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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

: FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

TEDDY B. BIGCAS, R.N., RESPONDENT.

ORDER 0001805

Division of Enforcement Case No. 12NUR103

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

Teddy B. Bigcas, R.N. 907 E. Lake Avenue Monticello, WI 53570

Division of Enforcement
Department of Safety and Professional Services
1400 East Washington Avenue
P.O. Box 8935
Madison, WI 53708-8935

Board of Nursing Department of Safety and Professional Services 1400 East Washington Avenue P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935

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 of Nursing. The Board has reviewed the attached Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Board in this matter adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Teddy B. Bigcas, R.N., (DOB 10/23/1973) is licensed as a professional nurse in the State of Wisconsin (license no. 162324-30). This license was first granted on March 14, 2008.

- 2. Respondent's most recent address on file with the Wisconsin Board of Nursing is 907 E. Lake Avenue, Monticello, WI 53570. Upon information and belief, Respondent currently resides at 2019 Allen Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63104.
- 3. On February 24, 2012, the Missouri Board of Nursing issued a Settlement Agreement between the Missouri Board of Nursing and Respondent in which Respondent's license to practice as a registered professional nurse was publicly censured.
- 4. The Settlement Agreement was based on Respondent having engaged in inappropriate sexual contact with male patients.

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).
- 2. The conduct described in paragraphs 3-4 above constitutes a violation of Wisconsin Admin. Code § N 7.04(7) and (11) and subjects Respondent to discipline pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 441.07(1)(d).

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. The SURRENDER of Teddy B. Bigcas' right to renew his license to practice nursing in the State of Wisconsin is hereby accepted.
- 2. The SURRENDER of the privilege of Teddy B. Bigcas to practice nursing in the State of Wisconsin under another state license pursuant to the Nurse Licensure Compact is hereby accepted.
- 3. In the event that Respondent re-applies for licensure as a nurse in the future, the Board may enter an order denying such application without further notice or hearing.
- 4. In the event that Respondent ever reapplies for any credential in Wisconsin Respondent shall, prior to such application, pay costs of this proceeding in the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200.00). Payment shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services, and mailed to:

Department Monitor
Division of Enforcement
Department of Safety and Professional Services

P.O. Box 8935 Madison, WI 53708-8935 Telephone (608) 267-3817 Fax (608) 266-2264

5. This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

Board of Nursing

By: Junes Why GRAS A APROF

Date