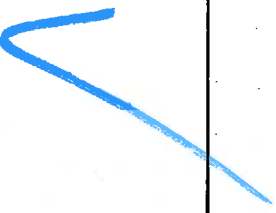


**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
OFFICE OF DIRECTOR**

**ACTION REFERRAL**

TO <i>Singleton</i>	DATE <i>1-17-08</i>
------------------------	------------------------

<b>DIRECTOR'S USE ONLY</b>	<b>ACTION REQUESTED</b>
1. LOG NUMBER  <i>000372</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for the Director's signature DATE DUE _____
2. DATE SIGNED BY DIRECTOR  	<input type="checkbox"/> Prepare reply for appropriate signature DATE DUE _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> FOIA DATE DUE _____
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Necessary Action

<b>APPROVALS</b> (Only when prepared for director's signature)	<b>APPROVE</b>	<b>* DISAPPROVE</b> (Note reason for disapproval and return to preparer.)	<b>COMMENT</b>
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			



# South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation

Mark Sanford  
Governor

Adrienne Riggins Youmans  
Director

South Carolina Board of Dentistry

110 Centerview Drive  
Post Office Box 11329  
Columbia, SC 29211-1329  
Phone: (803) 896-4599  
FAX: (803) 896-4596  
[www.llr.state.sc.us](http://www.llr.state.sc.us)

*Log. Singleton*  
*N/A*

**RECEIVED**

JAN 17 2008

Department of Health & Human Services  
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

TO: INTERESTED PARTIES

FROM: SOUTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

RE: EDMUND L. KARESH, DMD

DATE: JANUARY 16, 2008

Enclosed please find a copy of the public orders of the South Carolina State Board of Dentistry in the above referenced matter.

KPB/kp

Enclosures



**South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation**

Mark Sanford  
Governor

Adrienne Riggins Youmans  
Director

**South Carolina Board of Dentistry**



110 Centerview Drive  
Post Office Box 11329  
Columbia, SC 29211-1329  
Phone: (803) 896-4599  
FAX: (803) 896-4596  
[www.llr.state.sc.us](http://www.llr.state.sc.us)

January 14, 2008

**CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT**

Edmund L. Karesch, DMD  
26 Indigo Point Drive  
Charleston, SC 29407

RE: Dental License #2875

Dear Dr. Karesch:

Enclosed you will find your copy of the executed **AGREEMENT TO RELINQUISH LICENSE TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY** signed as accepted by the Board President. Please be advised Dr. Karesch that you can no longer practice Dentistry in the State of South Carolina and you are required to return your wall certificate to the Board office. Upon receipt of this Agreement please return your wall certificate to: LLR- Board of Dentistry, Attn: Rion Alvey, 110 Centerview Drive, Post Office Box 11329, Columbia, South Carolina 29211-1329.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (803) 896-4599.

Sincerely,

*H. R. Alvey*  
Rion H. Alvey  
Administrator  
SC Board of Dentistry

RHA/kp  
Enclosure

cc: Dr. J. Douglas Snowden, Board President  
Pat Hanks, Assistant General Counsel  
SC Dept. of Labor, Licensing & Regulation

**SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION  
BEFORE THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY**

In the Matter of:

**EDMUND L. KARESH, D.M.D.,  
License # 2875**

OIE # 2007-79  
OGC # 08-0008

Respondent.

**AGREEMENT TO RELINQUISH LICENSE TO  
PRACTICE DENTISTRY**

WHEREAS, the State Board of Dentistry (the Board) has received a request to Relinquish a license to practice dentistry with respect to Edmund L. Karesh, DMD, (Respondent). Such requests are pursuant to Respondent being declared permanently and totally disabled (see Exhibit A); and

WHEREAS, Respondent has advised that he wishes to cease the practice of dentistry immediately, waive further proceedings, and give up forevermore the right to practice dentistry in South Carolina; and

WHEREAS, Respondent understands that he has the right to a hearing and to be represented by counsel in this matter. Respondent understands and agrees that by entering into this Agreement he voluntarily relinquishes any right to judicial review. Respondent freely, knowingly, and voluntarily waives any and all such rights and further proceedings in this matter. Respondent understands and agrees that he will not be eligible to reapply for a license to practice dentistry in this State in the future. Respondent understands and agrees that, once signed, this Agreement is irrevocable on his part and shall not be subject to judicial review; and

WHEREAS, it is understood and agreed that, pursuant to the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, this is a public document.

