

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE: ROCHELL F. KEMP, L.P.N. REINSTATEMENT APPLICANT
License No.: 0002-083093

NOTICE OF HEARING

Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4020, 2.2-4024(F), and 54.1-2400(11) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), Rochell F. Kemp, L.P.N., who, prior to its suspension by the Department of Health Professions on April 29, 2015, held License No. 0002-083093 to practice practical nursing in Virginia, is hereby given notice that a formal administrative hearing will be held in the presence of a panel of the Board of Nursing. The hearing will be held on January 28, 2016, at 2:00 p.m., at the offices of the Department of Health Professions, Board of Nursing, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia 23233, at which time Ms. Kemp will be afforded the opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel.

At the hearing, Ms. Kemp has the following rights, among others: the right to representation by counsel; the right to have witnesses subpoenaed and to present witnesses on her behalf; the right to present documentary evidence; and the right to cross-examine adverse witnesses. If Ms. Kemp desires any witnesses to appear on her behalf, she must notify the Director of Administrative Proceedings, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233, in accordance with the Instructions for Requesting Subpoenas.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive and act upon the application of Rochell F. Kemp, L.P.N., for reinstatement of her license to practice practical nursing in Virginia and to inquire into evidence that Ms. Kemp may have violated certain laws governing practical nursing practice in Virginia, as more fully set forth in the Statement of Particulars below.

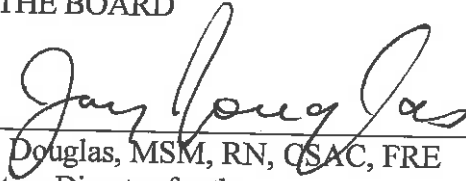
The burden rests upon Ms. Kemp, as the applicant, to demonstrate that she is capable of resuming the safe and competent practice of practical nursing in Virginia.

Pursuant to § 54.1-2409 of the Code, reinstatement of Ms. Kemp's license requires the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members of the Board in attendance at the hearing.

STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS

The Board alleges that Rochell F. Kemp, L.P.N., may have violated § 54.1-3007(4) of the Code in that on or about September 23, 2013, in the Circuit Court of Virginia Beach, Virginia, Ms. Kemp was convicted of five felony counts of obtaining food stamps under false pretenses. Said action formed the basis of the mandatory suspension of Ms. Kemp's license to practice practical nursing in Virginia.

FOR THE BOARD



Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, QSAC, FRE
Executive Director for the
Board of Nursing

ENTERED:

January 13TH, 2016