

**VIRGINIA:**

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING**

**IN RE:**

**SHERI PAYNE, R.N.**

**CONSENT ORDER**

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

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

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Sheri Payne, R.N. was issued License No. 0001-177537 to practice professional nursing by the Virginia Board of Nursing on February 25, 2002. Said license is set to expire on April 30, 2013. Ms. Payne's primary state of residence is Virginia.
2. Ms. Payne's license to practice professional nursing expired on April 30, 2011.
3. Ms. Payne renewed said license to practice professional nursing on May 5, 2011.
4. Ms. Payne worked in her capacity as a Pediatric Emergency Room Nurse at Bon Secours St. Mary's Hospital, Richmond, Virginia, on May 5, 2011, prior to renewing said license.

**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

Finding of Fact No. 4 constitutes a violation of §§54.1-3007(3), 54.1-3008(2), and 54.1-3011(C) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code").

## CONSENT

Sheri Payne, 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. Sheri Payne, R.N., shall pay a MONETARY PENALTY of \$100.00 to the Board within 30 days of the entry of this Order.
2. Ms. Payne shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a registered nurse commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 *et seq.* of the Code and the Board of Nursing Regulations.

#. Any violation of the terms and conditions of this Order or of any law or regulation affecting the practice of nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia shall constitute grounds for the suspension or revocation of the license of Sheri Payne, R.N., and an administrative proceeding shall be convened to determine whether such license shall be suspended or revoked.

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

ENTERED: November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2011

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

Sheri Payne  
Sheri Payne, R.N.

**Certified True Copy**

By Jamara Farmer  
Virginia Board of Nursing

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY/CITY OF Henrico, TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Thomas Mitchell Parrett, a Notary Public, this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2011.

My commission expires 1/31/2013.

Registration Number 7281901.

Thomas Mitchell Parrett

NOTARY PUBLIC

