

**STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS BRANCH**

Re: Teresita Mascardo, M.D., P.C.
d/b/a CT Plastic Surgery Center, LLC
598 Danbury Road
Ridgefield, CT 06877
License No. 0310

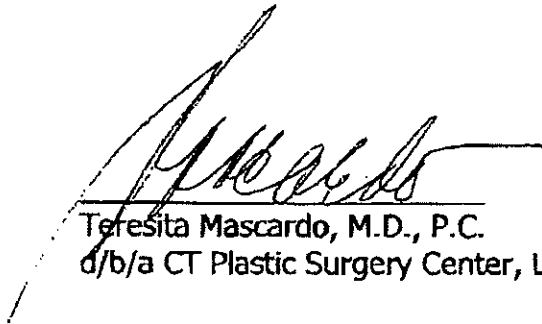
VOLUNTARY SURRENDER OF LICENSE AFFIDAVIT

Teresita Mascardo, MD, P.C. d/b/a/ CT Plastic Surgery Center, LLC, President and Member, respectively, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

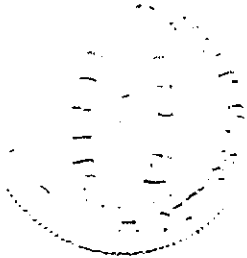
1. I am over the age of majority and understand the obligations of an oath.
2. I make this Affidavit on the basis of personal knowledge.
3. I am the President of Teresita Mascardo, MD, P.C., and I am the sole Member of CT Plastic Surgery Center, LLC, and I am authorized to sign this Affidavit on behalf of the Professional Corporation and the Limited Liability Company.
4. Teresita Mascardo, M.D., P.C. d/b/a CT Plastic Surgery Center, LLC of Ridgefield, Connecticut ("CT Plastic Surgery") is licensed by the Connecticut Department of Public Health (hereinafter "the Department") to operate an outpatient surgical facility in Connecticut. CT Plastic Surgery presently holds license number 0310. I am a Member of CT Plastic Surgery Center, LLC and I am authorized to sign this Affidavit on behalf of CT Plastic Surgery and Teresita Mascardo, M.D., P.C.
5. CT Plastic Surgery hereby voluntarily surrenders its license to operate a surgical center in Connecticut.
6. While I deny the allegations contained in the Statement of Charges, I understand and agree that if CT Plastic Surgery or any of its officers or members or I seek a new license or to reinstate the facility license at any time in the future, the allegations contained in the Statement of Charges dated December 4, 2009 shall be deemed true. I further understand that any such application must be made to the Department which shall have absolute and complete discretion as to whether said license shall be issued or reinstated and, if so, whether said license shall be subject to conditions.


7. I hereby waive any right to a hearing CT Plastic Surgery or any of its officers or members or I may have regarding any request that the license be reinstated or that a new license be issued and also waive any right that CT Plastic Surgery or any of its officers or members or I may have to appeal or otherwise challenge the disposition of any such request.
8. I understand and agree that this Affidavit and the Department's file are public documents, unless otherwise protected by federal and state law and regulations, and I am executing this Affidavit in settlement of the allegations contained in the Statement of Charges dated December 4, 2009.
9. I understand and agree that this Affidavit is a reportable event and is public information. This Surrender Affidavit constitutes disciplinary action and will be so classified in public disclosures and reporting.
10. I understand that this document has no effect unless and until it is executed by the Department; and that, upon execution, the Department will dismiss its case against CT Plastic Surgery.
11. I have consulted with an attorney prior to signing this Affidavit.
12. I understand that the execution of this document has no bearing on any criminal liability without the written consent of the Director of the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit or the Bureau Chief of the Division of Criminal Justice's Statewide Prosecution Bureau.
13. I understand that the purpose of this agreement is to terminate the pending matter against CT Plastic Surgery's license and is not intended to affect any claim of civil liability that might be brought against me or against CT Plastic Surgery.

14. I have reviewed Conn. Gen. Stat. § 19a-490b(e) and Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies § 19-13-D56(f)(4), and I agree that CT Plastic Surgery will fully comply with these sections.


Teresita Mascardo, M.D., P.C.
d/b/a CT Plastic Surgery Center, LLC

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of December, 2009.




Notary Public
Commissioner of Superior Court

JASON M. SCALZO
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 3/31/11

Accepted: Wendy H. Furniss
Wendy Furniss, R.N., M.S.
Branch Chief
Healthcare Systems Branch

December 11, 2009