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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

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IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

WILLIAM D. LARSON, R.N., RESPONDENT.

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The parties to this action for the purposes of Wis. Stats. sec. 227.16 are:

William D. Larson 6010 250th Street, North Forest Lake, Minnesota 55025

Board of Nursing P.O. Box 8936 Madison, Wisconsin 53708-8936

Department of Regulation & Licensing Division of Enforcement P.O. Box 8936 Madison, Wisconsin 53708-8936

A party aggrieved by this decision may petition the Board for rehearing within twenty (20) days after service of this decision pursuant to Wis. Stats. sec. 227.12. The petition in this instance would be captioned with William D. Larson as the respondent.

A party aggrieved by this decision who is a resident of this state may also petition for judicial review by filing the petition in the office of the clerk of the circuit court for the county where the party aggrieved resides within thirty (30) days after service of this decision. A party aggrieved by this decision who is not a resident of this state must file the petition for judicial review in the office of the clerk of circuit court for Dane County. A party aggrieved must also serve the board and other parties with a copy of the petition for judicial review within thirty (30) days after service of this decision pursuant to Wis. Stats. sec. 227.16. The party to be named as respondent in the petition is the State of Wisconsin Board of Nursing.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation.

Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED:

The Board of Nursing accepts the voluntary surrender of the license to practice as a registered nurse of William D. Larson. Mr. Larson may reapply for licensure at any time following the date of this order.

In conjunction with any reapplication by Mr. Larson, the Board may consider the facts admitted in paragraph 7 of the attached Stipulation to determine what terms and conditions, if any, the Board may impose upon licensure for Mr. Larson.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

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IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

STIPULATION

WILLIAM D. LARSON, R.N., : RESPONDENT. :

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It is hereby stipulated between William D. Larson, R.N., personally on his own behalf and Steven M. Gloe, Attorney for the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement, as follows:

- 1. This stipulation is entered into as a result of a pending investigation of Mr. Larson's licensure by the Division of Enforcement (case file #'s 83 Nurse 87 and 84 Nurse 30). Mr. Larson consents to the resolution of this investigation by stipulation and without the issuance of a formal complaint.
- 2. Mr. Larson understands that by signing this stipulation he voluntarily and knowingly waives his rights, including: the right to a hearing on the allegations against him, at which time the state has the burden of proving those allegations by clear, satisfactory and convincing evidence; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against him; the right to call witnesses on his behalf and to compel their attendance by subpoena; the right to testify himself; the right to file objections to any proposed decision and to present briefs or oral arguments to the officials who are to render the Final Decision; the right to petition for a rehearing; and all other applicable rights afforded to Mr. Larson under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes and the Wisconsin Administrative Code.
- 3. Mr. Larson agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Board of Nursing.
- 4. If the terms of this stipulation are not acceptable to the Board, the parties shall not be bound by the contents of this stipulation and the matter shall be returned to the Division of Enforcement for further proceedings.
- 5. If the Board accepts the terms of this stipulation, the parties to this stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties.
- 6. Mr. Larson agrees to surrender his license to practice as a registered nurse in the State of Wisconsin. Mr. Larson's current licensure card is attached to this stipulation. If the Board does not accept this stipulation, the license of Mr. Larson shall be returned to him with a notice of the Board's decision not to accept this stipulation.
- 7. For the purposes of this stipulation, Mr. Larson admits the following facts:

- During the month of September 1983, Mr. Larson diverted approximately nineteen (19) 75 mg tubexes of of meperidine hydrochloride for his personal use from his employer, Froedtert Memorial Lutheran Hospital, 9200 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- b. On or about October 13 and 14, 1983, Mr. Larson diverted approximately six (6) tubexes of meperidine hydrochloride for his personal use from his employer, Good Samaritan Medical Center, 2200 West Kilbourn Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- From April 10 through April 11, 1984, Mr. Larson diverted approximately seven (7) 75 mg tubexes and three (3) 100 mg tubexes of meperidine hydrochloride for his personal use from his employer, Milwaukee County Medical Complex, 8700 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Again on April 13 through April 14, 1984, Mr. Larson diverted approximately twelve (12) 75 mg tubexes of meperidine for his personal use from Milwaukee County Medical Health Complex.
- d. On April 19, 1984, Mr. Larson was convicted in Milwaukee County Circuit Court on a plea of no contest to two counts of misdemeanor theft in conjunction with his diversion of meperidine.
- The Division of Enforcement joins Mr. Larson in recommending the Board of Nursing adopt this stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.

William D. Larson, R.N.

June 13, 1985

Steven M. Gloe Attorney Division of Enforcement

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