future disciplinary proceedings arise only if the disciplinary
 proceedings are within 5 years from the date of this order.

1 4. Dr. Robert also wrote Phentermine prescriptions for patients AB and JB. None of
2 the prescriptions were recorded in the patients' treatment records.
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4 **CONCLUSION OF LAW**

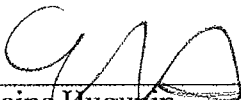
5 Pursuant to ARS 32-1263.01(B), the Board finds that Dr. Roberts' conduct, as described in
6 the above findings of fact can be remediated through non-disciplinary continuing education.
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8 **ORDER**

9 1. **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that, within 6 months from the effective date of
10 this Consent Agreement and Order, Dr. Roberts shall take and complete six (6) hours of non-
11 disciplinary continuing dental education in the area of appropriate prescribing of controlled
12 substances. Home study or online courses are not acceptable unless they are on the list of
13 Board Approved courses that do not require prior approval. Within five days of completion
14 of each continuing education course, Dr. Roberts shall submit to the Board verification of
15 completion of the course(s). Verification shall be by canceled checks, attendance slips, if any,
16 and/or a certificate of completion. The continuing education ordered in this Consent
17 Agreement is in addition to the continuing education hours required for license renewal. In
18 the event Dr. Roberts fails to timely complete the continuing education, the Board may initiate
19 disciplinary proceedings for non-compliance with a Board order.

20 DATED this 9th day of October, 2013.
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ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF
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Elaine Hugunin
Executive Director

A copy of the following mailed by CERTIFIED MAIL this 11th day of October 2013
to:

Brian B. Roberts, DDS
18494 E. Cattle Dr.
Queen Creek, AZ 85142



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April 19, 2012

Ralph L. Juriansz, DDS
C/O Jeffrey Tonner
5225 N Central Ave #109
Phoenix, AZ 85012

RE: Case No. 201200016

Dear Dr. Juriansz:

The Board has considered all information and investigative materials in regard to the above-referenced case. Following that review, the Board finds there is no violation of the Dental Practice Act, Arizona Revised Statutes §32-1201 through §32-1299. However, the Board expressed concern stating Dr. Juriansz should not prescribe controlled substances without a valid DEA registration.

This letter of concern, pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1263.01(B) will become part of your file. A letter of concern is defined in A.R.S. §32-1201(13) as follows:

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Sincerely,

Elaine Hugunin
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cc: Jeffrey J. Tonner



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April 19, 2012

Marshall B. Golan, DDS
369 Old Courthouse Rd
Manhasset Hills, NY 11040

RE: Case No. 201200043

Dear Dr. Golan:

The Board has considered all information and investigative materials in regard to the above-referenced case. Following that review, the Board finds there is no violation of the Dental Practice Act, Arizona Revised Statutes §32-1201 through §32-1299. However, the Board expressed concern stating Dr. Golan should ensure the patient records include all prescription and dispensing information and prescribe only within the scope of the practice of dentistry.

This letter of concern, pursuant to A.R.S. §32-1263.01(B) will become part of your file. A letter of concern is defined in A.R.S. §32-1201(13) as follows:

" Letter of Concern" means an advisory letter to notify a licensee or a registered business entity that, while the evidence does not warrant disciplinary action, the Board believes that the licensee or registered business entity should modify or eliminate certain practices and that continuation of the activities that led to information being submitted to the Board may result in board action against the practitioner's license or the business entity's registration. A letter of concern is not a disciplinary action. A letter of concern is a public document and may be used in a future disciplinary action. (emphasis added)

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact this office at (602)242-1492.

Sincerely,

Elaine Hugunin
Executive Director

1 **BEFORE THE ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS**

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3 IN THE MATTER OF:

Case No. 201400068

4 **Edward H. Carlson, D.D.S.**

**NON-DISCIPLINARY
CONSENT AGREEMENT
AND ORDER**

5 Holder of License No. D3663
6 For the Practice of Dentistry
 In the State of Arizona.

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8 In order to resolve this case quickly and judiciously, the Arizona State Board of
9 Dental Examiners (“Board”) and Edward H. Carlson, D.D.S. enter into this Non-
10 Disciplinary Consent Agreement and Order (“Consent Agreement”) in lieu of further
11 administrative and judicial proceedings. It is consistent with the public interest and the
12 requirements and statutory authority of the Board, specifically, A.R.S. §§ 32-1263.01,
13 -1263.02, and 41- 1092.07(F) (5). This Consent Agreement shall resolve all issues the
14 Board has reviewed and investigated regarding the allegations in this matter.

