

**BEFORE THE  
BOARD OF PHARMACY  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

**In the Matter of the Accusation Against:**

**ADVANCED INFUSION SYSTEMS LLC, dba PHARMERICA  
GREGORY S. WEISHAR, CEO/PRES  
THOMAS CANERIS, VP;  
ROBERT EDWARD DRIES, TREAS/CFO  
DAVID ROBERT REHMAN, PHARMACIST-IN-CHARGE,  
Pharmacy Permit No. PHY 55912;**

**and**

**PHARMACY CORPORATION OF AMERICA dba PHARMERICA  
GREGORY S. WEISHAR, CEO/PRES  
THOMAS CANERIS, VP;  
ROBERT EDWARD DRIES, TREAS/CFO  
MICHAEL J. BOTTARINI, PHARMACIST-IN-CHARGE,  
Pharmacy Permit No. PHY 55902,**

**Respondents**

**Agency Case No. 6791**

## DECISION AND ORDER

The attached Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Repeval is hereby adopted by the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs, as its Decision in this matter.

This Decision shall become effective at 5:00 p.m. on December 9, 2020.

It is so ORDERED on November 9, 2020.

BOARD OF PHARMACY  
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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By

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**STIPULATED SETTLEMENT AND  
DISCIPLINARY ORDER FOR PUBLIC  
REPROVAL**

**[AS TO PHARMACY CORPORATION  
OF AMERICA, DBA PHARMERICA  
ONLY]**

**[Bus. & Prof. Code § 495]**

1 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to the above-  
2 entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:

3 **PARTIES**

4 1. Anne Sodergren (Complainant) is the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy  
5 (Board). She brought this action solely in her official capacity and is represented in this matter by  
6 Xavier Becerra, Attorney General of the State of California, by Seth A. Curtis, Deputy Attorney  
7 General.

8 2. Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica (Respondent PMUC), is  
9 represented in this proceeding by attorney Eric J. Beste, Barnes & Thornburg, LLP, whose  
10 address is: 655 West Broadway, Suite 900, San Diego, CA 92101.

11 **JURISDICTION**

12 3. On or about December 7, 2017, the Board issued Pharmacy Permit Number PHY  
13 55902 to Respondent PMUC. The Pharmacy Permit was in full force and effect at all times  
14 relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on December 1, 2020, unless renewed.

15 4. Accusation No. 6791 was filed before the Board and is currently pending against  
16 Respondent PMUC. The Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly  
17 served on Respondent PMUC on October 25, 2019. Respondent PMUC timely filed its Notice of  
18 Defense contesting the Accusation. A copy of Accusation No. 6791 is attached as exhibit A and  
19 incorporated herein by reference.

20 **ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS**

21 5. Respondent PMUC has carefully read, fully discussed with counsel, and understands  
22 the charges and allegations in Accusation No. 6791. Respondent PMUC has also carefully read,  
23 fully discussed with counsel, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Settlement and  
24 Disciplinary Order for Public Reapproval.

25 6. Respondent PMUC is fully aware of its legal rights in this matter, including the right  
26 to a hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to be represented by  
27 counsel at its own expense; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against them;  
28 the right to present evidence and to testify on its own behalf; the right to the issuance of

1 subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents; the right to  
2 reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other rights accorded by the  
3 California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.

4 7. Respondent PMUC voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up  
5 each and every right set forth above.

#### 6 **CULPABILITY**

7 8. Respondent PMUC understands and agrees that the charges and allegations in  
8 Accusation No. 6791, if proven at a hearing, constitute cause for imposing discipline on its  
9 Pharmacy Permit. For the purpose of resolving the Accusation without the expense and  
10 uncertainty of future proceedings, Respondent PMUC agrees that, at a hearing, Complainant  
11 could establish a factual basis for the charges in the Accusation and a basis for discipline.  
12 Respondent PMUC hereby gives up its right to contest those charges at such a hearing, and agrees  
13 that its license is subject to discipline and agrees to be bound by the terms set forth in the  
14 Disciplinary Order below.

