VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

LUTHER SURFACE, R.N. LICENSE NO.: 0001-227865

ORDER

Now comes the Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Luther Surface, R.N., as evidenced by the signature affixed below, enter into this Order affecting the license of Mr. Surface to practice professional nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

FINDINGS OF FACT

After consideration of the evidence and statements concerning the allegations, the Committee makes the following Findings of Fact:

- 1. Luther Surface, R.N., was issued License No. 0001-227865 to practice as a professional nurse in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Said license expires on June 30, 2016.
- 2. By Order entered October 15, 2010 Mr. Surface was made subject to certain terms and conditions. One of the terms of this Order was Mr. Surface's compliance with all terms and conditions of his contract with the Health Practitioners' Monitoring Program ("HPMP"), pursuant to Chapter 25.1 of Title 54.1 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, and 18 VAC 76-10-10, et seq., of the Regulations Governing the HPMP.
- 3. Mr. Surface has complied with all terms and conditions of the above Order; and has successfully completed his contract with the HPMP.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Board concludes that Luther Surface, R.N., has met the requirements of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, and the Regulations of the Board of Nursing, and the Order entered October 15, 2010, and this matter is properly before the Board.

<u>ORDER</u>

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law it is hereby ORDERED that the terms and conditions placed on the license of Luther Surface, R.N., to practice as a professional nurse in the Commonwealth of Virginia, be, and are hereby, TERMINATED.

Pursuant to § 2.2-4023 and 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.

Pursuant to § 54.1-2400(10) of the Code, Mr. Surface may, not later than 5:00 p.m., on December 3, 2015, notify Jay P. Douglas, Executive Director, Board of Nursing, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233, in writing that he 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, MSM, RN, CSAC, FR

Executive Director, Virginia Board of Nursing

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This Order shall become final on December 3, 2015 unless a request for a formal administrative hearing is received as described above.

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