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## BEFORE THE KANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING

Landon State Office Building, 900 S.W. Jackson #1051 Topeka, Kansas 66612-1230

#### IN THE MATTER OF LISA ANN SHAFER

License No. 14-122489-041

Case No. 13-2273-0

# INITIAL AGREED ORDER TO SURRENDER LICENSE

NOW ON THIS Hard day of Hughst , 2014, the Kansas State Board of Nursing, represented by Assistant Attorney General, Michael R. Fitzgibbons, and the Licensee, Lisa Ann Shafer, hereby enter into this agreement and proffer evidence and the hearing officer adopts those recommendations and makes the following findings of fact and orders:

## AGREED FINDINGS OF FACT

The hearing officer makes the following findings of fact based on the evidence presented and statements of the parties.

- 1. Licensee is licensed to practice nursing in Kansas through April, 2015. The Kansas State Board of Nursing (KSBN) has jurisdiction over the licensee and the subject matter of this action.
- 2. Licensee's address of record is 5555 Oak Grove Road, Kansas City, Kansas 66106.
- 3. The Kansas State Board of Nursing has the authority under K.S.A. 74-1106 et seq. to examine, license and renew license for duly qualified applicants and may limit, deny, suspend or revoke a license or authorization to practice nursing, may issue a public or private censure and levy administrative fines consistent with K.S.A. 74-1110, if a violation of K.S.A. 65-1120 is established.
- 4. The Board has requested a petition be filed to take disciplinary action against the licensee's license.

- 5. The petition would be filed by the Board and a hearing would also be held at a later date at which time the Board would have to prove that licensee violated K.S.A. 65-1120(a).
- 6. Licensee has the right to these hearings and the right to seek review of the findings from the hearings in accordance with the Kansas Administrative Procedure Act and the Act for Judicial Review and Civil Enforcement of agency actions. Licensee is waiving those rights and knowingly and voluntarily entering into this agreement instead of proceeding to these hearings. This agreement will conclude Board action pending at this time against licensee's license.
- 7. Licensee understands that pursuant to K.S.A. 77-515, licensee may be represented at licensee's expense by, an attorney during these proceedings.
- 8. A petition would be filed to take disciplinary action against the licensee's license as authorized by the Board.
  - According to a report, it is alleged that disciplinary action was taken upon your RN license by the Missouri Board of Nursing.
  - b. The disciplinary action was based on incompetency, misconduct, gross negligence, fraud, misrepresentation or dishonesty in the performance of the function or duties of any professional licensed..."
  - c. This incident allegedly occurred on or about the 7th of January, 2014.
  - d. Investigator has contacted licensee and she has agreed to surrender her license.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 9. The Kansas State Board of Nursing has the authority under K.S.A. 74-1106 et seq. to examine, license and renew license for duly qualified applicants and may limit, deny, suspend or revoke a license or authorization to practice nursing, may issue a public or private censure and levy administrative fines consistent with K.S.A. 74-1110, if a violation of K.S.A. 65-1120(a) is established.
- 10. Respondent has violated the Kansas Nurse Practice Act as follows:

Count 1: K.S.A. 65-1120(a)(8), to have a license to practice nursing as a registered nurse or as a practical nurse denied, revoked, limited or suspended ... by a licensing authority of another state.

Count 2 K.S.A. 65-1120(a)(6) to be guilty of unprofessional conduct as defined by the rules and regulations by violating the policies and procedures of health care company.

# **POLICY STATEMENT**

11. The role of the Kansas State Board of Nursing is to protect citizens of Kansas.

### DISPOSITION

- 12. Based upon this agreement and final order, the parties agree that Licensee is surrendering licensee's license to practice nursing in the state of Kansas.
- 13. Based upon this agreement, and pursuant to the disciplinary remedies available in K.S.A. 65-1120, the parties agree that Licensee's license to practice nursing in Kansas is surrendered. Licensee shall not practice nursing in the state of Kansas.
- 14. Upon signing this agreement and returning it to the Board, licensee shall return licensee's license card with the agreement. Licensee has returned her card.
- 15. The Board will not report this surrender to data banks, other entities, and in its newsletter. The original of this document shall be kept in the Board's agency file. This Agreement is a public record. The effective date of this Initial Agreed Order to Surrender is the date shown on the certificate of service.
- 16. If licensee does seek reinstatement of licensee's license, the agreed facts and listed violations are admitted, licensee has waived the right to a hearing on the facts in this matter, however to receive a reinstatement of licensee's license the licensee will have the opportunity at that time to prove licensee's fitness to practice nursing in Kansas.
- 17. The hearing/presiding officer whose signature appears below has been designated pursuant to K.S.A. 77-514 and K.S.A. 77-526 to act on behalf of the Board/agency head and to

hear discipline cases on behalf of the Board/agency head and to render either initial orders or final orders, if by agreement of both parties, in those discipline cases.

18. By their signatures, the parties hereby acknowledge this agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto execute this FINAL ORDER AND

CONSENT AGREEMENT TO SURRENDER LICENSE.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Respondent Lisa Ann Shafer

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JOSEPH T MARTIN III Notary Public State of Kansas

gn before a Notary Public.

My Commission Expires 10/5

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Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-527, either party may request a review of this final order by filing a petition for reconsideration with the Kansas State Board of Nursing. A petition for reconsideration must be filed with 15 days from the date this final order was served. Failure to timely request a reconsideration by the Kansas State Board of Nursing may preclude further judicial review. The petition for reconsideration shall be mailed or personally delivered to: Mary Blubaugh, Executive Director, Board of Nursing, Landon State Office Building, Suite 1051, 900 SW Jackson, Topeka, KS 66612-1230.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-531, if the final order is served by mail, three days are added to the time.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 77-530, if a request for reconsideration is not requested in the time and manner stated above, this initial order shall become effective as a final order 30 days after service.

<u>CERTIFICATE O</u>	F SERVICE
On the H day of HUUST AGREED ORDER TO SURRENBER LICENSE to:	, 2014 I mailed a copy of this INITIAL

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