VIRGINIA:

# BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

# KAREN E. BAGWELL, R.M.A. APPLICANT

### **CONSENT ORDER**

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Karen E. Bagwell, as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. Bagwell's application for registration by examination to practice as a medication aide in Virginia.

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

## FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. By application received October 21, 2013, Karen E. Bagwell applied for registration by examination as a medication aide in the Commonwealth of Virginia.
- 2. On July 9, 2013, in the General District Court of Chesapeake, Virginia, Ms. Bagwell was convicted of misdemeanor shoplifting. She was fined \$500 with \$400 suspended and ordered to pay \$82 in court costs, which were paid in full on September 27, 2013.

# **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. Finding of Fact No. 2 constitutes a violation of § 54.1-3007(4) of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended ("Code").
  - 2. Ms. Bagwell otherwise meets the requirements of § 54.1-3042 of the Code.

### **CONSENT**

Karen E. Bagwell, 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 application for registration by examination to practice as a medication aide in Virginia.

## <u>ORDER</u>

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. The application of Karen E. Bagwell for registration by examination as a medication aide is APPROVED. Upon successful completion of the medication aide examination, Ms. Bagwell shall be issued an unrestricted registration to practice as a medication aide in the Commonwealth.
  - 2. Ms. Bagwell is hereby REPRIMANDED.
- 3. Ms. Bagwell shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a medication aide commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 et seq. of the Code and the Regulations Governing the Registration of Medication Aides.

Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4023 and 54.1-2400.2 of the Code, the signed original of this Consent 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 P. Douglas, M.S.M., R.N., C.S.A.C., F.R.E. Executive Director, Virginia Board of Nursing ENTERED:

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

Was Browll Karen E. Bagwell

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me, Karan Rose Cofer, a Notary Public, this 23 day of my commission expires 5/34/2014

Registration Number 7367525

KARAN ROSE COFER
NOTARY PUBLIC
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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES

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