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December 19, 1996

Dawn R. Perkins, R.N. 16 Cumberland Street Brunswick, ME 04011

Dear Ms. Perkins:

At its meeting on December 11-12, 1996, the Board discussed the matter pending before it regarding the provider report submitted by Parkview Memorial Hospital in February 1995. Subject to receipt of any further complaints, it was the decision of the Board to close the matter at this time.

Enclosed is your registered nurse license for 1996-98.

Sincerely,

Jean C. Caron, M.S., R.N.

Executive Director

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Enclosure

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TEMPORARY CONSENT AGREEMENT REGARDING LICENSURE

INTRODUCTION

This document is a Temporary Consent Agreement regarding Dawn R. Perkins' license to practice professional nursing in the State of Maine, entered into pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. Section 2105-A(1-A)(B) and 10 M.R.S.A. Section 8003(5)(B). The parties to this Temporary Consent Agreement are: Dawn R. Perkins, R.N., the Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Department of Attorney General, State of Maine.

By letter dated February 7, 1995, Ms. Perkins was advised by the Board that it had received a letter dated February 1, 1995, with attachments, from Kathleen M. Vaden, R.N., Vice President, Patient Care Services, Parkview Memorial Hospital, containing information that Ms. Perkins may be in violation of 32 M.R.S.A. Section 2105-A(2)(B), (2)(E), and (2)(F). Ms. Perkins responded to the Board in a letter dated March 4, 1995. Subsequently, the Board requested that Ms. Perkins attend an informal conference pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. Section 2105-A(1-A). The informal conference was held on June 7, 1995. Ms. Perkins was present and was not represented by an attorney. This Temporary Consent Agreement is a result of that Informal Conference.

COVENANTS

The parties agree that Ms. Perkins will undergo an evaluation for possible substance abuse by an addictionologist of the Board's choosing and at the Board's expense. Ms. Perkins agrees to obtain and forward to the Board a report of this substance abuse evaluation by April 4, 1996. Dr. Robert Blaik would be acceptable to the Board, as would any addictionologist (M.D. or D.O.) that he may recommend, such as Nancy Coyne, M.D. The Board expressly reserves the right to take further disciplinary action against Ms. Perkins' license in this matter after receipt of this information.

Ms. Perkins understands that she does not have to execute this Temporary Consent Agreement and that she has the right to consult with an attorney before entering this Temporary Consent Agreement. Ms. Perkins affirms that she executes this Temporary Consent Agreement of her own free will.

DATED:	March	5,1996	ز ر

FOR THE MAINE STATE BOARD OF

NURSING:

Executive Director

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL:

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