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August 24, 2015

Sherry LaVerne Coles Pritchett
134 North Monroe Avenue
Covington, VA 24426

CERTIFIED MAIL

**DUPLICATE COPY
VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL**

RE: Certificate No.: 1401-054066

DATE 8/24/15

Dear Ms. Pritchett:

Pursuant to Section 54.1-2409 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, ("Code"), you are hereby given notice that your certification to practice as a certified nurse aide in the Commonwealth of Virginia has been mandatorily suspended by the enclosed Order entered August 24, 2015. You are hereby advised that, pursuant to Section 54.1-2409.1 of the Code, any person who practices a profession or occupation after having their license or certificate to do so suspended shall be guilty of a felony. Please return your certificate to Jay P. Douglas, Executive Director of the Virginia Board of Nursing, at the above address, immediately upon receipt of this letter.

Section 54.1-2409 of the Code further provides that you may apply to the Board of Nursing ("Board") for reinstatement of your certificate, and shall be entitled to a hearing not later than the next regular meeting of the Board after the expiration of sixty days from the receipt of such reinstatement application. You have the following rights, among others: to be represented by legal counsel, to have witnesses subpoenaed on your behalf, to present documentary evidence and to cross-examine adverse witnesses. The reinstatement of your certificate shall require the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members present of the Board of Nursing.

Should you wish to petition the Board of Nursing for reinstatement of your certificate, contact Jay P. Douglas, Executive Director, at the above address or (804) 367-4639.

Sincerely,

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David E. Brown, D.C., Director
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Enclosures
Case #164342

VA BD OF NURSING

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

IN RE: SHERRY LAVERNE COLES PRITCHETT, C.N.A.
Certificate No.: 1401-054066

ORDER

In accordance with Section 54.1-2409 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, ("Code"), I, David E. Brown, D.C., Director of the Virginia Department of Health Professions, received and acted upon evidence that Sherry LaVerne Coles Pritchett, C.N.A., was convicted of a felony charge in the Circuit Court for the City of Hampton, Virginia, to wit: One (1) Count of Shoplifting-3rd or any Subsequent Offense. A certified copy of the Sentencing Order is attached and is marked as Commonwealth's Exhibit No. 1.

WHEREFORE, by the authority vested in the Director of the Department of Health Professions pursuant to Section 54.1-2409 of the Code, it is hereby ORDERED that the certificate of Sherry LaVerne Coles Pritchett, C.N.A., to practice as a certified nurse aide in the Commonwealth of Virginia be, and hereby is, SUSPENDED.

Upon entry of this Order, the certificate of Sherry LaVerne Coles Pritchett, C.N.A., will be recorded as suspended. Should Ms. Pritchett seek reinstatement of her certificate pursuant to Section 54.1-2409 of the Code, she shall be responsible for any fees that may be required for the reinstatement and renewal of her certificate prior to issuance of her certificate to resume practice.

Pursuant to Sections 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 and copying upon request.



David E. Brown, D.C., Director
Department of Health Professions

ENTERED: 8/24/15



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CERTIFICATION OF DUPLICATE RECORDS

I, David E. Brown, D.C., Director of the Department of Health Professions, hereby certify that the attached Sentencing Order dated January 19, 2005, regarding Sherry LaVerne Coles Pritchett, C.N.A., are true copies of the records received from the Circuit Court for the City of Hampton, Virginia.



David E. Brown, D.C.

Date: 8/27/15

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY OF HAMPTON

DATE: January 19, 2005

JUDGE: Louis R. Lerner

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

vs.

CASE NO.: 05-20

SHERRY LAVERNE PRITCHETT, DEFENDANT

DOB: 10/18/62

SSN: [REDACTED]

SEX: Female

RACE: Black

OFFENSE
Shoplifting-3rd or sub (F)

CODE SECTION
18.2-103 & 18.2-104

OFFENSE DATE
9/1/04

SENTENCING ORDER

Attorney for the Commonwealth : Linda Curtis
Attorney for the Defendant : Richard Yarow
Court Reporter : Virginia Weaver

The defendant who appeared in Court according to the conditions of his recognizance, was present and represented by the appointed attorney named above.

A written plea agreement was presented to the Court, filed and made a part of the record.

The defendant plead GUILTY to the Indictment, which plea was tendered by the defendant in person.

The evidence was presented by a stipulation agreed to by the Commonwealth and the defendant.

The Court found the defendant GUILTY of Shoplifting-3rd or subsequent, as charged in §18.2-103 & 18.2-104.

Before pronouncing the sentence, the Court inquired if the defendant desired to

make a statement and if the defendant desired to advance any reason why judgment should not be pronounced.

The Court accepted the Plea Agreement and SENTENCED the defendant to:

Incarceration in the Virginia Department of Corrections for a term of three (3) Years.

The Court **SUSPENDED** two (2) years eleven (11) months twenty-seven (27) of the foregoing sentence for a period of three (3) years, upon the following conditions:

Good behavior. The defendant shall be of good behavior.

Supervised Probation. The defendant is placed on probation under the supervision of a Probation Officer of this Court for three (3) years from the date above, and the defendant shall comply with the probation rules of this Court provided by the Probation Officer and with all additional requirements set by the Probation Officer. Probation shall include substance abuse counseling and/or testing as prescribed by the Probation Officer.

Costs. The defendant shall pay costs of this proceeding, on or before =, as described in the payment plan presented by the defendant.

Credit provision when time to be served. The defendant shall be given credit for time spent in confinement while awaiting trial pursuant to Virginia §53.1-187.

DNA Testing. The defendant shall provide a blood sample before being released from custody in accordance with Section 19.2-310.2 and 19.2-310.3 of the Code of Virginia of 1950, as amended.

SENTENCING SUMMARY

TOTAL SENTENCE IMPOSED : 3 years
TOTAL TIME SUSPENDED : 2 years 11 months 27 days

S/LOUIS R. LERNER
JUDGE

Clerk:abb

I certify that the document to which this authentication is affixed is a true copy of an original record in the Hampton Circuit Court, that I have the custody of the record and I am the custodian of that record.

Linda Batchelor Smith, Clerk

By *Chris Laine*
Deputy Clerk