IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

KOFI SARFO, M.D.,

Supreme Court No. 73117

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District Court Case no. A-17-

VS.

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THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS,

Appellant,

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Respondent.

CLERK OF SUPREME COURT

RESPONDENTS' MOTION TO EXCEED PAGE LIMITS

Respondent Nevada State Board of Medical Examiners ("the Board"), by and through its counsel of Robison, Belaustegui, Sharp and Low, hereby moves pursuant to NRAP 27 for an order of this Court granting Respondents' leave to exceed the ten-page limitation for its opposition to appellant Kofi Sarfo, M.D.'s ("Dr. Sarfo's") Emergency Motion for Injunctive Relief.

Generally, responses to motions are limited to ten pages. NRAP 27(d)(2). On May 30, 2017, the Nevada Supreme Court entered an order allowing Dr. Sarfo to exceed this page limitation for his emergency motion, but limiting him to twenty (20) pages. *See* Exhibit 1 (May 30, 2017 Order Denying Motion). The Nevada Supreme Court found that Dr. Sarfo had demonstrated good cause sufficient to exceed the page limitation based upon his argument that the merits of the case must be argued in order for him to

potentier under JRAP 8(c).

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The Board similarly requests that it be allowed to exceed the ten-page limitation by an additional seven (7) pages. A determination of whether a stay is warranted under NRAP 8(c) requires this Court to evaluate the strength of the parties' positions on the underlying merits of the appeal. *See* NRAP 8(c). This appeal raises due process issues that have been adjudicated by a large body of authority which Dr. Sarfo omits from his motion. The Board's response includes this body of authority and is twenty (20) pages in length. Accordingly, the Board respectfully requests that this Court grant its motion to exceed the page limitation. The Board's response is enclosed as **Exhibit 2** for this Court's review, and has been filed on the same date with this Court.

DATED this $\frac{3}{5}$ day of $\frac{\text{May}}{\text{2017}}$.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRAP 25, I certify that I am an employee of ROBISON, BELAUSTEGUI, SHARP & LOW, and that on this date I caused a true copy of **RESPONDENTS' MOTION TO EXCEED PAGE LIMITS** to be served on all parties to this action by:

placing an original or true copy thereof in a sealed, postage prepaid, envelope in the United States mail at Reno, Nevada addressed to:

Jacob L. Hafter, Esq. Hafter Law 6851 W. Charleston Boulevard Las Vegas, Nevada 89128

Dated this 3 day of May, 2017.

Employee of Robison, Belaustegui, Sharp & Low