15 9. Respondent PMUC agrees that in any future disciplinary proceeding before the Board  
16 against Respondent PMUC the allegations set forth in Accusation No. 6791 shall be deemed  
17 admitted.

18 10. Respondent PMUC agrees that its Pharmacy Permit is subject to discipline and agrees  
19 to be bound by the terms set forth in the Disciplinary Order below.

#### 20 **RESERVATION**

21 11. Admissions made by Respondent PMUC herein are only for the purposes of this  
22 proceeding, or any other proceedings in which the Department of Consumer Affairs, Board of  
23 Pharmacy, or other professional licensing agency is involved, and shall not be admissible in any  
24 other criminal or civil proceeding.

#### 25 **CONTINGENCY**

26 12. This stipulation shall be subject to approval by the Board of Pharmacy. Respondent  
27 PMUC understands and agrees that counsel for Complainant and the staff of the Board of  
28 Pharmacy may communicate directly with the Board regarding this stipulation and settlement,

1 without notice to or participation by Respondent PMUC or its counsel. By signing the  
2 stipulation, Respondent PMUC understands and agrees that it may not withdraw its agreement or  
3 seek to rescind the stipulation prior to the time the Board considers and acts upon it. If the Board  
4 fails to adopt this stipulation as its Decision and Order, the Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary  
5 Order for Public Repeval shall be of no force or effect, except for this paragraph, it shall be  
6 inadmissible in any legal action between the parties, and the Board shall not be disqualified from  
7 further action by having considered this matter.

8 13. The parties understand and agree that Portable Document Format (PDF) and facsimile  
9 copies of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Repeval, including  
10 Portable Document Format (PDF) and facsimile signatures thereto, shall have the same force and  
11 effect as the originals.

12 14. This Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Repeval is intended by  
13 the parties to be an integrated writing representing the complete, final, and exclusive embodiment  
14 of their agreement. It supersedes any and all prior or contemporaneous agreements,  
15 understandings, discussions, negotiations, and commitments (written or oral). This Stipulated  
16 Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Repeval may not be altered, amended, modified,  
17 supplemented, or otherwise changed except by a writing executed by an authorized representative  
18 of each of the parties.

19 15. In consideration of the foregoing admissions and stipulations, the parties agree that  
20 the Board may, without further notice or formal proceeding, issue and enter the following  
21 Disciplinary Order:

22 **DISCIPLINARY ORDER**

23 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Pharmacy Permit No. PHY 55902 issued to Pharmacy  
24 Corporation of America, dba PharMerica, shall be publicly reprovod by the Board of Pharmacy  
25 under Business and Professions Code section 495 in resolution of Accusation No. 6791, attached  
26 as exhibit A.

27 The public reprovod of Respondent PMUC's Pharmacy Permit constitutes a record of the  
28 discipline and shall become a part of Respondent PMUC's license history with the Board.

1           **Cost Recovery.** Respondent Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica hereby  
2 acknowledges and agrees that along with Respondent Advanced Infusion Systems LLC, dba  
3 PharMerica is jointly and severally liable for the costs in the amount of \$14,260.50 for the  
4 Board's investigation and enforcement costs of this matter. Respondent PMUC shall be  
5 permitted to pay these costs in a payment plan approved by the Board. If the costs are not paid as  
6 ordered, Respondent PMUC shall not be allowed to renew its Pharmacy Permit until the costs are  
7 paid in full.

8           **Prohibition on Use of Unlicensed Entities.** Respondent Pharmacy Corporation of  
9 America, dba PharMerica hereby acknowledges and agrees that it is prohibited from and will not  
10 use unlicensed entities to process prescription orders including but not limited to the use of  
11 unlicensed individuals who are not located in its Pharmacy (as defined in Business and  
12 Professions Code section 4037(a)), whether resident or non-resident, to process orders and/or  
13 refills. Such a restriction will no longer apply if and when the laws and regulations governing  
14 Pharmacies in California permits such activities. Respondent PMUC acknowledges and agrees  
15 that any future use of unlicensed entities to process prescription orders and/or refills or the use of  
16 unlicensed individuals not present in its pharmacy will be cause for discipline against its  
17 Pharmacy Permit.

