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| IN THE MATTER OF : |
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| DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST : |
| : ORDER DENYING STAY |
| HEIDI PAULINE HEDRINGTON, R.N., : |
| RESPONDENT. : |
| The Board of Nursing issued its Final Decision and Order in the above-captioned matter on February 2, 2001. By the terms of the board's Order, Ms. Hedrington's license was suspended for an indefinite period. Respondent was permitted to apply at any time to the Board for a stay of suspension for a period of three months, conditioned upon compliance with the conditions and limitations on the license. Included among these is that she enroll and continue successful participation in all components of a drug and alcohol treatment program at a treatment facility acceptable to the Board as respondent's Supervising Health Care Provider shall determine to be appropriate for respondent's rehabilitation. The rehabilitation program is to include and respondent is to participate in individual and/or group therapy sessions for the first year of the stayed suspension upon a schedule as recommended by the supervising physician or therapist, but not less than once weekly. Respondent is required to attend Narcotics Anonymous and/or Alcoholic Anonymous meetings or an equivalent program for recovering professionals, upon a frequency as recommended by the supervising physician or therapist, but not less than one meeting per week. Further, Ms. Hedrington is required to supply on at least a weekly basis, random monitored urine, blood or hair specimens as the Supervising Health Care Provider shall direct. Ms. Hedrington is required refrain from access to or the administration of controlled substances in her work setting until such time as access or administration is approved by the Board, and to practice only under the general supervision of a licensed professional nurse or other licensed health care professional approved by the Board or in a work setting preapproved by the Board or its designated agent. |
| On December 5, 2002, the board considered Ms. Hedrington's request for a three month suspension of her license. The board also considered evidence that Ms. Hedrington is not in compliance with the conditions and limitations on her license, including failure to submit to more than two urine screens per month. Accordingly, it is ordered as follows: |
| ORDER |
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| NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Heidi P. Hedrington's request for a three month stay of the suspension of her license is denied. |
| Dated this 10 th day of December, 2002. |
| STATE OF WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING |

STATE OF WISCONSIN

Linda M. Sanner, RN

Chair

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING