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VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE: TINA M. GOSNELL, R.N.
License No.: 0001-162517

CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Tina M. Gosnell, R.N., as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. Gosnell's license to practice professional nursing in Virginia.

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Tina M. Gosnell, R.N., was issued License No. 0001-162517 to practice professional nursing by the Virginia Board of Nursing on January 25, 1999. Said license is set to expire on March 31, 2015. Ms. Gosnell was issued License No. 54974 to practice professional nursing by the West Virginia Board of Nursing on September 30, 1997. Said license expired on October 31, 2012. Ms. Gosnell's primary state of residence is West Virginia.
2. On December 16, 2013, the West Virginia Board of Nursing issued a public reprimand to Ms. Gosnell, and ordered to pay a fine and administrative cost in the amount of \$500.00, and complete two continuing education courses. This action was the result of Ms. Gosnell taking pictures of a deceased person, who was brought to the hospital for an autopsy, and texting the pictures to another nurse, during the course of her employment with Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, West Virginia.
3. Ms. Gosnell's employment with Potomac Valley Hospital was terminated.
4. Ms. Gosnell is currently employed with DaVita Dialysis of Winchester, Winchester, Virginia.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Finding of Fact No. 2 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(2) and (5) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended (“Code”), and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(2)(m) of the Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing.

CONSENT

Tina M. Gosnell, R.N., 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 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. Tina M. Gosnell, R.N., is hereby REPRIMANDED.

2. Ms. Gosnell shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a professional 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

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

ENTERED: *September 11, 2014*

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

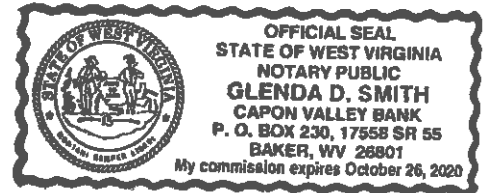
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COMMONWEALTH OF ^{West Virginia} VIRGINIA,
COUNTY/CITY OF *Hardy*, TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, *Glenda D. Smith*, a Notary Public, this *3rd* day of *September*, 2014.

My commission expires *October 26, 2020*

Registration Number *n/a*



Glenda D. Smith
NOTARY PUBLIC

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Virginia Board of Nursing