VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

JAMIE CHAPMAN, C.N.A. Certificate No.: 1401-101251

ORDER

In accordance with §§ 2.2-4019, 2.2-4021 and 54.1-2400(10) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code"), an informal conference was conducted on behalf of the Board of Nursing ("Board") on November 12, 2013, in Henrico County, Virginia. Jamie Chapman, C.N.A. was present and was not she represented by legal counsel. Jane Elliott, R.N., Ph.D., serving as Agency Subordinate for the Board, submitted a Recommended Decision for consideration.

On January 29, 2014, a quorum of the Board met to receive and act upon the Recommended Decision of the Agency Subordinate. Ms. Chapman was not present nor was she represented by legal counsel.

Based upon its review of the Recommended Decision of the Agency Subordinate, the Board makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and issues the following Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Jamie Chapman, C.N.A., was issued Certificate No. 1401-101251 to practice as a nurse aide in Virginia on December 19, 2003. The certificate is scheduled to expire on December 31, 2013.
- 2. By letter dated August 30, 2013, the Board of Nursing sent a Notice of Informal Conference ("Notice") to Ms. Ms. Chapman notifying her that an informal conference would be held on September 26, 2013. The Notice was sent by certified and first class mail to 188 Grandview Road, Church Hill, Tennessee 37642, the address of record on file with the Board of Nursing. Ms. Chapman requested and was granted a continuance. By letter dated September 20, 2013, Ms. Chapman was

notified that the informal conference was rescheduled for November 12, 2013.

- 3. On March 24, 2013, during the course of her employment with Ridgecrest Manor, Duffield, Virginia, Ms. Chapman spoke to Resident B in an inappropriate tone in an attempt to make the resident swallow his food.
- 4. Ms. Chapman stated that she reported to the charge nurse that the resident would not swallow his food. Ms. Chapman stated that the charge nurse took over and she left to feed another resident. Ms. Chapman admitted that she did not know anything about this resident prior to trying to feed him.
- 5. Ms. Chapman stated that she resigned her position with Ridgecrest Manor. She is currently employed with an agency providing private duty care.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Finding of Fact No. 3 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(5) of the Code.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED as follows:

- 1. Jamie Chapman, C.N.A., is hereby REPRIMANDED.
- 2. Ms. Chapman shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a certified nurse aide commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 *et seq*. of the Code and the Board of Nursing Regulations.

Pursuant to § 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 a public record, and shall be made available for public inspection and copying upon request.

Pursuant to Section 54.1-2400(10) of the Code, Ms. Chapman may, not later than 5:00 p.m., on March 17, 2014, notify Jay P. Douglas, M.S.M., R.N., C.S.A.C., F.R.E., Executive Director, Board of

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Nursing, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300, Henrico, Virginia 23233, in writing that she desires a formal administrative hearing before the Board. Upon the filing with the Executive Director of a request for the hearing, this Order shall be vacated.

FOR THE BOARD:

Jay P. Douglas, M.S.M., R.N., C.S.A.C., F.R.E.

Executive Director

Virginia Board of Nursing

17. 2014

This Order shall become final on March 17, 2014, unless a request for a formal administrative hearing is received as described above.

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