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IN THE MATTER OF THE DISCIPLINARY	:	
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	::	FINAL DECISION AND ORDER
MARY L. BRANDABUR, RN	:	
RESPONDENT	:	
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	:	LS0606083NUR
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(DOE FILE # 03 NUR 275)

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

Mary L. Brandabur, RN  
529 S. Shore Dr.  
Madison, WI 53715

Wisconsin Board of Nursing  
1400 E. Washington Avenue  
P.O. Box 8935  
Madison, WI 53708 8935

Department of Regulation and Licensing  
Division of Enforcement  
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PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The parties in this matter, Mary L. Brandabur, RN, Respondent, and Pamela M. Stach, Attorney for the Department of Regulation and Licensing, agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Wisconsin Board of Nursing. 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. Mary L. Brandabur, RN (D/O/B 6/14/45) is currently licensed to practice as a registered nurse in the State of Wisconsin under license # 54903 which was first granted on November 19, 1971.
2. Respondent’s most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Board of Nursing is 529 S. Shore Dr., Madison, WI 53715.
3. At all times relevant to this action, Respondent was licensed as a registered nurse in the State of Wisconsin and was working as a volunteer in Madison, Wisconsin.
4. A formal investigation entitled 03 NUR 275 is pending before the Wisconsin Board of Nursing.
5. The investigation includes allegations that on November 2, 2003, Respondent took 89 Oxycodone pills and 20 Oxycontin pills from a resident’s apartment at Attic Angel Place, an assisted living facility, where Respondent served as a volunteer.
6. Respondent is not currently engaged in the active practice of nursing and has not engaged in such practice since 2003.
7. Respondent has cooperated throughout this investigation and, in order to resolve this matter, has voluntarily agreed to entry of this Order.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Wisconsin Board of Nursing has jurisdiction to act in this matter, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 441.07, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation and Order pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the Stipulation of the parties, as attached hereto, is accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that Mary L. Brandabur, RN, shall, within 10 days of the effective date of this order, SURRENDER all indicia of licensure to the Board of Nursing and shall not engage in the practice of nursing in the State of Wisconsin at any time after the effective date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mary L. Brandabur, RN shall not renew her license to practice nursing in the State of Wisconsin at any time in the future.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the pending investigation 03 NUR 275 is hereby closed.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that violation of any of the terms of this Order may be construed as conduct imperiling public health, safety and welfare and may result in a summary suspension of Respondent's license. The Board in its discretion may in the alternative impose additional conditions and limitations or other additional discipline for a violation of any of the terms of this Order.

This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin this 8th day of June, 2006.

WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING

Marilyn Kaufmann  
A Member of the Board