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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF
THE LICENSE OF

ANITA JONES, RN
PETITIONER

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ORDER DENYING
EXTENSION OF THE
STAY OF SUSPENSION

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TO: Anita Jones, RN
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On December 1, 2011, the Board of Nursing considered the petitioner's request for an extension of her stay of suspension pursuant to the Final Decision and Order of the Board dated January 27, 2005. Based upon the information of record which shows failure to provide a fitness to practice evaluation, the Board now finds and makes the following:

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that her request for an extension of the stay of suspension is DENIED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Anita Jones may not petition for a stay until she provides a fitness to practice evaluation. The fitness to practice evaluation shall be performed by a board approved psychological provider who has not previously provided therapy services to the petitioner. A fitness to practice evaluation includes the following aspects:

- Her decision making ability
- The status of her recovery
- Her ability to handle stress and critical thinking
- Is she overall safe to practice?

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Anita Jones may request, within 45 days of the date of this Order, an opportunity for a hearing in accordance with the procedures set forth in ch. SPS 1, Wis. Admin. Code pursuant to the Final Decision and Order dated January 27, 2005. The request shall include a specific description of the mistake in fact or law which constitutes reasonable grounds for reversing the decision to deny the extension of the stay. If a mistake in fact is asserted, the request shall include a concise statement of the essential facts which Ms. Jones intends to prove at the hearing.

This order is effective on the date signed below.

STATE OF WISCONSIN
BOARD OF NURSING


Lou Ann Weix, R.N., A.P.N.P.
Chairperson

12/16/11
Date