THEREFORE, Respondent does hereby agree to relinquish permanently his right to practice dentistry in South Carolina, effective immediately upon acceptance by the Board.

**AND IT IS SO AGREED.**

WE AGREE

RESPONDENT

12/20/07  
Date

ATTORNEY FOR RESPONDENT

12/20/2007  
Date

ATTORNEY for the S.C. Department  
of Labor, Licensing & Regulation

1/7/2008  
Date

SOUTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DENTISTRY

ACCEPTED by the Board this

11<sup>th</sup> day of JAN.

BY:

G. Douglas Snowden, D.M.D.  
President of the Board



**South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation**

Mark Sanford  
Governor

Adrienne Riggins Youmans  
Director

**South Carolina Board of Dentistry**

110 Centerview Drive  
Post Office Box 11329  
Columbia, SC 29211-1329  
Phone: (803) 896-4599  
FAX: (803) 896-4596  
[www.llr.state.sc.us](http://www.llr.state.sc.us)

January 14, 2008

**CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT**

Edmund L. Karesch, DMD  
26 Indigo Point Drive  
Charleston, SC 29407

RE: Dental License #2875

Dear Dr. Karesch:

Enclosed you will find your copy of the executed **AGREEMENT TO RELINQUISH LICENSE TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY** signed as accepted by the Board President. Please be advised Dr. Karesch that you can no longer practice Dentistry in the State of South Carolina and you are required to return your wall certificate to the Board office. Upon receipt of this Agreement please return your wall certificate to: LLR- Board of Dentistry, Attn: Rion Alvey, 110 Centerview Drive, Post Office Box 11329, Columbia, South Carolina 29211-1329.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (803) 896-4599.

Sincerely,

*M720*  
Rion H. Alvey  
Administrator  
SC Board of Dentistry

RHA/kp  
Enclosure

cc: Dr. J. Douglas Snowden, Board President  
Pat Hanks, Assistant General Counsel  
SC Dept. of Labor, Licensing & Regulation

**SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION  
BEFORE THE STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY**

In the Matter of:

**EDMUND L. KARESH, D.M.D.,  
License # 2875**

**AGREEMENT TO RELINQUISH LICENSE TO  
PRACTICE DENTISTRY**

**OIE # 2007-79  
OGC # 08-0008**

**Respondent.**

**WHEREAS**, the State Board of Dentistry (the Board) has received a request to Relinquish a license to practice dentistry with respect to Edmund L. Karesh, DMD, (Respondent). Such requests are pursuant to Respondent being declared permanently and totally disabled (see Exhibit A); and

**WHEREAS**, Respondent has advised that he wishes to cease the practice of dentistry immediately, waive further proceedings, and give up forevermore the right to practice dentistry in South Carolina; and

**WHEREAS**, Respondent understands that he has the right to a hearing and to be represented by counsel in this matter. Respondent understands and agrees that by entering into this Agreement he voluntarily relinquishes any right to judicial review. Respondent freely, knowingly, and voluntarily waives any and all such rights and further proceedings in this matter. Respondent understands and agrees that he will not be eligible to reapply for a license to practice dentistry in this State in the future. Respondent understands and agrees that, once signed, this Agreement is irrevocable on his part and shall not be subject to judicial review; and

**WHEREAS**, it is understood and agreed that, pursuant to the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act, this is a public document.

**THEREFORE**, Respondent does hereby agree to relinquish permanently his right to practice dentistry in South Carolina, effective immediately upon acceptance by the Board.

**AND IT IS SO AGREED.**

WE AGREE

RESPONDENT

12/20/07  
Date

ATTORNEY FOR RESPONDENT

12/20/2007  
Date

ATTORNEY for the S.C. Department  
of Labor, Licensing & Regulation

1/7/2008  
Date

SOUTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DENTISTRY

ACCEPTED by the Board this  
11<sup>th</sup> day of JAN.

BY: D. Douglas Snowden, D.M.D.  
President of the Board