

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE: **ERIC WYATT, R.N.**
License No.: 0001-220170

CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Eric Wyatt, R.N., as evidenced by his signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Mr. Wyatt's license to practice professional nursing in Virginia.

The Board adopts the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Eric Wyatt, R.N., was issued License No. 0001-220170 to practice professional nursing by the Virginia Board of Nursing on July 17, 2009. Said license is set to expire on September 30, 2015. Mr. Wyatt's primary state of residence is Virginia.
2. By Board Order ("Board's Order") entered January 3, 2013, Mr. Wyatt was issued a Reprimand and the Board took no further action against Mr. Wyatt contingent upon his continued compliance with the Health Practitioners' Monitoring Program ("HPMP").
3. On May 29, 2014, Mr. Wyatt left a voicemail for his HPMP case manager indicating he wished to resign immediately. On June 4, 2014 the HPMP received a written letter of resignation dated June 2, 2014. Mr. Wyatt indicated his resignation was based on financial concerns and he was unable to pay for the numerous drug screens required each month.
4. On July 2, 2014, the HPMP notified Mr. Wyatt that his request to resign from the HPMP was accepted.
5. On September 17, 2014, during an interview with an investigator from the Virginia

Department of Health Professions, Mr. Wyatt indicated he had not worked since February, 2012, and he had applied for social security disability benefits.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Finding of Fact No. 3 constitutes a violation of Term No. 2 of the Board's Order.

CONSENT

Eric Wyatt, R.N., by affixing his signature hereon, agrees to the following:

1. He has been advised to seek advice of counsel prior to signing this document;
2. He acknowledges that without his consent, no legal action can be taken against him except pursuant to the Virginia Administrative Process Act, § 2.2-4000(A) *et seq.* of the Code;
3. He acknowledges that he has the following rights, among others: the right to an informal fact finding conference before the Board, the right to reasonable notice of said hearing, the right to representation by counsel, and the right to cross-examine witnesses against him;
4. He waives all such right to an informal conference;
5. He admits to the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained herein and waives his right to contest such Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law in any subsequent proceeding before the Board;
6. He consents to the entry of the following Order affecting his right to practice professional nursing in Virginia.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, the Virginia Board of Nursing, effective upon entry of this Order, and in lieu of further proceedings, hereby ORDERS as follows:

1. License No. 0001-220170 of Eric Wyatt, R.N., is INDEFINITELY SUSPENDED.
2. The license will be recorded as suspended and no longer current.
3. At such time as Mr. Wyatt shall petition the Board for reinstatement of his license, an

administrative proceeding will be convened to determine whether he is capable of resuming the safe and competent practice of nursing. Mr. Wyatt shall be responsible for any fees that may be required for the reinstatement and renewal of the license prior to issuance of the license to resume practice.

- 4. This suspension applies to any multistate privilege to practice professional nursing.
- 5. Mr. Wyatt is hereby REPRIMANDED.

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 public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying upon request.

FOR THE BOARD

[Handwritten Signature]

Jane Ingalls, R.N., Ph.D. Joyce A. Hahn, PhD, RN, MBA-BC, PHNAP
President, Virginia Board of Nursing

ENTERED: 3.24.15

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

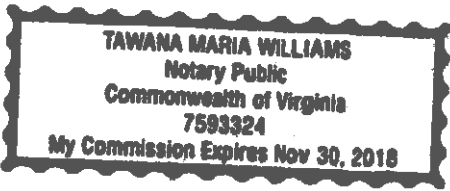
[Handwritten Signature]
Eric Wyatt, R.N.

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Tawana Maria Williams, a Notary Public, this 27th day of January, 2015.

My commission expires Nov. 30, 2018

Registration Number 7593324



Certified True Copy
By *[Handwritten Signature]*
Virginia Board of Nursing

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NOTARY PUBLIC