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**ACCEPTANCE**

I am the authorized representative of Respondent Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica and have carefully read the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reproval and have fully discussed it with my attorney, Eric J. Beste. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica's Pharmacy Permit. On behalf of Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica, I enter into this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reproval voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Board of Pharmacy.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

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THOMAS J. GRIFFIN, RPh  
CHIEF PHARMACY OFFICER  
PHARMACY CORPORATION OF AMERICA,  
DBA PHARMERICA  
*Respondent PMUC*

I have read and fully discussed with Respondent Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica the terms and conditions and other matters contained in the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reproval. I approve its form and content.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

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ERIC J. BESTE  
BARNES & THORNBURG, LLP  
*Attorney for Respondent*

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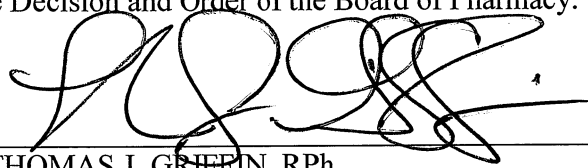


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I am the authorized representative of Respondent Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica and have carefully read the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reproval and have fully discussed it with my attorney, Eric J. Beste. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica's Pharmacy Permit. On behalf of Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica, I enter into this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reproval voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Board of Pharmacy.

DATED:

9/21/2020



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*Respondent PMUC*

I have read and fully discussed with Respondent Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica the terms and conditions and other matters contained in the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reproval. I approve its form and content.

DATED:

09-25-2020



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**ENDORSEMENT**

The foregoing Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reproval is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Board of Pharmacy of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted,

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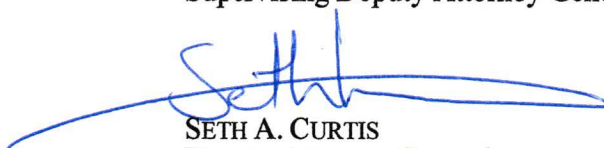
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2 The foregoing Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order for Public Reapproval is hereby  
3 respectfully submitted for consideration by the Board of Pharmacy of the Department of  
4 Consumer Affairs.

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6 DATED: September 25, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

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**Exhibit A**

**Accusation No. 6791**

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Respondents.

1 **PARTIES**

2 1. Anne Sodergren (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in her official capacity  
3 as the Interim Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy (“Board”), Department of Consumer  
4 Affairs.

5 2. On or about December 7, 2017, the Board issued Pharmacy Permit Number PHY  
6 55912 to Advanced Infusion Systems LLC, dba PharMerica (Respondent PM). The Pharmacy  
7 Permit was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will  
8 expire on December 1, 2019, unless renewed.

9 3. On or about December 7, 2017, the Board issued Pharmacy Permit Number PHY  
10 55902 to Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica (Respondent PMUC). The  
11 Pharmacy Permit was in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein  
12 and will expire on December 1, 2019, unless renewed.

13 **JURISDICTION**

14 4. This Accusation is brought before the Board of Pharmacy (Board), Department of  
15 Consumer Affairs, under the authority of the following laws. All section references are to the  
16 Business and Professions Code (Code) unless otherwise indicated.

17 5. Section 4300 of the Code states, in pertinent part:

18 (a) Every license issued may be suspended or revoked.

19 . . .

20 6. Section 4300.1 of the Code states:

21 The expiration, cancellation, forfeiture, or suspension of a board-issued  
22 license by operation of law or by order or decision of the board or a court of law,  
23 the placement of a license on a retired status, or the voluntary surrender of a  
24 license by a licensee shall not deprive the board of jurisdiction to commence or  
proceed with any investigation of, or action or disciplinary proceeding against, the  
licensee or to render a decision suspending or revoking the license.

