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Medical Board Suspends License of Dr. Steven W. Helland

(Scottsdale, AZ) – The Arizona Medical Board convened on January 19, 2011, and summarily suspended the medical license of Steven Helland, MD. This order prohibits the physician from practicing medicine pending formal hearing or other Board action. The Board believes that the physician may pose an imminent danger to the public.

On January 14, 2011, Board staff received notification from Respondent's attorney that Respondent was indicted in Navajo County Superior Court on January 11, 2011 before a grand jury on two counts of sexual conduct with a minor, two counts of indecent exposure, and eight counts of child molestation for a total of twelve felony counts. The attorney reported that the child involved was not a patient of Respondent.

Based on the facts of this matter, the Board believed this action was necessary to protect the public.

A copy of the full order can be viewed at the Board's website at www.azmd.gov. Click on Recent Actions at the top of the page, or use the Doctor Search button on the left of the page.