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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING
IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY
PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

SHAUNA L. HAWORTH, R.N.,
RESPONDENT.

Order 0000525

Division of Enforcement Cases #10 NUR 103

The parties to this action for the purposes of Wis. Stat. § 227.53, are:

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Wisconsin Board of Nursing
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PROCEDURAL HISTORY

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final decision of this matter, subject to the approval of the Board. 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. Shauna Lee Haworth (dob: 9/7/79) is and was at all times relevant to the facts set forth herein a professional nurse licensed in the State of Wisconsin pursuant to license #150857. This license was first granted 8/4/05.
2. On 3/9/10 (and on earlier dates in March, 2010), and while employed as a professional nurse at the Westfields Hospital, New Richmond, Wisconsin, Respondent obtained opioid products which are controlled substances, from the Pyxis device, purportedly for administration to patients. Respondent then did not administer these medications to patients, but retained them for her own use, without authorization.

3. Respondent has been diagnosed with opioid dependence and has engaged in treatment; for personal reasons she desires to change careers and to surrender her nursing license.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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

B. The conduct described in paragraph 2, above, violated Wis. Adm. Code § N 7.04(intro), (1), (2) and (15). Such conduct constitutes unprofessional conduct within the meaning of the Code and statutes.

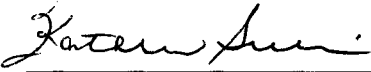
ORDER

IT IS ORDERED, that the attached Stipulation is accepted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, effective the date of this Order, the SURRENDER of the license of Shauna L. Haworth, R.N., to practice as a nurse in the State of Wisconsin is ACCEPTED. Respondent shall not practice nursing in Wisconsin, including under the Nurse Licensure Compact, without a license from the Board.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the costs of this matter are \$350, and are waived, but if Respondent ever seeks licensure, she may be required to pay them at that time.

Wisconsin Board of Nursing

By: 
A Member of the Board

November 4, 2010
Date

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