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Cheryl Sullenger  
P.O. Box 782888  
Wichita, KS 67278

RE: Medicine v. James Scott Pendergraft, IV  
DOH Case #201527974

Dear Cheryl Sullenger:

This letter is to advise you of the status of the complaint filed with the Department of Health against the above-referenced health care practitioner.

The complaint has been reviewed by legal staff and a recommendation has been completed for submission to the next available Probable Cause Panel meeting governing this profession. The panel will consider the complaint, and the Department's investigation, to decide whether to initiate a formal disciplinary proceeding against the healthcare practitioner. The panel may issue an administrative complaint charging this healthcare practitioner with a disciplinary violation, or may dismiss the case.

The complaint has been assigned to Assistant General Counsel [REDACTED]. For information regarding the Enforcement regulatory process, the following web address is provided: <http://www.floridahealth.gov/licensing-and-regulation/enforcement/index.html>. If you have additional questions regarding this process, please do not hesitate to contact the Prosecution Services Unit at (850) 245-4640, by TDD at 1-800-955-8771 referencing the DOH case number above, or by mail at Department of Health, Prosecution Services Unit, 4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin C-65, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3265.

Sincerely,

Prosecution Services Unit  
Office of the General Counsel

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