

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,  
BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND  
DISCIPLINE

File No: C07-153

In the matter of:

Bhagyalaxmi Satishchandra, MD  
License #: MD 12057

**Reciprocal Action**

Pursuant to R.I.General Laws §5-37-5.2, 1956, as amended, (1995 Reenactment) the State of Massachusetts, Board of Registration in Medicine notified the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline that the Respondent had been subject to disciplinary action in the State of Massachusetts. The Rhode Island Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline has jurisdiction to take reciprocal action by virtue of §5-37-5.1 of the General Laws. The following constitutes the Investigating Committee's Findings of Fact:

**Findings of Facts**

1. The Respondent, Bhagyalaxmi Satishchandra, M.D. has voluntarily entered into an Assurance of Discontinuance with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Board of Registration in Medicine. The Massachusetts order dated February 21, 2007 is incorporated and attached herewith pursuant to R.I.G.L. 5-37-5.1 (21).
2. The RI Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline is taking reciprocal action based upon the Order entered in Massachusetts.

**The parties agree as follows:**

The Respondent is a physician with an allopathic license No. MD 12057. Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of the Board and hereby agrees to remain under the jurisdiction of the Board. This Consent Order is not binding on Respondent until final ratification by the Board.

**Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:**

1. The right to appear personally or by counsel or both before the Board;
2. The right to produce witnesses and evidence in his behalf at a hearing;
3. The right to cross-examine witnesses;
4. The right to have subpoenas issued by the Board;
5. The right to further procedural steps except for specifically contained herein;  
Any and all rights of appeal of this Consent Order;
6. Any objection to the fact that this Consent Order will be presented to the Board for consideration and review;
7. Any objection to the fact that it will be necessary for the Board to become acquainted with all evidence pertaining to this matter in order to review adequately this Consent Order;
8. Any objection to the fact that potential bias against the Respondent may occur as a result of the presentation of this Consent Order.
9. Acceptance of this Consent Order constitutes an admission by the Respondent of the facts set forth herein. This Consent Order shall become part of the public record of this proceeding once it is accepted by all parties and by the Board.

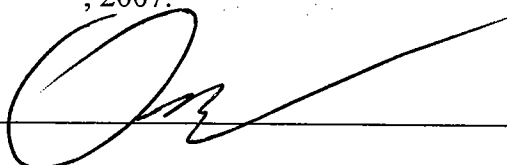
10. Failure to comply with this Consent Order, when signed and accepted, shall subject the Respondent to further disciplinary action.
11. Respondent shall be subject to the same restrictions and limitations as imposed by Massachusetts.
12. Respondent agrees to pay an administrative fee of Two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars within 60 days of ratification of this Order.

Signed this 14 day of June, 2007.

Bhagyalaxmi Satishchandra

Bhagyalaxmi Satishchandra, M.D.

Ratified by the Board of Medical Licensure and Discipline at a meeting held on July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2007.



David Gifford, MD, MPH  
RI Director of Health



