VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

MARY P. JONES, R.N. REINSTATEMENT APPLICANT

at which time Ms. Jones will be afforded the opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel.

License No.: 0001-138169

**NOTICE OF HEARING** 

Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4020, 2.2-4024(F), and 54.1-2400(11) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), Mary P. Jones, R.N., who, prior to its suspension by the Department of Health Professions on August 6, 2013, held License No. 0001-138169 to practice professional nursing in Virginia, is hereby given notice that a formal administrative hearing will be held in the presence of a panel of the Board of Nursing. The hearing will be held on September 18, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., at the offices of the Department of Health Professions, Board of Nursing, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia 23233,

At the hearing, Ms. Jones has the following rights, among others: the right to representation by counsel; the right to have witnesses subpoenaed and to present witnesses on her behalf; the right to present documentary evidence; and the right to cross-examine adverse witnesses. If Ms. Jones desires any witnesses to appear on her behalf, she must notify the Director of Administrative Proceedings, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233, in accordance with the <u>Instructions</u> for Requesting Subpoenas.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive and act upon Ms. Jones' application for reinstatement of her license to practice professional nursing in Virginia, and to inquire into evidence that Ms. Jones may have violated certain laws governing professional nursing practice in Virginia, as more fully set forth in the Statement of Particulars below.

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The burden rests upon Ms. Jones, as the applicant, to demonstrate that she is capable of resuming the safe and competent practice of nursing in Virginia.

Pursuant to § 54.1-2409 of the Code, reinstatement of Ms. Jones' license requires the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members of the Board in attendance at the hearing.

## STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS

The Board alleges that Mary P. Jones may have violated § 54.1-3007(4) of the Code in that on or about April 17, 2013, she was convicted of embezzlement, a felony, in the Circuit Court of Albemarle County, Virginia, and was sentenced on or about July 3, 2013. This conviction formed the basis of the mandatory suspension of her license to practice professional nursing by the Virginia Department of Health Professions.

FOR THE BOARD

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