

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

GEORGIA C. WILLIS, L.P.N.

CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing, and Georgia C. Willis, L.P.N., with her consent as evidenced by her signature below, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. Willis' license to practice practical nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Georgia C. Willis, L.P.N., holds License No. 0002-022426 issued by the Virginia Board of Nursing.
2. During the course of her employment with the Department of Corrections, Coffeewood Correctional Center, Mitchells, Virginia:
 - a) On or about November 4, 1997, Ms. Willis received a Group II Offense for failure to follow a supervisor's instructions, perform assigned work or otherwise comply with applicable policy. Further, her employment was suspended from on or about November 13, 1997 through November 17, 1997.
 - b) In approximately mid-1996, by her own admission, Ms. Willis diverted several Tegretol tablets (carbamazepine, Schedule VI), for her personal use. As a result, she received a Group III Offense for theft or unauthorized removal of state property and her employment was suspended from on or about November 18, 1997 through November 22, 1997.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Board concludes that the above Findings of Fact constitute a violation of § 54.1-3007(2) and (5) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(2)(c) [formerly § 4.1(A)(2)(c)] of the Board of Nursing regulations.

CONSENT

Georgia C. Willis, L.P.N., by affixing her signature hereon, agrees to the following:

1. She acknowledges that she has been specifically advised to seek advice of counsel prior to signing this document;
2. She acknowledges that she is fully aware that without her consent, no legal action can be taken against her except pursuant to the Virginia Administrative Process Act, § 9-6.14:1, et seq., of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended;
3. She acknowledges that she has the following rights among others: the right to an informal fact finding conference before the Board, to reasonable notice of said administrative proceeding, to representation by counsel, and the right to present witnesses and evidence on her behalf;
4. She waives all such right to an informal conference;
5. She admits to the above Findings of Fact;
6. She consents to the entry of the following Order affecting her practice of professional nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, the Virginia Board of Nursing, effective upon entry of this Consent Order, and in lieu of further proceedings, hereby ORDERS that License No. 0002-022426, issued to Georgia C. Willis, L.P.N., be and hereby is REPRIMANDED.

Pursuant to § 9-6.14:14 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, the signed original of this Consent 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

Lora A. Dury
Lora A. Dury, R.N., B.S.N., C.G.R.N
President

ENTERED: 9/22/98

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

Georgia C Willis
Georgia C. Willis, L.P.N.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,
COUNTY/CITY OF Culpeper, TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me Cynthia Cheatham, a Notary Public, this _____
day of 11th September, 1998.
My commission expires the 31st day of December, 1998.

Cynthia Taylor Cheatham
Notary Public