

BEFORE THE VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE: SANDRA MARIE ROSADO, R.N. REINSTATEMENT APPLICANT
License Number: 0001-213307
Suspension Date: December 12, 2013
Case Number: 179525

**NOTICE OF INFORMAL CONFERENCE
AND STATEMENT OF ALLEGATIONS**

You are hereby notified that an Informal Conference has been scheduled before the Board of Nursing ("Board") regarding your application for reinstatement of your license to practice professional nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia following its suspension by the Board.

TYPE OF PROCEEDING:	This is an informal conference before a Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board.
DATE AND TIME:	October 11, 2017 2:30 P.M.
PLACE:	Virginia Department of Health Professions Perimeter Center - 9960 Mayland Drive 2 nd Floor - Virginia Conference Center Henrico, Virginia 23233

LEGAL AUTHORITY AND JURISDICTION:

1. This informal conference is being held pursuant to Virginia Code §§ 2.2-4019 and 54.1-2400(10). This proceeding will be convened as a public meeting pursuant to Virginia Code § 2.2-3700.
2. The burden rests on you, as the applicant, to demonstrate that you are prepared to resume the safe and competent practice of professional nursing.
3. In considering your application, the Committee will consider evidence that grounds exist to deny your application for reinstatement of your license to practice professional nursing, as more fully set out in the enclosed Statement of Allegations.
4. At the conclusion of the proceeding, the Committee is authorized to take any of the following actions:
 - Approve your application and issue an unrestricted license to practice professional nursing.
 - Approve your application and issue a reprimand, a monetary penalty, and/or a restricted license subject to terms and conditions.

- Deny your application;
- Refer the matter to the Board for a formal administrative hearing.

ABSENCE OF APPLICANT AND APPLICANT'S COUNSEL:

If you fail to appear at the informal conference, the Committee may proceed to hear this matter in your absence and may take any of the actions outlined above.

APPLICANT'S LEGAL RIGHTS:

You have the right to the information on which the Committee will rely in making its decision, to be represented by counsel at this proceeding, to subpoena witnesses and/or documents, and to present relevant evidence on your behalf.

INFORMAL CONFERENCE MATERIALS:

Enclosed is a copy of the documents that will be distributed to the members of the Committee and will be considered by the Committee when discussing any allegations with you and when deliberating on your case. **These documents are enclosed only with the notice sent by certified mail, which you may be required to claim at the post office. Please bring these documents with you to the informal conference.**

FILING DEADLINES:

Deadline for filing materials: **October 4, 2017**. Submit 5 copies of all documents you want the Board to consider to Darlene Graham, Board of Nursing, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233. Exhibits may not be sent by facsimile or e-mail.

REQUEST FOR A CONTINUANCE

Absent exigent circumstances, such as personal or family illness, a request for a continuance after **October 4, 2017**, will not be considered. If you obtain counsel, you should do so as soon as possible, as a motion for a continuance due to the unavailability of counsel will not be considered unless received by **October 4, 2017**.

STATEMENT OF ALLEGATIONS

The Board alleges that grounds exist to refuse to reinstate the license of Sandra Marie Rosado to practice professional nursing in that

1. Ms. Rosado violated Virginia Code § 54.1-3007(1) and (7) of the Code and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(1)(b) (currently found at 18 VAC 90-19-230(A)(1)(b) effective February 24, 2017) of the Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing in that:

a. By Letter of Reprimand dated March 7, 2012, the Arkansas Board reprimanded Ms. Rosado and ordered her to complete the Arkansas Board-approved course, *Righting a Wrong: Ethics and Professionalism in Nursing*, within six months of receipt of the Letter of Reprimand and submit a two page summary of the course. This action by the Arkansas Board was based on findings that Ms. Rosado falsely answered “no” to the question, “Are you under investigation in any state or jurisdiction or has your license been disciplined by any state since your last renewal,” on her online applications to renew her license to practice professional nursing and her license to practice as a certified registered nurse anesthetist in the State of Arkansas on or about March 16, 2011, when, in fact, she had been disciplined by the Nevada Board of Nursing on September 15, 2010.

b. By Letter of Reprimand signed January 1, 2012, the North Carolina Board of Nursing reprimanded Ms. Rosado for providing false information on the application for renewal of her license to practice nursing in the State of North Carolina, which she submitted on or about September 21, 2011. Specifically, Ms. Rosado answered “no” to the question regarding whether she had any prior or pending action against a nursing license issued to her from another state since she last renewed in North Carolina that had not been previously reported to the North Carolina Board, when, in fact, she had been disciplined by the Nevada Board of Nursing on September 15, 2010.

c. By Agreement for Fine accepted and approved on September 15, 2010, the Nevada Board of Nursing issued a fine of \$50.00 to Ms. Rosado and ordered her to complete a Nevada Board-approved four-hour bioterrorism course for falsely attesting that she had completed all mandatory continuing education during the renewal period on a RN/CRNA renewal application she submitted to the Nevada Board on or about February 2, 2010.



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Executive Director
Virginia Board of Nursing

September 11, 2007
Date