

VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

KAY B. ARCHEVALD, R.N.

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”), Kay B. Archevald, R.N., who, prior to its summary suspension by the Board of Nursing on September 9, 2008, held License No. 0001-096110, which was set to expire on May 31, 2010, 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 November 17, 2008, at 1:00 p.m., at the offices of the Department of Health Professions, Board of Nursing, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Richmond, Virginia 23233, at which time Ms. Archevald will be afforded the opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel.


At the hearing, Ms. Archevald 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. Archevald 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, Richmond, Virginia 23233, in accordance with the Instructions for Requesting Subpoenas.

The purpose of the hearing is to inquire into evidence that Ms. Archevald may have violated certain laws and regulations governing professional nursing practice in Virginia, as more fully set forth in the Statement of Particulars below.

STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS

The Board alleges that Ms. Archevald may have violated § 54.1-3007(2), (3), (5) and (6) of the Code and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(2)(c) of the Board of Nursing Regulations in that, by her own admission, between December 17, 2007 and July 17, 2008, during the course of her employment with Chesapeake Regional Medical Center, Chesapeake, Virginia, she diverted Demerol (meperidine, Schedule II) IM injectables from patient supplies, for her own personal and unauthorized use.

FOR THE BOARD



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

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