VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

LATAURUS CAMPBELL, R.M.A.

Registration No.: 0031-007650

<u>ORDER</u>

In accordance with §§ 2.2-4019, 2.2-4021 and 54.1-2400(10) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), an informal conference was conducted on behalf of the Board of Nursing ("Board") on March 17, 2015, in Henrico County, Virginia. LaTaurus Campbell, R.M.A., was present and was not represented by legal counsel. Jane Elliott, R.N., Ph.D., serving as Agency Subordinate for the Board,

submitted a Recommended Decision for consideration.

On May 20, 2015, a quorum of the Board met to receive and act upon the Recommended Decision

of the Agency Subordinate. Ms. Campbell was not present nor was she represented by legal counsel.

Based upon its review of the Recommended Decision of the Agency Subordinate, the Board

makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and issues the following Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. LaTaurus Campbell, R.M.A., was issued Registration No. 0031-007650 to practice as a

medication aide in Virginia on April 25, 2014. The registration is scheduled to expire on October 31,

2015.

2. By letter dated February 20, 2015, the Board of Nursing sent a Notice of Informal

Conference ("Notice") to Ms. Campbell notifying her that an informal conference would be held on

March 17, 2015. The Notice was sent by certified and first class mail to 123 Engleside Drive, Richmond,

Virginia 23222, the address of record on file with the Board of Nursing.

3. On September 6, 2014 and September 7, 2014, during the course of her employment

with The Lynnmore, Richmond, Virginia, Ms. Campbell failed to administer medications to nine residents during her shift. Further, Ms. Campbell failed to accurately document the Medication Administration Record.

- 4. Ms. Campbell falsified her application to The Lynnmore by noting that she provided private care and passed medications in a prior position when she had not actually done so.
- 5. Ms. Campbell stated at the informal conference that she did not remember that she missed administering medications to nine residents that day, but she admitted that she did not check behind herself like she was instructed to do during her medication administration training.
- 6. Ms. Campbell stated that she resigned her employment with The Lynnmore in lieu of termination.
- 7. Ms. Campbell had been terminated from three places of employment, and had one voluntary resignation since 2013.
- 8. Ms. Campbell stated that she was currently enrolled in the pre-nursing program at J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. Finding of Fact No. 3 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(2), (5) and (8) of the Code and 18 VAC90-60-110 (A)(2) and 18 VAC 90-60-120(2)(d), (I) and (m) of the Regulations Governing the Registration of Medication Aides ("Regulations").
- 2. Finding of Fact No. 4 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(2), (5) and (8) of the Code and 18 VAC 90-60-120(2)(e) of the Regulations.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

1. Registration No. 0031-007650 of LaTaurus Campbell to practice as a medication aide is INDEFINITELY SUSPENDED.

2. The registration will be recorded as suspended and no longer current.

3. At such time as Ms. Campbell shall petition the Board for reinstatement of her registration, an administrative proceeding will be convened to determine whether she is capable of resuming the safe and competent practice as a registration aide. Ms. Campbell shall be responsible for any fees that may be required for the reinstatement and renewal of the registration prior to issuance of the registration to resume practice.

Pursuant to § 54.1-2400.2 of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as a public record, and shall be made available for public inspection and copying upon request.

Pursuant to Section 54.1-2400(10) of the Code, Ms. Campbell may, not later than 5:00 p.m., on June 29, 2015, notify Jay P. Douglas, M.S.M., R.N., C.S.A.C., F.R.E., Executive Director, Board of Nursing, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233, in writing that he/she desires a formal administrative hearing before the Board. Upon the filing with the Executive Director of a request for the hearing, this Order shall be vacated.

FOR THE BOARD:

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

Executive Director

Virginia Board of Nursing

ENTERED: May 27, 2015

This Order shall become final on June 29, 2015; unless a request for a formal administrative hearing is received as described above.

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