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IN RE:	JEANNE C. GOODMAN, R.N.)	
	of Kennebunk, Maine)	CONSENT AGREEMENT
	License #R039147)	FOR WARNING

INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Jeanne C. Goodman's license to practice registered professional nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(1-A)(A), 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(A-1)(1) and § 8003(5)(B). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Jeanne C. Goodman ("Licensee"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Office of the Attorney General, State of Maine. The Board held an informal conference with Licensee on December 15, 2005. The parties reached this agreement based upon information submitted by Pine Point Center for Health Care and Rehabilitation ("Pine Point") in a provider report dated September 20, 2004.

FACTS

- 1. Jeanne C. Goodman has been a registered professional nurse licensed to practice in Maine since 1995.
- 2. Jeanne C. Goodman altered a patient's medical record by documenting a late entry medication error without noting it as a late entry. The Board found that Ms. Goodman intended to make the late entry appear as if it was documented contemporaneously with the medication error, and that her motive was to mislead the surveyor from Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Licensing and Certification.

AGREEMENT

- 3. Jeanne C. Goodman understands that her conduct in the above stated facts constitutes grounds for discipline under Title 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(A), A(2)(F), (2)(H) and Chapter 4.1.A.1., 4.1.A.6., and Chapter 4.3.F., 4.3.K of the Rules and Regulations of the Maine State Board of Nursing. Jeanne C. Goodman is hereby **WARNED** for unprofessional conduct for failing to follow policies and procedures in a practice situation designed to safeguard the patient and for inaccurate recording, falsifying and altering a patient and health care record.
- 4. Jeanne C. Goodman neither admits nor denies the facts contained herein, but she acknowledges that if this matter went to a hearing before the Board that it is more likely than not that the facts would support the Board's findings in this Agreement.



- 5. Jeanne C. Goodman understands that this Consent Agreement imposes discipline in the form of a warning regarding her license to practice registered professional nursing in the State of Maine. Ms. Goodman understands that she does not have to execute this Consent Agreement and that she has the right to consult with an attorney before entering into this Consent Agreement.
- 6. Jeanne C. Goodman 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 the parties.
- 8. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee.
- 9. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

I, JEANNE C. GOODMAN, R.N., 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: 2/22/06

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JAMES B. SMITH, ESQ.

Aftorney for Jeanne C. Goodman

FOR THE MAINE STATE **BOARD OF NURSING**

DATED: Jeb. 24, 2006

Teb. 28, 2016

MYRA A. BROADWAY, J.D., M.S., R.N.

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