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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY :
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST :

TERRY L. PERRAULT, R.N., :
RESPONDENT. :

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ORDER 0001704

The parties to this action for the purposes of Wis. Stats. sec. 227.53 are:

Terry L. Perrault, R.N.
10701 West 60th Street
Kenosha, WI 53142

Board of Nursing
P.O. Box 8935
Madison, Wisconsin 53708-8935

Department of Regulation & Licensing
Division of Enforcement
P.O. Box 8935
Madison, Wisconsin 53708-8935

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. 227.49. The petition in this instance would be captioned with Terry L. Perrault, R.N., 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. 227.53. The party to be named as respondent in the petition is the State of Wisconsin Board of Nursing.

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Board. The Board has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached stipulation and makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Terry L. Perrault (D.O.B. 4/20/39) is duly licensed as a registered nurse in the State of Wisconsin (license number 37049); this license was first issued on November 18, 1960.

2. At all times relevant to this action, Ms. Perrault was working as the director of nursing services at Sheridan Nursing Home, 8400 Sheridan Road, Kenosha, Wisconsin.

3. On or about October 8, 1984, the doctor for resident #1167 at Sheridan Nursing Home wrote an order to "DC Septra. Give Macrochantin 50 mg. BID." This order was not carried out by nursing staff at Sheridan Nursing Home until November 12, 1984.

4. When apprised of the delay in effectuating this order, Ms. Perrault changed the date of the doctor's order from 10/8/84 to 11/12/84, in lieu of filing an incident report form and reporting the error to the resident's doctor.

5. Subsequent to this incident, Ms. Perrault resigned from Sheridan Nursing Home.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

By her inappropriate alteration of medical records, Ms. Perrault is subject to disciplinary action against her license pursuant to Wis. Stats. sec. 441.07(1)(b) and (d), and Wis. Adm. Code sec. N 7.04(6).

Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED:

Terry L. Perrault, R.N., is hereby REPRIMANDED.

BOARD OF NURSING

By: Suzanne H. Schuler
A Member of the Board

1/30/87
Date

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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF :

STIPULATION

TERRY PERRAULT, R.N., :
RESPONDENT. :

It is hereby stipulated between Terry Perrault, R.N., personally on her own behalf and Steven M. Gloe, Attorney for the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement, as follows that:

1. This Stipulation is entered into as a result of a pending investigation of Ms. Perrault's licensure by the Division of Enforcement (85 NURSE 4). Ms. Perrault consents to the resolution of this investigation by stipulation and without the issuance of a formal complaint.

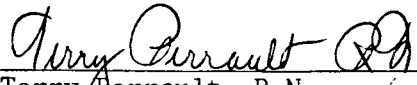
2. Ms. Perrault understands that by the signing of this Stipulation she voluntarily and knowingly waives her rights, including: the right to a hearing on the allegations against her, at which time the state has the burden of proving those allegations by clear, satisfactory and convincing evidence; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against her; the right to call witnesses on her behalf and to compel their attendance by subpoena; the right to testify herself; 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 rehearing; and all other applicable rights afforded to her under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes, and the Wisconsin Administrative Code.

3. Ms. Perrault agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Board of Nursing.

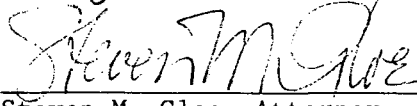
4. If the terms of this Stipulation are not acceptable to the Board, the parties shall not be bound by the contents of this Stipulation, and the matter shall be returned to the Division of Enforcement for further proceedings.

5. If the Board accepts the terms of this Stipulation, the parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties.

6. The Division of Enforcement joins Ms. Perrault in recommending the Board of Nursing adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.


Terry Perrault, R.N.

12-29-86
Date


Steven M. Gloe, Attorney
Division of Enforcement

1/2/87
Date