

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE: **SHAREIDA GREEN, L.P.N.**  
**License No.: 0002-079959**

ORDER

Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4020, 54.1-110 and 54.1-2400(11) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), a formal administrative hearing was held before a panel of the Board of Nursing ("Board") on November 19, 2014, in Henrico County, Virginia, to inquire into evidence that Shareida Green, L.P.N., may have violated certain laws and regulations governing practical nursing practice in Virginia. The case was presented by David W. Kazzie, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division. Erin L. Barrett, Assistant Attorney General, was present as legal counsel for the Board. Ms. Green was not present and was not represented by legal counsel. The proceedings were recorded by a certified court reporter.

Upon consideration of the evidence presented, the Board adopted the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Shareida Green, L.P.N., was issued License No. 0002-079959 to practice as a practical nurse on March 10, 2009. Said license is scheduled to expire on February 28, 2015. Ms. Green's primary state of residence is Virginia.
2. Based upon the representations of Mr. Kazzie and Commonwealth's Exhibits #1 and #2, the Notice of Formal Hearing and Affidavit of Mailing, the presiding officer ruled that adequate notice was provided to the respondent and the hearing proceeded in her absence.
3. On November 5, 2012, during the course of her employment with Consulate Health Care of Norfolk, Norfolk, Virginia, Ms. Green restrained Resident A in her wheelchair by tying a sheet around her waist without justification or authorization. After tying up Resident A, Ms. Green covered her with a blanket. Another staff member observed Ms. Green tie the resident up; this action was done without a physician's

order and violated facility policy and state law.

4. On December 12, 2013, Ms. Green entered a plea of guilty in the Circuit Court of the City of Norfolk, Virginia, to a charge of neglect of an incapacitated adult in connection with this incident. According to the Stipulation of Facts accompanying the plea agreement filed with the Court, Ms. Green admitted in an interview with Consulate Health Care and the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of the Virginia Office of the Attorney General that she knew it was contrary to restrain the resident in this fashion.

5. Ms. Green's employment with Consulate Health Care was terminated following this incident.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Board concludes that Finding of Fact No. 3 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(2), (5), and (8) of the Code and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(2)(f) of the Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing.

### ORDER


WHEREFORE, the Virginia Board of Nursing, effective upon entry of this Order, hereby ORDERS as follows:

1. License No. 0002-079959 issued to Shareida Green, L.P.N., to practice practical nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia is hereby INDEFINITELY SUSPENDED for not less than two years.
2. The license of Ms. Green will be recorded as SUSPENDED and no longer current. Should Ms. Green seek reinstatement of her license consistent with this Order, she shall be responsible for any fees that may be required for the reinstatement of her license prior to issuance of her license to resume practice.
3. At such time as Ms. Green shall petition the Board for reinstatement of her license, an administrative proceeding will be convened to determine whether she is able to return to the safe and competent practice of practical nursing.
4. This Order shall be applicable to Ms. Green's multistate licensure privileges, if any, to practice practical nursing.

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 on request.


FOR THE BOARD

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE  
Executive Director  
Virginia Board of Nursing

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
ENTERED

**NOTICE OF RIGHT TO APPEAL**

As provided by Rule 2A:2 of the Supreme Court of Virginia, you have 30 days from the date you are served with this Order in which to appeal this decision by filing a Notice of Appeal with Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE, Executive Director, Board of Nursing, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233. The service date shall be defined as the date you actually received this decision or the date it was mailed to you, whichever occurred first. In the event this decision is served upon you by mail, three days are added to that period.

Certified True Copy  
By   
\_\_\_\_\_  
Virginia Board Of Nursing