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STATE OF WISCONSIN

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF

DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

CAROL A. PATEL, LPN

ORDER GRANTING

Respondent

THIRTY DAY EXTENSION

On February 2, 2001, 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 licensed practical nurse in Wisconsin was limited in part to require that within 90 days of the date of the board's Order, she submit an independent mental health evaluation performed by a health care provider approved in advance by the board.

On May 3, 2001, the board considered Ms. Patel's request that the deadline for submitting the evaluation be extended for 30 days. Based upon that request, the board orders as follows:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the deadline for submission of the mental health evaluation required by the board's Order dated February 2, 2001, is hereby extended to June 4, 2001.

Dated this 15th day of May, 2001.

STATE OF WISCONSIN

BOARD OF NURSING

Ann Brewer, RN

Chair