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IN RE: **BEVERLY R. COLLINS**)
 of Portland, Maine)
 License #P001103) **CONSENT AGREEMENT**
FOR VOLUNTARY
SURRENDER OF LICENSE

INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Beverly R. Collins' license to practice practical nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(1-A)(C) and 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(B), (5)(D). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Beverly R. Collins, Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Department of Attorney General, State of Maine. The parties reached this Agreement following an informal conference held on June 5, 2002, based on information submitted anonymously July 20, 2001 and through letter dated September 17, 2001 from Neale A. Duffett, Esq., on Beverly R. Collins' behalf.

FACTS

1. Beverly R. Collins has been a licensed practical nurse licensed by the Board to practice in Maine since 1964.
2. Beverly R. Collins admits that she obtained prescriptions for drugs on 9 separate occasions for another person's use by allowing Timothy Toto, P.A., to write prescriptions in Ms. Collins' name for his girlfriend "Lisa"'s use, that she assisted an individual who did not have a prescription to obtain the drugs.

AGREEMENT

3. The Maine State Board of Nursing will accept Beverly R. Collins' voluntary surrender of her license, license #P001103, and Ms. Collins agrees and understands that the voluntary surrender of her license will be for an indefinite period of time.
4. Beverly R. Collins understands that this document imposes discipline regarding her license to practice professional nursing in the State of Maine for violations under 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(A), (2)(F), (2)(H) and Chapter 4, sections 1(A)(1), (A)(6) and Chapter 4, sections 3(M) of the Maine State Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations. Ms. Collins understands that she does not have to execute this Consent Agreement and that she has the right to consult with an attorney before entering the Consent Agreement.



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5. Beverly R. Collins shall not work or volunteer for any health care provider as defined by Title 24 M.R.S.A. § 2502 (2), in any position holding herself out as a licensed practical nurse or with the designation, L.P.N. including, in a veterinarian's office, while her nursing license is surrendered. In addition, Ms. Collins is not to seek employment where the handling or dispensing of drugs is part of her job responsibility.
6. Beverly R. Collins affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.
7. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all parties.
8. This Consent Agreement is not subject to appeal or review by Ms. Collins but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.
9. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.


I, BEVERLY R. COLLINS HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING CONSENT AGREEMENT. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING IT, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS. I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY, WITHOUT ANY THREAT OR PROMISE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND.

DATED: 7/20/02



BEVERLY R. COLLINS

DATED: 7-22-02



NEALE A. DUFFETT, ESQ.
Attorney for Beverly R. Collins


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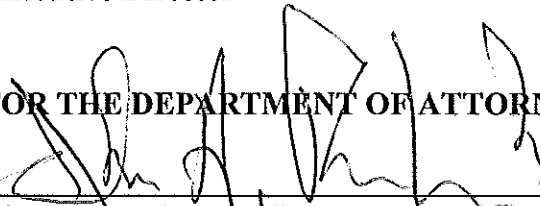
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