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IN RE: CLARA M. HUNTON	)	CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR
of Norway, Maine	)	VOLUNTARY SURRENDER
License #P006340	)	OF LICENSE

## INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Clara M. Hunton's license to practice practical nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(B) and 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(1-A)(C). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Clara M. Hunton ("Licensce"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Department of Attorney General, State of Maine. The parties reached this Agreement on the basis of a complaint submitted by the Maine Department of Human Services, Bureau of Medical Services, Division of Licensing and Certification, Complaint Investigation No. 01-AAL-655 and Ms. Hunton's request for the Board to accept a voluntary surrender of her license by letter dated September 5, 2001.

## **FACTS**

- 1. Clara M. Hunton has been licensed as a practical nurse to practice in Maine since 1979.
- 2. Based upon the investigation of the Division of Licensing and Certification and Ms. Hunton's admissions the Board finds that there is evidence to support that Ms. Hunton verbally abused a resident in two separate instances at Norway Rehabilitation & Living Center.
- 3. Clara M. Hunton has requested the Board to accept a voluntary surrender of her license.

## **AGREEMENT**

- 4. The Maine State Board of Nursing will accept Clara M. Hunton's voluntary surrender of her practical nurse license, No. P006340.
- 5. Clara M. Hunton may petition the Board for reinstatement of her license. Ms. Hunton agrees and understands that her license will not be reinstated until and unless the Board, upon Ms. Hunton's written request, votes to reinstate Ms. Hunton's license.
- 6. Clara M. Hunton understands that this document imposes discipline regarding her license to practice nursing in the State of Maine for violations under Title

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- 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(F) and A(2)(H) and Chapter 4.1.A.6.and 4.3.F. of the Board's rules and regulations.
- 7. Clara M. Hunton 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.
- 8. Clara M. Hunton affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.
- 9. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all parties.
- 10. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee, but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.
- 11. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

I, CLARA M. HUNTON 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: ///2/0/

CLARA M. HUNTON

FOR THE MAINE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

DATED: 14,2001

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

**Executive Director** 

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF

ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATED: 1/2

JOHN H. RICHARDS Assistant Attorney General