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VA BD OF NURSING

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

HEATHER PARKER, L.P.N. APPLICANT

CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Heather Parker, as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. Parker's application for licensure by examination to practice practical nursing in Virginia.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Heather Parker submitted an application for licensure by examination to practice practical nursing, which was received by the Board on April 28, 2014.
2. On November 12, 2010, Ms. Parker was convicted of shoplifting, a misdemeanor, in the Newport News General District Court. She was sentenced to 12 months incarceration, with 12 months suspended. She was also placed on probation and ordered to complete 20 hours of community service and pay restitution.
3. Ms. Parker submitted evidence that she completed community service, satisfied the imposed restitution, and was released from probation on May 6, 2011.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Finding of Fact No. 2 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(4) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code").
2. Ms. Parker otherwise meets the qualifications of § 54.1-3020 of the Code.

CONSENT

Heather Parker, by affixing her signature hereon, agrees to the following:

1. She has been advised to seek advice of counsel prior to signing this document;
2. She acknowledges that without her consent, no legal action can be taken against her except pursuant to the Virginia Administrative Process Act, § 2.2-4000(A) *et seq.* of the Code;
3. She acknowledges that she 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 her;
4. She waives all such right to an informal conference;
5. She admits to the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained herein and waives her right to contest such Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law in any subsequent proceeding before the Board;
6. She consents to the entry of the following Order affecting her application for licensure by examination to practice practical 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. The application of Heather Parker for licensure to practice as a practical nurse in Virginia is APPROVED. Upon successful completion of the NCLEX-PN Examination, Ms. Parker shall be issued an unrestricted license to practice as a practical nurse.
2. Ms. Parker is hereby REPRIMANDED.
3. Ms. Parker shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a practical nurse commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 *et seq.* of the Code and the Board of Nursing Regulations.

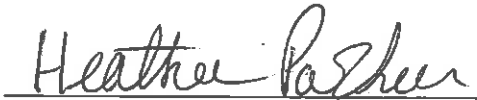
Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4023 and 54.1-2400.2 of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying upon request.

FOR THE BOARD


So Jay P. Douglas, M.S.M., R.N., C.S.A.C., F.R.E.
Executive Director, Virginia Board of Nursing

ENTERED: January 7, 2015

SEEN AND AGREED TO:


Heather Parker

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,
COUNTY/CITY OF James City, TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Jodie Hutchens, a Notary Public, this 29th day of December, 2014.

My Commission expires 11/30/16

Registration Number 7205085


NOTARY PUBLIC