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February 20, 2019

ZAKIA D. BELL, MD  
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RE: Notice of Final Denial of License Application

Dear Dr. Bell:

This letter is formal notice that on January 8, 2019, the Maine Board of Licensure in Medicine ("Board") voted to preliminarily deny your application for a Maine medical license based upon the following:

On June 19, 2017, the Board received your application for a Maine medical license and an Emergency 100-day license ("2017 Application"). On your 2017 application, you certified on June 13, 2017 that you understood and met all of the requirements for Maine licensure. Pursuant to 32 M.R.S. § 3271(3), and Board Rules, Chapter 1 § 3(3), and 6(3)(5), you were required to take and pass the State of Maine Jurisprudence Examination in order to qualify for licensure. You have failed to take and pass that examination, and therefore, do not and did not qualify for Maine licensure.

Pursuant to 32 M.R.S. § 3271(5), an applicant may not be licensed unless the Board finds that the applicant is qualified and no cause exists, as set forth in section 3282-A, that may be considered grounds for disciplinary action against a licensed physician or surgeon.

Pursuant to 32 M.R.S. § 3282-A(2)(A), the Board may deny a license or impose other discipline for the practice of fraud, deceit or misrepresentation in obtaining a license or in connection with service rendered within the scope of the license issued.



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You received notice of the preliminary denial of your application by certified letter dated January 15, 2019, a copy of which is enclosed. You did not file a timely appeal of the preliminary denial of your application and the denial of your application for your Maine medical license is now final. Final denial of licensure will be reported to all appropriate data banks.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at the telephone

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tracy A. Morrison".

Tracy A. Morrison  
Medical Licensing Specialist

cc: Michael Miller, AAG  
Dennis Smith, Executive Director