

**VIRGINIA:**

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING**

**IN RE: MAUREEN E. POWELL, R.N.  
License No.: 0001-193854**

**ORDER**

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") adopts the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and issues the following Order regarding the license of Maureen E. Powell, R.N., to practice professional nursing in Virginia.

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

1. Maureen E. Powell, R.N., was issued License No. 0001-193854 to practice professional nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia on December 8, 2004. Said license expires on December 31, 2013. Ms. Powell holds License No. 70798 to practice professional nursing in the State of Tennessee, which expired on December 31, 2005, and License No. RN1836052 to practice in the State of Florida, which expired on April 30, 1997. Her primary state of residence is Virginia.
2. By Order entered by the Board on November 19, 2012, Ms. Powell was placed on probation with terms and conditions for six months of actual nursing practice, due to findings that she diverted narcotics from John Randolph Medical Center, Hopewell, Virginia, and was dismissed from the Health Practitioners' Monitoring Program for failing to call the drug screen test line on six occasions.
3. On April 3, 2013, Ms. Powell submitted a petition for release from probation.
4. Ms. Powell has been participating in outpatient therapy at Virginia South Psychiatric and Family Services since February 4, 2011. This facility conducted the random monthly drug screens required by the Board Order and all have been negative.
5. Ms. Powell has completed six months of actual nursing practice at John Randolph Medical Center.

**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

1. This matter is properly before the Board.
2. The Board concludes that Maureen E. Powell, R.N., has satisfied the terms of her probation.

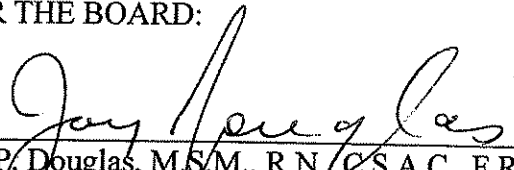
**ORDER**

WHEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that the petition of Maureen E. Powell, R.N., for release from probation is hereby GRANTED and Ms. Powell shall be issued an unrestricted license to practice professional nursing.

Ms. Powell 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 Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing.

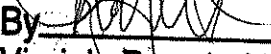
Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4023 and 54.1-2400.2 of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying on request.

FOR THE BOARD:

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

ENTERED: November 1, 2013

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