

FINDINGS AND ORDERS OF THE BOARD
COMPLAINTS AGAINST DR. OSCAR BRACKS

TEXAS STATE BOARD OF
PODIATRY EXAMINERS

VS.

OSCAR BRACKS, JR., D.P.M.
P.O. Box 190408
DALLAS, TEXAS 75219
HOLDER OF TEXAS PODIATRY
LICENSE NUMBER 668

THE STATE

BOARD ORDER

On the 29th day of September, 1989, the Texas State Board of Podiatry Examiners met at the Embassy Suites Hotel, in Dallas, Dallas County, Texas, for the purpose of hearing and considering the complaint against OSCAR BRACKS, JR., D.P.M., as well as for the transaction of other business. A quorum and a majority of the membership of the Texas State Board of Podiatry Examiners were present, to wit:

Dr. Jerrry Patterson, President
Dr. Ben Clark, Vice-President
Dr. Eugene Scioli, Secretary/Treasurer
Dr. Preston Goforth
Dr. John Knecht
Dr. Thomas Eckert
Ms. Betty Walker
Mr. Harry Burns

II.

The President called said Complaint for hearing, the State announced ready and the RESPONDENT, OSCAR BRACKS, JR., D.P.M., announced ready and was represented by Counsel. The Board proceeded to hear and receive evidence and testimony and after hearing and receiving all of the same and after questioning, the Board makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT and CONCLUSIONS OF LAW.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Dr. Oscar Bracks, Jr., is the holder of Texas Podiatry License Number 668.

2. All jurisdictional requirements to hear this case have been met.

3. On January 26, 1989, Dr. Bracks was convicted of Medi-Care Fraud in 42 U.S.C. 1320 a-7b in case Number CR3-88-259-T in the United States District Court of the Northern District of Texas.

4. The conviction of Medicare Fraud was base on Dr. Bracks' billing of medicare for his Podiatry Patients.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

1. Dr. Oscar Bracks, Jr., has been found guilty of Medicare Fraud. This offense is a felony driectly related to the practice of Podiatry, which is a violation according to TEX.REV.CIV.STAT.ANN., Article 6252-13c, Section 4(a), which reads as follows:

the State Board of Podiatry Examiners may suspend or revoke a license to practice Podiatry because of a person's conviction of a felony or misdemeanor if the crime directly relates to the duties and responsibilities of Podiatry Medicine.

O R D E R

BE IT KNOWN that on the 29th, day of September, 1989, a quorum of the Texas State Board of Podiatry Examiners have voted, by majority vote, to SUSPEND License Number 668, heretofore, issued to OSCAR BRACKS, JR., of Dallas, Texas, until January 18th, 1990, when;

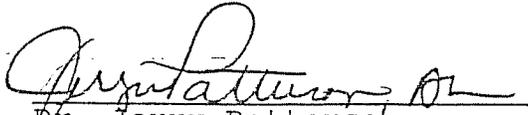
1. Dr. Bracks will report to the Board of Podiatry Examiners, in Corpus Christi, Texas. He is to show documented proof that he is making an attempt to upgrade his Podiatric knowledge and skills.

ORDER CONT.

2. Dr. Bracks is to see no more patients in his office after November 10th, 1989.
3. If no progress has been made in the opinion of the Board, said license will be REVOKED.

IT IS ACCORDINGLY ORDERED that License Number 668, heretofore issued to Oscar Bracks, Jr., D.P.M., be hereby SUSPENDED.

EXECUTED this 29th day of September, 1989.


Dr. Jerry Patterson
PRESIDENT

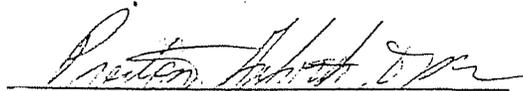
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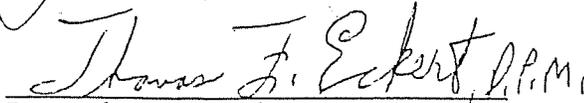
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Dear Dr. Bracks:

Please consider this letter formal notification that effective November 1, 2001, your license to practice podiatric medicine in Texas was cancelled per §202.301(e) Texas Occupations Code which states, "If a person's license has been expired for one year or longer, the person may not renew the license."

If after November 1, 2001, you should in any way or manner practice podiatric medicine in Texas, you would be practicing without a license and subject to all criminal penalties including a substantial fine and imprisonment in County Jail.

Official warning of your license cancellation was sent to you thirty days prior to the cancellation date, and a letter dated October 8, 2001 was also sent to you by myself, discussing this and other issues.

As you are no longer allowed to practice podiatric medicine in Texas, we will [redacted] license cancellation". Should you attempt to obtain a new license in this state, [redacted] and considered in the decision [redacted]. Your 1995 Board Order violation would also be reviewed and considered in making any such decision. I wish you good luck in your work in South Africa and in any podiatric medical practice outside of this state.

Sincerely,

Allen M. Hymans
Executive Director

CC: [redacted] & 1995 Agreed Order