VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

CHRISTINA LOVE, L.P.N.

License No.: 0002-090474

ORDER OF SUMMARY SUSPENSION

Pursuant to §§ 54.1-110 and 54.1-2408.1 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), a

quorum of the Board of Nursing ("Board") met by telephone conference call on October 20, 2014, after a good

faith effort to convene a regular meeting of the Board had failed. The purpose of the meeting was to receive

and act upon certain information indicating that Christina Love, L.P.N., may have violated certain laws relating

to the practice of nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia, as more fully set forth in the attached "NOTICE OF

HEARING and STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS," which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference

herein.

WHEREUPON, pursuant to its authority under § 54.1-2408.1(A) of the Code, the Board concludes that a

substantial danger to public health or safety warrants this action and ORDERS that the license of Christina

Love, L.P.N., License No. 0002-090474, to practice as a practical nurse in the Commonwealth of Virginia is

hereby SUSPENDED. It is further ORDERED that a hearing be convened forthwith to receive and act upon

evidence in this case and that the Executive Director of the Board shall be authorized to execute this Order and

all other documents, notices and orders on behalf of the Board necessary to bring this matter to a hearing.

Upon entry of this Order, the license of Christina Love, L.P.N., will be recorded as suspended and no

longer current.

This Order shall be applicable to Ms. Love's multistate licensure privilege, if any, to practice practical

nursing.

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 or

copying on request.

FOR THE BOARD

Executive Director
Virginia Board of Nursing

Entered: October 24 3014

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By <u>Akaham</u> Virginia Board Of Nursing

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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"), Christina Love, L.P.N., who, prior to its summary suspension by the Board of Nursing on October

24, 2014, held License No. 0002-090474 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 November 19, 2014 at 11:00 a.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. Love will be afforded the opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel.

At the hearing, Ms. Love 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. Love 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 inquire into evidence that Christina Love, L.P.N., may have violated

certain laws governing nursing practice in Virginia, as more fully set forth in the Statement of Particulars

below.

STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS

The Board alleges that Christina Love, L.P.N., may have violated § 54.1-3007(6) of the Code in that

she may be unsafe to practice nursing due to mental illness, as evidenced by the following: On or about April

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30, 2014, Ms. Love was admitted to the Behavioral Health Unit of the Southside Regional Medical Center, Petersburg, Virginia, subsequent to a Temporary Detention Order. At admission she appeared to be psychotic, paranoid, and depressed, and seemed to have poor insight and judgment. Ms. Love was discharged on May 9, 2014 with a diagnosis of schizoaffective disorder.

FOR THE BOARD

Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, SAC, FRE

Executive Director for the

Board of Nursing

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