

**VIRGINIA:**

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING**

**IN RE: ANNA MARIE MORRIS, C.N.A. REINSTATEMENT APPLICANT**

**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"), Anna Marie Morris, C.N.A., who, prior to its mandatory suspension by the Department of Health Professions on September 30, 2010, held Certificate No. 1401-033834 to practice as a nurse aide 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 January 24, 2011, at 10:00 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 which time Ms. Morris will be afforded the opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel.

At the hearing, Ms. Morris 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. Morris 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 Instructions for Requesting Subpoenas.

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

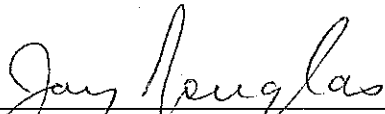
The burden rests upon Ms. Morris, as the applicant, to demonstrate that she is capable of resuming the safe and competent practice as a nurse aide in Virginia.

Pursuant to § 54.1-2409 of the Code, reinstatement of Ms. Morris' certificate 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 Ms. Morris may have violated § 54.1-3007(4) of the Code in that on or about January 23, 2009, Ms. Morris was found guilty of felony welfare fraud in the Circuit Court of Danville, Virginia. On or about July 27, 2006, Ms. Morris was convicted of misdemeanor shoplifting in the General District Court of Danville, Virginia.

FOR THE BOARD

  
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Jay P. Douglas R.N., M.S.M., C.S.A.C.  
Executive Director for the  
Board of Nursing

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