VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

CARMEN PRICE – EDWARDS, C.N.A. APPLICANT

CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Carmen Price-Edwards, as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. Price-Edwards' application for certification by examination to practice as a nurse aide in Virginia.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Carmen Price-Edwards submitted an application for certification by examination to practice as a nurse aide which was received by the Board on June 7, 2013.
- 2. On August 1, 2007, Ms. Price –Edwards was convicted of misdemeanor embezzlement in the Fairfax, Virginia, General District Court.
- 3. On June 20, 2008, Ms. Price-Edwards was convicted of writing a bad check in the Spotsylvania, Virginia, General District Court.
- 4. On February 18, 2009, Ms. Price-Edwards was convicted of driving while intoxicated, first offense, in the Prince William County, Virginia, General District Court.
- 5. Ms. Price-Edwards provided evidence that she has paid all associated court costs related to her criminal convictions.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. Findings of Fact Nos. 2 and 3 constitute a violation of § 54.1-3007(4) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code").
 - 2. Ms. Price-Edwards otherwise meets the requirements of § 54.1-3023 of the Code.

CONSENT

Carmen Price-Edwards, 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 certification by examination to practice as a nurse aide in Virginia.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that:

- 1. The application of Carmen Price-Edwards for certification by examination to practice as a nurse aide is APPROVED. Upon successful completion of the NNAAP examination, Ms. Price-Edwards shall be issued an unrestricted certificate to practice as a nurse aide in the Commonwealth.
 - 2. Ms. Price-Edwards is hereby REPRIMANDED.
- 3. Ms. Price-Edwards shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a certified nurse aide commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 et seq. of the Code and the Board of Nursing Regulations.

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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

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

ENTERED: October 22 2014

SEEN AND AGREED TO:
Carmen Price-Edwards Reg # 252653 MY COMMISSION
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, COUNTY/CITY OF Spotsylvania, TO WIT:
Subscribed and sworn to before me, Kathy L. Colena, a Notary Public, this <u>D9th</u> day of <u>Orthber</u> , 2014.
My commission expires 8-3(-20(8
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NOTARY PUBLIC

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