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STATE OF WISCONSIN
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF	:	
DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST	:	ORDER OF
	:	SUMMARY SUSPENSION
REGINA M. SWENSON, R.N.,	:	ORDER00001633
RESPONDENT.	:	

Division of Enforcement Case #10 NUR 499

This matter came before the Board at its regular and properly noticed meeting on January 27, 2011. The appearances were Arthur Thexton, Prosecuting Attorney; Respondent appeared with her attorney, William S. Cole, of Reuter, Whitish & Cole, S.C., Madison. The Board received the sworn Petition, copies of the Criminal Complaints, and copies of prescriptions, and heard statements by the Prosecuting Attorney, defense attorney, and Respondent.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Regina M. Swenson (D.O.B. 1/31/78) is duly licensed in the state of Wisconsin as a professional nurse (license #140260). This license was first granted on 2/14/02. Her address of record is 1634 Delaware Blvd., Madison WI 53704-1818.
2. There is probable cause to believe that the allegations of the Petition are true.
3. Summary suspension is necessary to protect the public health, safety and welfare.
4. A formal Complaint alleging that Respondent has committed unprofessional conduct has been filed.
5. Respondent was informed of this Notice and Petition for Summary Suspension on 1/12/11, by having the documents mailed to her address of record, and e-mailed to her e-mail address on file with the Department, on that date.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

The legal requirements for summary suspension pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.51(3) and Wis. Adm. Code ch. RL 6, have been met.

ORDER

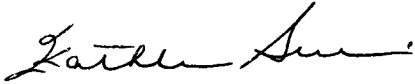
NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED: the license of Regina M. Swenson, R.N., to practice nursing is **SUSPENDED** pending a final decision and order in this matter. Respondent shall surrender her credentials to the Board, or any department staff requesting them, forthwith.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that Respondent may request a hearing to show cause why this suspension order should not be continued, and may file such request with the Administrative Law

Judge assigned to this matter, at Division of Hearings and Appeals, 5005 University Avenue #201, P.O. Box 7875, Madison, WI 53707-7875. A hearing on such request shall be scheduled within 20 days of the date the ALJ receives such request, unless Respondent agrees to a later date.

Dated this January 27, 2011,

WISCONSIN BOARD OF NURSING, by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Kathleen Summs".

A member of the board

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