

**BEFORE THE MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE  
IN THE MATTER OF THE PHYSICIAN'S LICENSE  
OF  
THOMAS EDWARD STURDAVANT, M.D.**

**SURRENDER OF MEDICAL LICENSE**

**WHEREAS, THOMAS EDWARD STURDAVANT, M.D.**, hereinafter referred to as "Licensee," is the current holder of License Number 16798 issued on June 5, 2010, to practice medicine in the State of Mississippi. Said license is currently expired as of June 30, 2019, but Licensee maintains an inchoate right of renewal;

**WHEREAS**, Licensee has plead guilty to Conspiracy to Commit Healthcare Fraud, 18 U.S.C. 1349;

**WHEREAS**, the aforementioned guilty plea constitutes conviction of a felony involving moral turpitude and unprofessional conduct, including any dishonorable or unethical conduct likely to deceive, defraud, or harm the public, in violation of Miss. Code Ann., §§73-25-29 (6) and (8)(d).

**NOW THEREFORE**, in order to resolve this matter now pending before the Board, Licensee agrees to voluntarily surrender his medical license (No. 16798) to practice medicine in the State of Mississippi, and understands said Surrender shall be effective immediately upon execution. Licensee understands this is an unconditional surrender, is reportable to the National Practitioner Data Bank and other entities, such as the Federation of State Medical Boards, and is a public record of the State of Mississippi.

Recognizing his right to notice of charges specified against him, to have such charges adjudicated pursuant to Miss. Code Ann., § 73-25-27 (1972), to be represented therein by legal counsel of his choice, and to a final decision rendered upon written findings of fact and conclusions of law, **Thomas Edward Sturdavant, M.D.**, nevertheless, hereby waives his right to notice and a formal adjudication of charges and hereby voluntarily executes this Surrender of Medical License to practice medicine in the State of Mississippi.

EXECUTED AND EFFECTIVE, this the 29 day of June, 2020.



Thomas Sturdavant, M.D.

ACCEPTED AND APPROVED, this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020,  
by the Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure.



Kenneth E. Cleveland, M.D.  
Executive Director  
Mississippi State Board of Medical Licensure