



May 8, 2019

Dear Governor Cooper-

Ohio Advocates for Medical Freedom (OAMF) has been closely following a court case in North Carolina in which you, your Attorney General, most of your legislators, and many in the media are well aware. There have been countless infractions on law, court precedence, court procedure, and ethics in association with this case.

Whistleblower, Attorney Alan Phillips; OAMF; and a number of other organizations nationwide have filed complaints of misconduct with the North Carolina State Bar. Legal precedent says the North Carolina State Bar can't investigate itself: *Boyce v. N.C. State Bar*, 814 S.E.2d 127 (N.C. App., 2018), yet the corrupt organization has dismissed these complaints without any formal investigation.

Attached you will find a letter that is addressed to North Carolina State Bar Executive Director Mine, accompanied by nearly 4,000 signatures our organization has collected in the past couple weeks, demanding that the Bar initiate the independent review of the alleged misconduct as required by North Carolina law. Director Mine has ignored these calls for an independent review.

We respectfully request that you utilize your executive authority to pursue an immediate investigation into the claims of misconduct within the North Carolina State Bar.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Stock
President, OAMF

Dear Executive Director Mine:

It has come to my attention that the North Carolina State Bar has been investigating, in some capacity, North Carolina Vaccine Rights Attorney Alan Phillips for at least the past two years, and after an inability to identify any evidence of wrongdoing, the Bar has filed a lawsuit against Mr. Phillips in a fishing expedition to somehow justify their otherwise unjustified pursuit of Mr. Phillips' license to practice law.

My understanding is that Mr. Phillips has filed several complaints, requesting that an independent review look into the State Bar's actions in this matter. It is also my understanding that a number of organizations and individuals filed complaints with the Grievance Committee also requesting such action. All of these requests are congruent with NC law [Boyce v. NC State Bar, 814 S.E.2d 127 (N.C. App., 2018)]. However, the NC Bar has failed to address these complaints.

It is common knowledge that Mr. Phillips has consulted with clients and their attorneys all over the country regarding a variety of vaccine-related issues. As you're aware, it is common practice for attorneys with expertise in a specialized subject matter to consult on related legal matters throughout the country. These attorneys do so without question, yet the State Bar continues to pursue Mr. Phillips without any evidence of malpractice. So I can only assume that the reason Mr. Phillips is being harassed is because of his chosen specialty - vaccine law.

As a member of the vaccine risk aware community, I find it deplorable that the Bar would attempt to intimidate Mr. Phillips, and indirectly those in our community, and I respectfully request that you immediately pursue an independent review of the Bar's actions in this matter, and withdraw the lawsuit against Mr. Phillips until such review is complete.

Sincerely,

****Below Signatures****

CC: Attorney General Josh Stein

CC: Governor Roy Cooper

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3779 signatures were sent accompanying this letter.