15 Therefore, in lieu of further proceedings, Edward H. Carlson, D.D.S. admits and
16 understands that:

17 1. Any record prepared in this matter, all investigative materials prepared
18 and received by the Board concerning the allegations, and all related materials and
19 exhibits may be retained in the Board’s file pertaining to this matter.

20 2. Dr. Carlson waives any right to a hearing or re-hearing of this matter and
21 any right to judicial review of the attached Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and
22 Order.

23 3. Dr. Carlson has the right to consult with an attorney prior to entering into
24 this Consent Agreement.

25 4. The findings contained in the Findings of Fact portion of the Consent
26 Agreement are conclusive evidence of the stated facts. The Board may consider this

1 Consent Agreement when and if future disciplinary proceedings arise only if the
2 disciplinary proceedings are within 5 years from the date of this order.

3 5. This Consent Agreement is subject to the Board's approval and will be
4 effective only when the Board accepts it and it is signed on behalf of the Board. In the
5 event that the Board, in its discretion, does not approve this Consent Agreement, it will
6 be deemed withdrawn, will be of no evidentiary value and shall not be relied upon or
7 introduced in any disciplinary proceeding by any party. Dr. Carlson agrees that should
8 the Board reject this Consent Agreement and this case continues through the
9 administrative process, she shall assert no claim that the Board was prejudiced by its
10 review and discussion of this document or any related records.

11 6. Dr. Carlson further understands that this Consent Agreement, if approved
12 and signed by the Board, constitutes a public document that may be disseminated as a
13 formal action by the Board.

14 7. Dr. Carlson agrees to the Board approving the following Findings of
15 Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

16 DATED this 10th day of April 2014.

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Edward H. Carlson, D.D.S.

19 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

20 1. Dr. Carlson holds license no. D3663 initially issued by the Board on February
21 3, 1987.

22 2. On or about March 10, 2014, Dr. Carlson voluntarily reported to the Board that
23 he, on more than one occasion, ordered a large quantity of generic Ambien from a
24 pharmaceutical supply company.

25 3. In February 2014, Drug Enforcement Administration ("DEA") agents
26 interviewed Dr. Carlson about his ordering and dispensing of Ambien.

1 4. Dr. Carlson informed the DEA agents, as he did the pharmaceutical supply
2 company, that he had ordered the Ambien for himself and he was not using it in
3 conjunction with the treatment of patients.

4 5. Dr. Carlson also indicated he did not keep a dispensing log for the Ambien. He
5 also admitted that he provided Ambien to his 86 year old mother who was not a patient
6 of record.

7 **CONCLUSION OF LAW**

8 Pursuant to ARS 32-1263.01(B), the Board finds that Dr. Carlson' conduct, as
9 described in the above findings of fact can be remediated through non-disciplinary
10 continuing education.

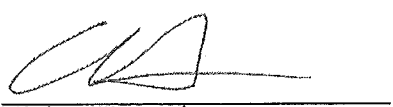
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12 **ORDER**

13 1. **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that, within 6 months from the effective
14 date of this Consent Agreement and Order, Dr. Carlson shall take and complete six (6)
15 hours of non-disciplinary continuing dental education in the area of appropriate
16 prescribing and documentation of controlled substances. Home study or online
17 courses are not acceptable. Within five days of completion of each continuing
18 education course, Dr. Carlson shall submit to the Board verification of completion of
19 the course(s). Verification shall be by canceled checks, attendance slips, if any, and/or
20 a certificate of completion. The continuing education ordered in this Consent
21 Agreement is in addition to the continuing education hours required for license
22 renewal. In the event Dr. Carlson fails to timely complete the continuing education,
23 the Board may initiate disciplinary proceedings for non-compliance with a Board
24 order.

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DATED this 9th day of June, 2014.

ARIZONA STATE BOARD OF
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Elaine Hugunin
Executive Director

A copy of the following mailed by CERTIFIED MAIL this 11th day of June 2014 to:

Edward H. Carlson, DDS
6755 E. Superstition Springs Blvd., #101
Mesa, AZ 85206