VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

DEBORAH H. WEEKS, R.N.

License No.: 0001-114157

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"), Deborah H. Weeks, R.N., who, prior to its suspension by the Board of Nursing on July 23, 2015,

held License No. 0001-114157 to practice professional 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 18, 2015, at 10:00 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. Weeks will be afforded the opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel.

At the hearing, Ms. Weeks 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. Weeks 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 Ms. Weeks may have violated certain

terms and conditions imposed on her as set forth in the Order of the Board entered on August 6, 2014, and

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 Deborah H. Weeks, R.N., may have violated 54.1-3007(6) of the Code and Term 3(a) of the Board's Order entered August 6, 2014, which required her to comply with all terms and conditions of the Health Practitioners' Monitoring Program ("HPMP"), in that on or about July 17, 2015, Ms. Weeks was dismissed from the HPMP for noncompliance with her program contract. Specifically, on or about April 30, 2015, Ms. Weeks submitted a diluted urine drug screen, on or about May 5, 2015, she had a positive Phosphatidylethanol ("PEth") test, and she stopped calling the testing line on May 18, 2015.

FOR THE BOARD

Jay P Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE

Executive Director for the

Board of Nursing

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