VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

ELIZABETH SMITH, R.N., L.N.P. LICENSE NO's.: 0001-063072 0024-063072

<u>ORDER</u>

Now comes the Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Elizabeth Smith, R.N., L.N.P., as evidenced by the signature affixed below, enter into this Order affecting the licenses of Ms. Smith to practice professional nursing and as a nurse practitioner in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

FINDINGS OF FACT

After consideration of the evidence and statements concerning the allegations, the Committee makes the following Findings of Fact:

- 1. Elizabeth Smith, R.N., was issued License No. 0001-063072 to practice as a professional nurse in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Ms. Smith holds License No. 0024-063072 to practice as a nurse practitioner in the Commonwealth of Virginia. Both licenses expire on January 31, 2014.
- 2. By Orders entered April 15, 2009, Ms. Smith was made subject to certain terms and conditions. One of the terms of the Orders was Ms. Smith's compliance with all terms and conditions of her contract with the Health Practitioners' Monitoring Program ("HPMP"), pursuant to Chapter 25.1 of Title 54.1 of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, and 18 VAC 76-10-10, et seq., of the Regulations Governing the HPMP.
- 3. Ms. Smith has complied with all terms and conditions of the above Orders; and has successfully completed her contract with the HPMP.

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Board concludes that Elizabeth Smith, R.N., L.N.P., has met the requirements of the Code of Virginia (1950), as amended, and the Regulations of the Board of Nursing, and the Orders entered April 15, 2009, and this matter is properly before the Board.

## **ORDER**

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law it is hereby ORDERED that the terms and conditions placed on the licenses of Elizabeth Smith, R.N., L.N.P., to practice as a professional nurse and nurse practitioner in the Commonwealth of Virginia, be, and are hereby, TERMINATED.

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 a public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying on request.

Pursuant to § 54.1-2400(10) of the Code, Ms. Smith may, not later than 5:00 p.m., on September 16, 2013, notify Jay P. Douglas, Executive Director, Board of 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:

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This Order shall become final on September 16, 2013 unless a request for a formal administrative hearing is received as described above.