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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

ORDER 0001575

IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

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FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

93 NUR 073

GLORIA GENSCH, L.P.N.,

RESPONDENT.

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

Gloria Gensch W 4184 Cty Road B West Salem, WI 54669

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

Department of Regulation and Licensing Division of Enforcement P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final decision 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

- Gloria Gensch (D.O.B. 4/10/38) is duly licensed in the state of Wisconsin as a licensed practical nurse (license # 2750). This license was first granted on July 8, 1958.
- Respondent's latest address on file with the Department of Regulation and Licensing is W 4184 Cty Road B, West Salem, WI 54669.
- During the period October, 1992, through July, 1993, Ms. Gensch was the subject of disciplinary action by her employer, Lakeview Health Center. because of instances of medication errors, inadequate monitoring of the

During the period set forth in paragraph 3, Ms. Gensch was under great stress in her personal life. It is the present intention of Ms. Gensch to retain employment as a nurse's aide, and not to engage in practical nursing.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

By the conduct described above, Gloria Gensch is subject to disciplinary action against her license to practice as a licensed practical nurse in the state of Wisconsin, pursuant to Wis. Stats. sec. 441.07(1)(b), (c) and (d), and Wis. Adm. Code sec. N 7.03(1)(a), (b), (c) and (d).

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The license of Gloria Gensch to practice as a licensed practical nurse in the state of Wisconsin is hereby LIMITED in the following respects:
- a. Respondent shall not engage in the practice of nursing as a licensed practical nurse in the state of Wisconsin until she has certified to the Board of Nursing that she has successfully completed an approved, comprehensive LPN refresher course. Respondent shall submit a course outline for approval. The outline shall designate the name of the institution providing the course of instruction, the name of the instructor, and the course content.
- b. Respondent shall not act as a charge nurse or supervising nurse until further order of the Board of Nursing.
- c. Within two months of the date of this Order Respondent shall file with the Board of Nursing certification of completion of at least four hours of counseling in stress management.

The rights of a party aggrieved by this Decision to petition the Board for rehearing and to petition for judicial review are set forth on the attached "Notice of Appeal Information".

This Order shall become effective upon the date of its signing.

WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING

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IN THE MATTER OF

DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

GLORIA GENSCH, L.P.N.,

RESPONDENT

STIPULATION

93 NUR 073

It is hereby stipulated between Gloria Gensch, personally on her own behalf and by her attorney, Bruce F. Ehlke, and by James W. Harris, Attorney for the Department of Regulation and Licensing, Division of Enforcement, as follows that:

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- 1. This Stipulation is entered into as a result of a pending investigation of respondent's's licensure by the Division of Enforcement. Respondent consents to the resolution of this investigation by stipulation and without the issuance of a formal complaint.
- 2. Respondent 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 a preponderance of the 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. Respondent is aware of her right to seek legal representation and has obtained legal advice prior to signing this stipulation.
- 4. Respondent agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order accepting the voluntary surrender of her license to practice as a licensed practical nurse by the Board of Nursing. 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. Respondent waives all rights to any appeal of the Board's order, if adopted in the form as attached.
- 5. 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. In the event that this Stipulation is not accepted by the Board, the parties agree not to contend that the Board has been prejudiced or biased in any manner by the consideration of this attempted resolution.

- Attached to this Stipulation is the current licensure card of respondent. If the Board accepts the Stipulation, respondent's license shall be reissued in accordance with the terms of the attached Final Decision and Order. If the Board does not accept this Stipulation, the license of respondent shall be returned to her with a notice of the Board's decision not to accept the Stipulation.
- The parties to this stipulation agree that the attorney for the Division of Enforcement may appear before the Board of Nursing for the purposes of speaking in support of this agreement and answering questions that the members of the Board may have in connection with their deliberations on the stipulation.
- The Division of Enforcement joins respondent in recommending the Board of Nursing adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.

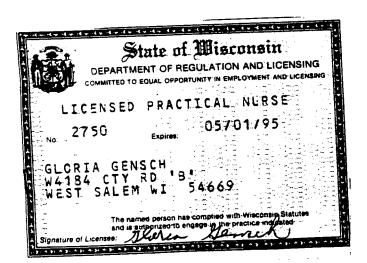
Gloria Gensch

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Bruce F. Ehlke, Attorney for Respondent

James W. Harris, Attorney

Division of Enforcement



NOTICE OF APPEAL INFORMATION

Notice Of Rights For Rehearing Or Judicial Review, The Times Allowed For Each, And The Identification Of The Party To Be Named As Respondent.

Serve Petition for Rehearing or Judicial Review on:

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING.

P.O. Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708.

The Date of Mailing this Decision is:

MAY 10, 1994.

1. REHEARING

Any person aggrieved by this order may file a written petition for rehearing within 20 days after service of this order, as provided in sec. 227.49 of the Wisconsin Statutes, a copy of which is reprinted on side two of this sheet. The 20 day period commences the day of personal service or mailing of this decision. (The date of mailing this decision is shown above.)

A petition for rehearing should name as respondent and be filed with the party identified in the box above.

A petition for rehearing is not a prerequisite for appeal or review.

2. JUDICIAL REVIEW.

Any person aggrieved by this decision may petition for judicial review as specified in sec. 227.53, Wisconsin Statutes a copy of which is reprinted on side two of this sheet. By law, a petition for review must be filed in circuit court and should name as the respondent the party listed in the box above. A copy of the petition for judicial review should be served upon the party listed in the box above.

A petition must be filed within 30 days after service of this decision if there is no petition for rehearing, or within 30 days after service of the order finally disposing of a petition for rehearing, or within 30 days after the final disposition by operation of law of any petition for rehearing.

The 30-day period for serving and filing a petition commences on the day after personal service or mailing of the decision by the agency, or the day after the final disposition by operation of the law of any petition for rehearing. (The date of mailing this decision is shown above.)



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Order Dates:

MAY 06, 1994

Respondent Names:

GENSCH, GLORIA, LPN

Complaint IDs: 93NUR073

Profession:

LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE

Boards:

NUR

Short Description:

LIMITED.

Case Summary:

DURING 10/92 THROUGH 7/93 WAS THE SUBJECT OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION BY HER EMPLOYER, BECAUSE OF INSTANCES OF MEDICATION ERRORS, INADEQUATE MONITORING OF THE CONDITION OF PATIENTS, AND INSUFFICIENT SUPERVISION OF ASSIGNED STAFF.