25 **STATUTORY PROVISIONS**

26 7. Code section 4037, subdivision (a) states:

27 “Pharmacy” means an area, place, or premises licensed by the board in which the  
28 profession of pharmacy is practiced and where prescriptions are compounded. “Pharmacy”  
includes, but is not limited to, any area, place, or premises described in a license issued by

1 the board wherein controlled substances, dangerous drugs, or dangerous devices are stored,  
2 possessed, prepared, manufactured, derived, compounded, or repackaged, and from which  
the controlled substances, dangerous drugs, or dangerous devices are furnished, sold, or  
dispensed at retail.

3 8. Code section 4112, subdivision (b) states, in pertinent part:

4 A person may not act as a nonresident pharmacy unless he or she has  
5 obtained a license from the board...

6 9. Section 4301 of the Code states:

7 The board shall take action against any holder of a license who is guilty of  
8 unprofessional conduct or whose license has been issued by mistake. Unprofessional  
conduct shall include, but is not limited to, any of the following:

9 ...

10 (o) Violating or attempting to violate, directly or indirectly, or assisting in or  
11 abetting the violation of or conspiring to violate any provision or term of this chapter  
or of the applicable federal and state laws and regulations governing pharmacy,  
12 including regulations established by the board or by any other state or federal  
regulatory agency.

### 13 **REGULATORY PROVISIONS**

14 10. California Code of Regulations, title 16 (CCR), section 1707.4 subdivision (a)  
15 states that a pharmacy licensed by the board may process a request for refill of a prescription  
16 received by a pharmacy within this state.

17 11. CCR, section 1717.1 subdivision (a) states that two or more pharmacies may  
18 establish and use a common electronic file to maintain required dispensing information.

19 12. CCR, section 1793.2 states:

20 Nondiscretionary tasks as used in Business and Professions Code section 4115,  
21 include:

- 22 (a) removing the drug or drugs from stock;
- 23 (b) counting, pouring, or mixing pharmaceuticals;
- 24 (c) placing the product into a container;
- 25 (d) affixing the label or labels to the container;
- 26 (e) packaging and repackaging.

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13. CCR, section 1793.3 subdivision (a) states:

In addition to employing a pharmacy technician to perform the tasks specified in section 1793.2, a pharmacy may employ a non-licensed person to type a prescription label or otherwise enter prescription information into a computer record system, but the responsibility for the accuracy of the prescription information and the prescription as dispensed lies with the registered pharmacist who initials the prescription or prescription record. At the direction of the registered pharmacist, a non-licensed person may also request and receive refill authorization.

#### **COST RECOVERY**

14. Section 125.3 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Board may request the administrative law judge to direct a licentiate found to have committed a violation or violations of the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of the case, with failure of the licentiate to comply subjecting the license to not being renewed or reinstated. If a case settles, recovery of investigation and enforcement costs may be included in a stipulated settlement.

#### **FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS**

15. On or about October 31, 2018, the Board received an online complaint (Anonymous) regarding Respondent PM utilizing the services of an outsource company named Infix (IPS), a company based in Mumbai, India, to process/type prescription medication orders from a remote/offsite location.

16. On or about November 26, 2018, in a telephone call with Anonymous, it was explained to Board inspector S.H. that orders were transmitted via facsimile from contracted facilities and organized into queues of a document imaging system called Docutrack. Queues for refill requests were then entered into the PM operating system. When entries were completed by IPS, Respondent PM received an email notification. Anonymous explained IPS was doing outsourced data entry of prescription refills, in addition to processing billing functions and entering patient admissions information.

17. On or about December 13, 2018, Board inspectors S.H. and S.K. visited Respondent PM's pharmacy to conduct a routine inspection and investigation. During the inspection/investigation, David Rehman, Pharmacist-in-Charge (PIC), explained that portions of



1 the order entry processing were done by employees of IPS, a company based in India. PIC  
2 Rehman explained that this was a pilot project which also included Respondent PMUC.

