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February 27, 2001

Senator Kevin L. Shorey, Chair Representative John Richardson, Chair Committee on Business and Economic Development 115 State House Station Augusta, Me 04333-0115

FEB 28 2001

Dear Senator Shorey and Representative Richardson:

The Board of Licensure in Medicine hereby submits its annual report, in accordance with Title 32, § 3269, 8-A. This report consists of certain complaint statistics for calendar year 2000, as identified in the statute.

Number of complaints carried forward from 1999	68	
Number of complaints filed in 2000	*153	
Total		221
Number of complaints dismissed in 2000	135	
Number of complaints resulting in discipline in 2000	<u>16</u>	
Total		<u>151</u>
Number of complaints carried forward to 2001		70
Number of disciplinary actions tabulated by the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB)	18	
Minus a regional DEA action (which resulted from a Board action), included in FSMB total	<u>-1</u>	
Total disciplinary actions		*17
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Please contact me if you have any questions about the data.

Very truly yours,

Dan Sprague
Assistant Executive Director

Enclosures (2)

cc: Commissioner Longley

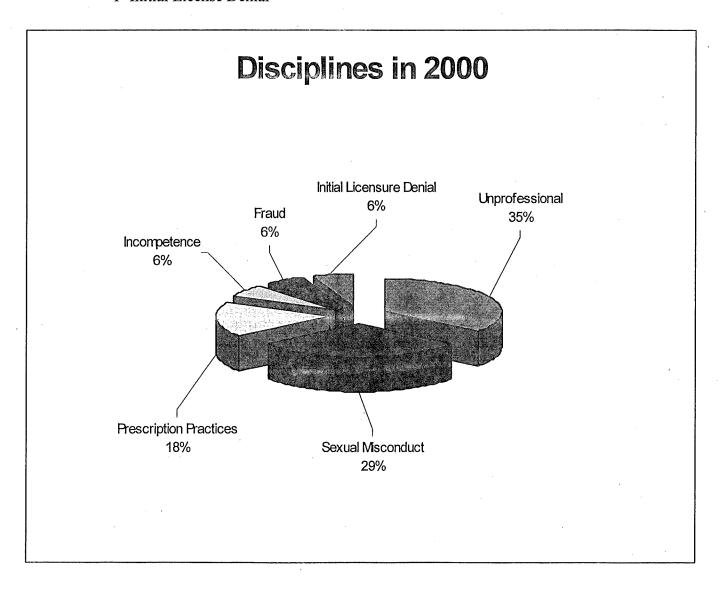
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^{*}See attached breakdown and graph.

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17 Disciplines

- 6=Unprofessional Conduct 5=Sexual Misconduct
- 3=Prescription Practices
- 1=Incompetence
- 1=Fraud and Deceit
- 1=Initial License Denial



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153 Complaints Received

1=Drugs/Alcohol

1=Fraud and Deceit in License Application

2=Failure to Report to Board

61=Incompetence

88=Unprofessional Conduct / of these:

2=Inappropriate Sexual Contact

47=Communication

39=Other

Complaints Received in 2000 Fraud and Deceit 1% Failure to Report 1% Other 25% Incompetence 40% Communication 31% Inappropriate Sexual Contact 1%