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BEFORE THE STATE MEDICAL BOARD OF OHIO

In the Matter of

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Case No. 19-CRF-0100

Lara Kollab, D.O.,

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Hearing Examiner Lee

Respondent.

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ENTRY GRANTING RESPONDENT'S MOTION
FOR CONTINUANCE OF HEARING

The hearing on this matter is currently scheduled to begin on May 18, 2020. On April 22, 2020, Respondent, through counsel, filed a Motion for Continuance of Hearing based on the COVID-19 pandemic. The State did not object to the motion.

Based upon the foregoing, proper diligence and reasonable cause for continuance are found. Risk to the public is limited as Respondent does not have an active license to practice in Ohio. Accordingly, Respondent's Motion for Continuance of Hearing is **GRANTED**. A special case management schedule was previously approved for this matter.

Hearing and Conference Dates: By agreement of the parties, the hearing on this matter will commence on **October 5, 2020 at 9:30 a.m. and continue through October 7, 2020 as necessary**, at the Board's offices in the James A. Rhodes State Office Tower, 30 East Broad Street, Third Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

On **Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.**, the Hearing Examiner will initiate a telephone conference with counsel for Dr. Kollab and counsel for the State. The purpose of this conference will be to confirm the need for an evidentiary hearing, determine whether matters may be stipulated, discuss other procedural matters, and address any questions.

Exchange of Witness Lists, Exhibits, and Expert Reports: Pursuant to Ohio Adm. Code Rule ("Rule") 4731-13-18, and with the agreement of the parties, the parties shall abide by the following schedule established for the exchange of hearing exhibits and expert witness reports:

1. On or before **Friday, June 19, 2020**, the State's Assistant Attorney General shall deliver to Respondent's counsel the following documents, unless previously delivered: copies of written reports from any expert witnesses who will testify on the State's behalf, copies of the exhibits that the State will present at hearing, and a list identifying the names and contact information of all lay and expert witnesses that the State will present at hearing.
2. On or before **Monday, August 31, 2020**, the Respondent shall deliver to the State's Assistant Attorney General the following documents, unless previously delivered: copies of written reports from any expert witnesses who will testify on the Respondent's behalf

(including an expert report from the Respondent should he intend to testify as an expert witness on her own behalf), copies of the exhibits that the Respondent will present at hearing, and a list identifying the names and contact information of all lay and expert witnesses that the Respondent will present at hearing.

3. Pursuant to Rule 4731-13-18(F), an expert's written report shall set forth the opinions to which the expert will testify and the bases for such opinions.



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