

**VIRGINIA:**

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING**

**IN RE: PAMELA WELDON, R.N.**  
**License No.: 0001-247072**

**CONSENT ORDER**

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

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

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Pamela Weldon, R.N. was issued License No. 0001-247072 to practice professional nursing by the Virginia Board of Nursing on August 21, 2013. Said license is set to expire on July 31, 2016. Her primary state of residence is Virginia.

2. Ms. Weldon previously held a license to practice professional nursing in the State of New Jersey. Said license was suspended by Order of the New Jersey Board of Nursing on October 1, 2010, for her failure to comply with the requirements of the Recovery and Monitoring Program of New Jersey ("RAMP"). The license was reinstated by the Order of the New Jersey Board of Nursing on September 25, 2012, upon evidence that Ms. Weldon had re-enrolled in the RAMP program in May 2012 and was released in August 2012. Ms. Weldon's New Jersey license is currently inactive.

3. Ms. Weldon was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Pennsylvania in November 2009. By Final Order entered July 26, 2013, the Pennsylvania Board of Nursing reprimanded Ms. Weldon for failing to reveal the New Jersey Board's action within 90 days of the action or on her application for renewal of her Pennsylvania license, as required by Pennsylvania law.

4. On her application for licensure by endorsement to practice professional nursing in Virginia, dated July 5, 2013, Ms. Weldon failed to disclose that since August 2012, she had been under investigation by the Pennsylvania Board of Nursing regarding her failure to disclose the suspension of her New Jersey license.

5. Ms. Weldon did reveal the suspension and reinstatement of her New Jersey nursing license on her application for licensure in Virginia.

### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Findings of Fact Nos. 3 and 4 constitute violations of § 54.1-3007(1) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended (“Code”), and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(1)(b) of the Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing.

### **CONSENT**

Pamela Weldon, 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 his/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.

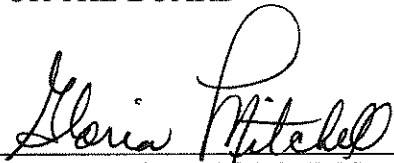
**ORDER**

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. Pamela Weldon, R.N., is hereby REPRIMANDED.
2. Ms. Weldon 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

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

ENTERED: April 7, 2014

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

Pamela Weldon RN  
Pamela Weldon, R.N.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY/CITY OF Prince William TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, John Axford, a Notary Public, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2014.

My commission expires 7/31/2016.

Registration Number 7528144.

John A  
NOTARY PUBLIC

