

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS**

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND DISCIPLINE  
AND DAVID R. GIFFORD, MD, MPH, IN HIS CAPACITY  
AS DIRECTOR OF HEALTH, STATE OF RHODE ISLAND**

**In the Matter of:**

**James R. Urban, M.D. Harbour Medical, Ltd.**

**Medical License # MD 09760**

**X-Ray Facility Registration Number # 122**

**IMMEDIATE COMPLIANCE ORDER**

Now comes the Director of Health of the State of Rhode Island, and pursuant to Rhode Island General Laws 23-1-21 makes the following Findings and Order regarding James R. Urban, M.D., and Harbour Medical, Ltd.

**FINDINGS**

1. James R. Urban, M.D. is a physician licensed by the Department of Health, Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline.
2. James R. Urban, M.D. owns and operates Harbour Medical, a walk-in treatment center located at 1000 Division St. East Greenwich, Rhode Island as part of his medical practice.
3. Harbour Medical has certain X-Ray equipment that is required to be licensed in accordance with the Rules and Regulations for the Control of Radiation.
4. Part of the Registration program calls for periodic inspections of the X-Ray equipment and safety measures established for the safe handling and disposal of nuclear material.
5. On October 2, 2008, the Department of Health conducted an inspection of radiation safety and compliance with the Rules and Regulations.
6. The inspection revealed 8 violations ranging in severity from Level III to Level V.
7. On October 9, 2008, James R. Urban, M.D. was notified by letter that a plan of corrective action be filed with the Department of Health in order to avoid further action for non-compliance.
8. James R. Urban, M.D. has failed to contact the Department as required, failed to file a corrective action plan and failed to take corrective action.

**ORDER**

After consideration of the above findings James R. Urban, M.D. and Harbour Medical, Ltd. must cease utilizing all X-Ray equipment immediately. Further, the Respondent is hereby Ordered to appear before an Investigating Committee of the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline on March ~~25, 2009~~ <sup>25, 2009</sup> at 11:00 AM at the offices of the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline to show cause why he should not be disciplined for non-compliance.

Entered this   9<sup>th</sup>   day of March 2009.

  
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David R. Gifford, MD, MPH  
Director of Health

**CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE**

A copy of the within Immediate Compliance Order was hand delivered to James R. Urban, M.D. by the undersigned on   9<sup>th</sup>   day of March 2009.

  
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