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**IN RE: ANDREW L. PRATT** ) **CONSENT AGREEMENT**  
 of Windsor, Maine ) **FOR WARNING AND**  
 License #R024004 ) **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER**  
 License #P006408 )

**INTRODUCTION**

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Andrew L. Pratt's license to practice registered professional and practical nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. §§ 2105-A(1-A)(A), (1-A)(C), 10 M.R.S.A. §§ 8003(5)(A-1)(1), (A-1)(4) and § 8003(5)(B). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Andrew L. Pratt ("Licensee"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Office of the Attorney General, State of Maine. The parties met in an informal conference held on February 27, 2004. The parties reached this Agreement on the basis of information submitted by St. Mary's Regional Medical Center, Lewiston, Maine, in two provider reports dated June 10 and June 12 of 2003 and on the basis of information submitted by Redington Fairview General Hospital, Skowhegan, Maine, in a provider report dated August 28, 2003. In addition, the Board was provided with information from the State of Maine Board of Funeral Service ("Funeral Board") regarding Mr. Pratt's noncompliance with a Consent Agreement entered into with the Funeral Board dated April 11, 2002.

**FACTS**

1. Andrew L. Pratt has been a registered professional nurse licensed to practice in Maine since 1980.
2. Andrew L. Pratt was assigned to the Adult Psychiatric Unit at St. Mary's Regional Medical Center on March 16, 2003 and was found sleeping on duty. Mr. Pratt was the only RN on the unit at this time.
3. Andrew L. Pratt was employed by Diversified Staffing Group as an agency nurse. On August 24, 2003, Mr. Pratt was assigned to Redington Fairview General Hospital to work the night shift in SCU. While on that shift he was found sleeping on duty.
4. Andrew L. Pratt filed an application for the renewal of his registered professional nurse license, which was preliminarily denied by the Board pursuant 10 M.R.S.A. §8003(5)(C)(3), because Mr. Pratt was not in compliance with the Funeral Board's Consent Agreement dated April 11, 2002, which is attached and marked as Exhibit A.



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5. In lieu of an adjudicatory hearing Andrew L. Pratt has offered to voluntarily surrender his registered professional nurse license on July 6, 2004, to resolve the issue of noncompliance with the Funeral Board's Consent Agreement.

### AGREEMENT

6. The Maine State Board of Nursing will accept Andrew L. Pratt's voluntary surrender of his registered professional nurse license No. R024224 and practical nurse license No. P006408 to be effective July 6, 2004.
7. Andrew L. Pratt will be eligible to reapply for his registered professional and practical nurse license when the Board, through its assistant attorney general, receives notification from the Funeral Board that Mr. Pratt has paid all the monies due pursuant to the Funeral Board's Consent Agreement, or has made other arrangements satisfactory to the Funeral Board, Exhibit A.
8. In addition, Andrew L. Pratt agrees and understands that based upon the above stated facts in Paragraph No. 2 and No. 3 his conduct constitutes grounds for discipline of registered professional nurse license under Title 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(F), (2)(H) and Chapter 4.1.A.6. Andrew L. Pratt is hereby **WARNED** for unprofessional conduct.
9. When Andrew L. Pratt's license is renewed to practice registered professional or licensed practical nursing in the State of Maine it will be for a probationary status with conditions. The period of probation will be for a period of two years.
10. Andrew L. Pratt understands that this Consent Agreement imposes discipline regarding his license to practice registered professional nursing in the State of Maine. Mr. Pratt understands that he does not have to execute this Consent Agreement and that he has the right to consult with an attorney before entering into this Consent Agreement.
11. Andrew L. Pratt affirms that he executes this Consent Agreement of his own free will.
12. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all the parties.
13. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee, but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.

14 This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

I, ANDREW L. PRATT HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING CONSENT AGREEMENT. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING IT, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS. I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY, WITHOUT ANY THREAT OR PROMISE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND.

DATED: June 29, 2004 Andrew L. Pratt  
ANDREW L. PRATT

DATED: 6/29/04 Bret Baber  
BRET BABER, ESQ.  
Attorney for Andrew L. Pratt

FOR THE MAINE STATE  
BOARD OF NURSING

DATED: June 29, 2004 Myra A. Broadway  
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FOR THE OFFICE OF THE  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATED: June 30, 2004 John H. Richards  
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