3 18. On or about December 13, 2018, documents were requested from J.D., the Regional  
4 Director of California for PharMerica..

5 19. On or about December 18, 2018, J.D. provided the business agreement with Infix  
6 Pharmacy Services, LLC<sup>1</sup> (IPS). This document detailed privacy and security regulation and the  
7 Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPPA). Also included was a copy of IPS  
8 user names, User ID's and location, and a copy of spreadsheets showing IPS order entry details  
9 for PM and PMUC. On or about December 19, 2018, J.D. provided the Master Services  
10 Agreement (MSA) with IPS.

11 20. A search of the California Secretary of State website revealed that Infix Pharmacy  
12 Services, LLC was formerly known as Critical Entry Data Systems, LLC, prior to filing an  
13 amendment to their registration on June 21, 2017. On July 30, 2018, Infix Pharmacy Services,  
14 LLC filed in the State of Nevada as a pharmacy billing service.

15 21. The spreadsheet provided by J.D. revealed that IPS had processed 1,444 orders for  
16 PM and 380 orders for PMUC

17 22. A copy of the IPS Statement of Work (SOW) entered into by Pharmerica Corporation  
18 on January 25, 2018, stated that IPS will provide data entry support performing routine pharmacy  
19 billing tasks, included but not limited to new order processing and refill order processing.

20 23. On or about January 22, 2019, Complainant signed an order that IPS immediately  
21 cease and desist practicing any activity that required licensure, including initiating the dispensing  
22 process for prescriptions and prescription refills, and sharing common electronic files for any  
23 pharmacy licensed in California, including Respondent PM and Respondent PMUC.

24 24. On or about February 1, 2019, during a hearing on an appeal of the cease and desist  
25 order filed against IPS, D.T., Director of Pharmacy Client Services for IPS, testified that an  
26 electronic request would be initiated by a prescriber which would be received into the PharMerica

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28 <sup>1</sup> Infix Services Pvt. Ltd, is an affiliate of Infix Pharmacy Services, LLC and is based in  
Mumba, India. (Collectively IPS)

1 network and stored on a cloud service. Employees of PharMerica and IPS had the same login and  
2 access to the network. IPS employees had access to patient and prescription information but were  
3 not licensed in California as pharmacists or pharmacy technicians. The only supervision  
4 employees of IPS received by a California Pharmacists was remotely through the computer  
5 system.

6 25. On or about February 6, 2019, the Board upheld the Cease and Desist Order directing  
7 IPS to cease and desist practicing any activity that requires licensure.

8 **FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

9 (Unprofessional Conduct - Unlicensed Activity as to PM Only)

10 26. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 4301, subdivision (o),  
11 Code section 4112(b), CCR sections 1707.4(a), 1717.1(a), 1793.2, and 1793.3(a), in that between  
12 December 21, 2017, and February 7, 2019, Respondent PM allowed IPS, an unlicensed entity, to  
13 process prescription refill orders, including assessing the Pharmacy's computer software by  
14 individuals not located in a pharmacy licensed by the board to process the refills.

15 **SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

16 (Unprofessional Conduct - Unlicensed Activity as to PMUC Only)

17 27. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under Code section 4301, subdivision (o),  
18 Code section 4112(b), CCR sections 1707.4(a), 1717.1(a), 1793.2, and 1793.3(a), in that between  
19 December 21, 2017, and February 7, 2019, Respondent PM allowed IPS, an unlicensed entity, to  
20 process prescription refill orders, including assessing the Pharmacy's computer software by  
21 individuals not located in a pharmacy licensed by the board to process the refills.

22 **OTHER MATTERS**

23 28. Pursuant to Code section 4307, if discipline is imposed on Pharmacy Permit Number  
24 PHY 55912 issued to Advanced Infusion Systems LLC, dba PharMerica, Advanced Infusion  
25 Systems LLC, dba PharMerica, shall be prohibited from serving as a manager, administrator,  
26 owner, member, officer, director, associate, or partner of a licensee for five years if Pharmacy  
27 Permit Number PHY 55912 is placed on probation or until Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55912  
28 is reinstated if it is revoked.

