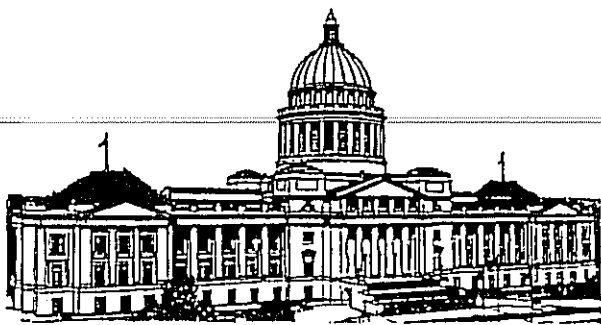


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CERTIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER

I Hereby Certify That The Attached Rules Were Adopted
In Compliance with Act 434 of 1967 As Amended.

Peggy P. Cryer
Signature

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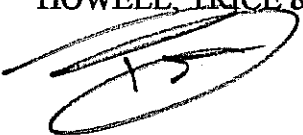
Re: Regulation on Malpractice Reporting

Dear Ms. Priest:

Enclosed is a copy of a Regulation involving Medical Malpractice Reporting and a completed Arkansas Register Transmittal Sheet.

Respectfully,

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PROPOSED RULE ON MALPRACTICE REPORTING

~~A.C.A. § 17-95-103 requires every physician licensed to practice medicine and surgery in the State of Arkansas to report to the Arkansas State Medical Board within ten days after receipt or notification of any claim or filing of a lawsuit against him charging him with medical malpractice. The notice from the physician to the Board shall be sent by registered letter upon such forms as may be obtained at the office of the Board. In addition to completing the form, the physician should attach to the form a copy of the complaint if a lawsuit has been filed against him.~~

Should a physician fail to comply with the terms of Ark. Code Ann. § 17-95-103 and this Regulation, then the same, shall be cause for revocation, suspension, or probation or monetary fine as may be determined by the Board; after the bringing of formal charges and notifying the physician as required by the Medical Practices Act and the Administrative Procedure Act.

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