VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

YVONNDA P. SISK, R.N.

ORDER

Pursuant to § 2.2-4019, § 2.2-4021, § 54.1-2400(10) and § 54.1-3010 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended (the "Code"), a Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Nursing, met on August 26, 2003, in Henrico County, Virginia, to receive and act upon evidence that Yvonnda P. Sisk, R.N., may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the practice of professional nursing in Virginia. Ms. Sisk was present and was not represented by counsel. Upon consideration of the evidence presented, the Committee adopted the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Yvonnda P. Sisk, R.N., holds license no. 0001-085825, which expires on May 31, 2004, and which was issued by the Virginia Board of Nursing.
- On or about July 3f, 2003, Ms. Sisk was properly noticed for an informal conference scheduled for August 26, 2003.
- 3. Based on the finding that no report of possible violation of law or regulation has been made against Ms. Sisk other than impairment, the Committee defers further findings of fact concerning Ms. Sisk.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Based on the above Findings of Fact, the Committee concludes that Yvonnda P. Sisk, R.N., is a candidate for the Health Practitioners' Intervention Program ("HPIP").

<u>ORDER</u>

On the basis of the foregoing, the Virginia Board of Nursing, effective upon entry of this Order, hereby ORDERS that it shall Take No Action at this time contingent expressly upon Ms. Sisk's compliance

with the following terms and conditions:

- 1. Ms. Sisk shall enter into the Health Practitioners' Intervention Program ("HPIP"), pursuant to Chapter 25.1 of Title 54.1 of the Code, and 18 VAC 76-10-10, et seq., of the Regulations Governing the HPIP and shall have proof of entry into a Contract provided to the Board within thirty (30) days of the entry of this Order.
- Ms. Sisk shall comply with all terms and conditions of the HPIP for the period specified in the Contract.
- 3. Any violation of the terms and conditions stated in this Order shall be reason for revoking the license of Ms. Sisk, and an administrative proceeding shall be held to decide whether his license shall be revoked. Ms. Sisk shall be noticed to appear before a Committee at such time as the Board is notified that:
 - a) Ms. Sisk has failed to make application, or
 - b) Ms. Sisk is not in compliance with the terms and conditions of the HPIP, or has been terminated from participation in the HPIP, or
 - c) There is a pending investigation or unresolved allegations against Ms. Sisk involving a violation of law, regulation or any term or condition of probation or this order, or
 - d) Ms. Sisk has successfully completed the above-referenced period of participation in the HPIP. However, upon receipt of evidence of Ms. Sisk' participation in and compliance with the HPIP, the Committee, at its discretion, may waive Ms. Sisk' appearance before the Committee, and conduct an administrative review of this matter.

If Ms. Sisk does not consent to the committee's decision and desires a hearing before the Board or a panel thereof, she shall notify Jay P. Douglas, R.N., M.S.M., C.S.A.C., Executive Director, Board of Nursing, in writing, at 6603 W. Broad Street, Fifth Floor, Richmond, Virginia 23230-1712 within thirty-three (33) days from the date of entry of this Order. This Order shall become final upon the expiration of the thirty-

three (33) day period unless a written request for a formal hearing is received within such time. Upon receiving timely request for a hearing, the Board or panel thereof shall then proceed with a hearing as provided in § 2.2-4020 and § 2.2-4021 of the Code.

Pursuant to § 2.2-4023 of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying on request.

FOR THE BOARD

Jay P. Douglas, R.N., M.S.N., C.S.A.C.

Executive Director for the
Board of Nursing

September 30, 2003 ENTERED

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a certified true copy of the foregoing Order was mailed on this day to Yvonnda P. Sisk, R.N., at 1701 Florence Avenue, Chester, Virginia 23831.

Jay P. Douglas, R.N., M.S.N., C.S.A.C.

Executive Director for the

Board of Nursing

September 30, 2003

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