1           29. Pursuant to Code section 4307, if discipline is imposed on Pharmacy Permit Number  
2 PHY 55902 issued to Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica, Pharmacy Corporation  
3 of America, dba PharMerica, shall be prohibited from serving as a manager, administrator, owner,  
4 member, officer, director, associate, or partner of a licensee for five years if Pharmacy Permit  
5 Number PHY 55902 is placed on probation or until Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55902 is  
6 reinstated if it is revoked.

7           30. Pursuant to Code section 4307, if discipline is imposed on Pharmacy Permit Number  
8 PHY 55912 issued to Advanced Infusion Systems LLC, dba PharMerica, while Gregory S.  
9 Weishar, Thomas Caneris, Robert Edward Dreis, and/or David Robert Rehman has been a  
10 manager, administrator, owner, director, associate, partner, or any other person with management  
11 or control and had knowledge of or knowingly participated in any conduct for which the licensee  
12 was disciplined, Gregroy S. Weishar, Thomas Caneris, Robert Edward Dreis, and/or David  
13 Robert Rehman shall be prohibited from serving as a manager, administrator, owner, member,  
14 officer, director, associate, or partner of a licensee for five years if Pharmacy Permit Number  
15 PHY 55912 is placed on probation or until Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55912 is reinstated if  
16 it is revoked.

17           31. Pursuant to Code section 4307, if discipline is imposed on Pharmacy Permit Number  
18 PHY 55902 issued to Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica, while Gregory S.  
19 Weishar, Thomas Caneris, Robert Edward Dreis, and/or Michael J. Bottarini has been a manager,  
20 administrator, owner, director, associate, partner, or any other person with management or control  
21 and had knowledge of or knowingly participated in any conduct for which the licensee was  
22 disciplined, Gregroy S. Weishar, Thomas Caneris, Robert Edward Dreis, and/or Michael J.  
23 Bottarini shall be prohibited from serving as a manager, administrator, owner, member, officer,  
24 director, associate, or partner of a licensee for five years if Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55902  
25 is placed on probation or until Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55902 is reinstated if it is revoked.

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**PRAYER**

WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged, and that following the hearing, the Board of Pharmacy issue a decision:

1. Revoking or suspending Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55912, issued to Advanced Infusion Systems LLC, dba PharMerica, Gregory S. Weishar, CEO/President; Thomas Caneris, Vice President/Secretary; Robert Edward Dries, Treasurer/Chief Financial Officers, and David Robert Rehman, Pharmacist-in-charge;

2. Revoking or suspending Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55902, issued to Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica, Gregory S. Weishar, CEO/President; Thomas Caneris, Vice President/Secretary; Robert Edward Dries, Treasurer/Chief Financial Officers, and Michael J. Bottarini, Pharmacist-in-charge;

3. Prohibiting Gregory S. Weishar, Thomas Caneris, Robert Edward Dreis, and/or David Robert Rehman from serving as a manager, administrator, owner, member, officer, director, associate, or partner of a licensee for five years if Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55912 is placed on probation or until Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55912 is reinstated if Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55912 issued to Advanced Infusion Systems LLC, dba PharMerica is revoked;

4. Prohibiting Gregory S. Weishar, Thomas Caneris, Robert Edward Dreis, and/or Michael J. Bottarini from serving as a manager, administrator, owner, member, officer, director, associate, or partner of a licensee for five years if Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55902 is placed on probation or until Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55902 is reinstated if Pharmacy Permit Number PHY 55902 issued to Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica is revoked;

5. Ordering Advanced Infusion Systems LLC, dba PharMerica to pay the Board of Pharmacy the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3; and,

6. Ordering Pharmacy Corporation of America, dba PharMerica to pay the Board of Pharmacy the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3; and,

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7. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

DATED: October 22, 2019



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Interim Executive Officer  
Board of Pharmacy  
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