VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

ANNE STEVENS, R.N.

License No.: 0001-142751

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"), Anne Stevens, R.N., who holds License No. 0001-142751 to practice professional nursing in

Virginia, which expires on June 30, 2014, 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 29, 2014, 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. Stevens will be afforded the

opportunity to be heard in person or by counsel.

At the hearing, Ms. Stevens 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. Stevens 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 inquire into evidence that Ms. Stevens may have violated certain

laws and regulations governing nursing practice in Virginia, as more fully set forth in the Statement of

Particulars below.

STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS

The Board alleges that Anne Stevens, R.N., may have violated § 54.1-3007(2), (3), (5), and (8) of the

Code and 18 VAC 90-20-300(A)(2)(a) and (f) of the Regulations Governing the Practice of Nursing in that

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during the course of her ownership of Legs to Love Vein Care, LLC, from in or about February 2012 to in or about May 2013:

- 1. Ms. Stevens possessed polidocanol, a prescription drug, and syringes, which are controlled paraphernalia, without the authority conferred by §§ 54.1-3408 and 54.1-3466 of the Code.
- 2. Ms. Stevens compounded polidocanol and saline solution contrary to the sterile compounding requirements of § 54.1-3410.2 of the Code and without the authority conferred by § 54.1-3410.2 of the Code.
- 3. Ms. Stevens evaluated patients in their homes and developed a course of therapy for treatment of "spider veins" independently and without valid orders.
- 4. Ms. Stevens injected compounded polidocanol and saline solution intravenously into patients' legs, in their homes, without valid orders and without direct supervision.

FOR THE BOARD

Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE

Executive Director for the

Board of Nursing

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