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IN RE: TANYA M. MARQUIS)	CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR
of Portland, Maine)	VOLUNTARY SURRENDER
License #R041386)	OF LICENSE

INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Tanya M. Marquis' license to practice registered professional 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 Tanya M. Marquis ("Licensee"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Department of Attorney General, State of Maine. The parties reached this Agreement following Ms. Marquis' request to voluntarily surrender her license by in a letter dated April 2, 2002.

FACTS

- 1. Tanya M. Marquis has been a registered professional nurse licensed by the Board to practice in Maine since July 28, 1997.
- 2. Tanya M. Marquis admits that she diverted drugs (Morphine and Demerol) for her own use from Maine Medical Center.
- 3. Tanya M. Marquis was terminated from employment at Maine Medical Center on April 1, 2002 because of the diversion of drugs.
- 4. In a letter dated April 2, 2002, Ms. Marquis requests that the Board accept the voluntary surrender of her registered professional nursing license.

AGREEMENT

- 5. The Maine State Board of Nursing will accept Tanya Marquis' voluntary surrender of her registered professional nursing license, No. R041386.
- 6. Tanya M. Marquis agrees and understands that this document imposes discipline regarding her license to practice registered professional nursing and her conduct constitutes grounds for discipline under 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(A), (2)(F) and (2)(H) and Chapter, 4(1)(A)(1), 4(1)(A)(6), and (4)(3)(Q) of the Rules and Regulations of the Maine State Board of Nursing.



- 7. Tanya M. Marquis may petition the Board for reinstatement of her license. Ms. Marquis agrees and understands that her license will not be reinstated until and unless the Board, upon Ms. Marquis' written request, votes to reinstate Ms. Marquis' license.
- 8. Tanya M. Marquis shall not work or volunteer, in any capacity, for a health care provider as defined by Title 24 M.R.S.A. § 2502 (2) or in any position holding herself out as a registered professional nurse or with the designation, R.N. including, in a veterinarian's office, while her nursing license is surrendered. In addition, Ms. Marquis is not to seek employment where the handling or dispensing of drugs is part of the job responsibility.
- 9. Tanya M. Marquis 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.
- 10. Tanya M. Marquis affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.
- 11. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all parties.
- 12. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee, but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.
- 13. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

I, TANYA M. MARQUIS 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: <u>5/00/00</u>

TANYA M. MARQUIS

FOR THE MAINE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

DATED: May 22, 2002

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

Executive Director

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF

ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATED: 5/25/02

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