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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

GRETCHEN M. MACHT, RN,

ORDER GRANTING PETITIONS

Respondent

On March 3, 2000, the Board of Nursing issued its Final Decision and Order in the above-captioned matter. By the terms of the board's order, respondent's license to practice as a registered nurse in Wisconsin was suspended for an indefinite period, with provision for successive three-month stays of the suspension conditioned upon compliance with certain conditions and limitations on the license. Among these were that respondent participate in a recognized program for the treatment of chemical dependency, that she participate in psychotherapy a minimum of once weekly, and that she participate in program of random witnessed monitoring for controlled substances and alcohol in her blood or urine on a weekly basis.

On September 1, 2000, January 5, 2001, and April 6, 2001, the board granted Ms. Macht's requests for further three month stays of the suspension of her license.

On September 6, 2001, the board considered Ms. Macht's request for a further three month stay, and the recommendations of her therapist that urine screens be reduced to three per month and therapy sessions be reduced to two per month.. Based upon Ms. Macht's request, and her therapist's recommendations, the board orders as follows:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the suspension of the license of Gretchen Macht, RN, is hereby stayed for an additional period of three months.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the number of required urine screens is hereby reduced to three per month, and the number of required therapy sessions is hereby reduced to two per month.

Dated this 14th day of September, 2001.

STATE OF WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING

Ann Brewer, RN

Chair