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Orthopedic Surgeon to Lead State Physician Group

(CHARLOTTE, Oct. 19)—The North Carolina Medical Society will install its 154th president Saturday night at The Westin Charlotte. G. Hadley Callaway, MD, an orthopedic surgeon from Raleigh, will take the oath of office during the Medical Society's 2007 Annual Meeting. At the age of 45, he will be one of the youngest physicians to ever lead the state's largest and oldest professional organization. He succeeds Darlyne Menscer, MD, of Charlotte.

A native of Maryville, TN, Dr. Callaway has been actively involved in the Medical Society since 1995. He was elected to the Board of Directors in 2002 and was past president of the Wake County Medical Society.

Dr. Callaway attended the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill as a Morehead Scholar and graduated with honors, along with being inducted into Phi Beta Kappa. He received his medical degree from the Harvard School of Medicine, graduating cum laude. He continued a family tradition by following in the footsteps of his father, uncle, grandfather and great uncle, who were all surgeons.

He interned in general surgery at Cornell-New York Hospital in Manhattan and honed his orthopedic surgery skills at the Hospital for Special Surgery, where modern knee replacement surgery was invented. While at HSS, he worked on the medical staff of the NY Giants professional football team.

Dr. Callaway has been in private practice since joining Raleigh Orthopedic Clinic in 1994. He is also Clinical Instructor in Orthopedic Surgery at the UNC-CH School of Medicine. He is on the hospital staff of Rex Healthcare and WakeMed.

He has been actively involved with sports medicine, having served as team physician for the Leesville High School football team, head team physician for the NHL Carolina Hurricanes, and head team physician for the USA in the 2006 World Hockey Championships.

Dr. Callaway and his wife, the former Cameron Smith, live in Raleigh with their three children, Darden, Sherwood and Lee.

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