BEFORE THE MINNESOTA
BOARD OF MEDICAL PRACTICE

ORDER FOR
TEMPORARY SUSPENSION
[PUBLIC DOCUMENT]

In the Matter of the Medical License of Fatih M. Uckun, M.D., License Number: 36,852

Under Minnesota Statutes section 147.01, subdivision 4(b), the Board of Medical Practice (“the Board”) makes the following information public. The Board finds that Respondent has violated statutes that the Board is empowered to enforce, including, Minnesota Statutes section 147.091, subdivision 1(e), (g), and (k) (2004). Specifically, the Board concludes that Respondent has:

1. Engaged in advertising that is false or misleading, in violation of Minnesota Statutes section 147.091, subdivision 1(e);

2. Engaged in unethical conduct; conduct likely to deceive, defraud or harm the public, or demonstrating a willful or careless disregard for the health, welfare or safety of a patient; and in medical practice that is professionally incompetent in that it may create unnecessary danger to any patient's life, health, or safety, in any of which cases, proof of actual injury need not be established, all in violation of Minnesota Statutes section 147.091, subdivision 1(g); and

3. Engaged in unprofessional conduct, including by departing from or failing to conform to the minimal standards of acceptable and prevailing medical practice, in violation of Minnesota Statutes section 147.091, subdivision 1(k).

The Board further finds that Respondent’s continued practice would create a serious risk of harm to others, and that, consequently, a temporary suspension of
Respondent’s license is warranted pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 147.091, subdivision 4.

Accordingly, the Board issues the following:

**ORDER**

1. Respondent’s license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Minnesota is temporarily **SUSPENDED** pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 147.091, subdivision 4 (2004). During the period of suspension, Respondent shall not in any manner practice medicine or surgery in this state.

2. This Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until such time as the Board issues a final decision.

3. The Board’s Complaint Review Committee is directed to schedule a disciplinary hearing in this matter pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act. Respondent shall be given at least twenty days notice of the hearing. Unless otherwise agreed by Respondent and the CRC, the hearing shall begin no later than thirty days after the issuance of this Order, as required by law.

4. The terms of this suspension are adopted and implemented by the Board this 27 day of January, 2006.

MINNESOTA BOARD OF MEDICAL PRACTICE

Steven I. Altchuler, Ph.D., M.D.
President