DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Drug Enforcement Administration

[Docket No. DEA–392]

Bulk Manufacturer of Controlled Substances Registration

ACTION: Notice of registration.

SUMMARY: The registrant listed below has applied for and been granted a registration by the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) as a bulk manufacturer of a schedule I controlled substance.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The company listed below applied to be registered as a bulk manufacturer of a controlled substance. Information on the previously published notice is listed in the table below. No comments or objections were submitted for this notice.

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The DEA has considered the factors in 21 U.S.C. 823(a) and determined that the registration of this registrant to manufacture the applicable basic classes of controlled substances is consistent with the public interest and with United States obligations under international treaties, conventions, or protocols in effect on May 1, 1971. The DEA investigated the company’s maintenance of effective controls against diversion by inspecting and testing the company’s physical security systems, verifying the company’s compliance with state and local laws, and reviewing the company’s background and history.

Therefore, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 823(a), and in accordance with 21 CFR 1301.33, the DEA has granted a registration as a bulk manufacturer to the above listed company.

Dated: November 30, 2018.

John J. Martin,
Assistant Administrator.

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[Docket No. 18–21]

Decision and Order: Zelideh I. Cordova-Velazco, M.D.

On February 27, 2018, the Acting Assistant Administrator, Diversion Control Division, issued an Order to Show Cause to Zelideh I. Cordova-Velazco, M.D. (Respondent), of Puerto Rico. The Show Cause Order proposed the denial of the Respondent’s application for a DEA Certificate of Registration in Puerto Rico as a practitioner, Control No. W16052461C, on the grounds that Respondent materially falsified that application. Order to Show Cause, at 1 (citing 21 U.S.C. 824(a)(1)).

With respect to the Agency’s jurisdiction, the Show Cause Order alleged that on June 16, 2016, Respondent applied for a DEA Registration as a practitioner in schedules II through V at the proposed business address of Hacienda Del Dorado, K1 Calle Delonix, Toa Alta, Puerto Rico. Id. The Order also alleged that DEA assigned Control No. W16052461C to the application. Id.

As to the substantive grounds for the proceeding, the Show Cause Order alleged that Respondent previously held DEA Certificate of Registration No. BC4141139 in Michigan. Id. at 2. In addition, the Order alleged that Respondent “voluntarily surrendered for cause” that Registration “on or about January 17, 2014.” Id. The Order further alleged that Respondent materially falsified her application for a new DEA Registration in Puerto Rico on June 16, 2016 with respect to two liability questions on the application. Id. The Order alleged that the first material falsification was that the Respondent answered “N” when asked: “Has the applicant ever surrendered (for cause) or had a federal controlled substance registration revoked, suspended, restricted or denied, or is any such action pending?” Id. The Order alleged that the second material falsification was that Respondent answered “N” when asked: “Has the applicant ever surrendered (for cause) or had a state professional license or controlled substance registration revoked, suspended, denied, restricted, or placed