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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF
THE LICENSE OF

RICHARD K. ROMER, R.N.,

ORDER DENYING FULL
REINSTATEMENT AND
MODIFICATIONS AND
SUSPENDING LICENSE

Petitioner.

LS0302071NUR

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On May 7, 2009, the Board of Nursing considered the petitioner's request for full reinstatement of his registered nurse license or in the alternative exemption from testing while on vacation. The information of record shows that petitioner has failed to comply with the terms and conditions of the Final Decision and Order dated February 2, 2003, as a result of a pattern of missed drug screen call-ins and two recent positive screens for controlled substances without legitimate prescriptions. Accordingly, the Board now finds and makes the following:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the request for full reinstatement, modification and stay of suspension of the license of RICHARD K. ROMER, R.N. (lic. #118733-30) to practice as a registered nurse is hereby DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the petitioner shall not work as a nurse until further action by the board to reinstate the stay of suspension.

This order is effective five (5) days from the on the date signed below to accommodate receipt of the order by mail.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
BOARD OF NURSING

Marilyn Kaufmann, R.N., Ph.D.
Chair

5/19/2009