BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS

JUDITHUS CASTILO * 65312

DECLARATORY ORDER OF CONDITIONAL ELIGIBILITY

On the date entered below, the Executive Director of the Board of Nurse Examiners, Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, considered the Petitions for Declaratory Order and the supporting documents filed by the individuals listed below in accordance with Article 4519a(a), Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The following individuals have submitted petitions and supporting documents requesting a Declaratory Order as to their eligibility for licensure.
- 2. The staff's review of the grounds for potential ineligibility has been made on the basis of each individual's disclosures.
- 3. Each individual has been advised that incomplete or incorrect disclosures or subsequent acquisition of a basis for ineligibility will be considered and may result in an ultimate determination of ineligibility.
- 4. Each individual has disclosed a conviction for a non-moral turpitude offense or a Class C misdemeanor.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Board of Nurse Examiners has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Article 4525(a), Texas Revised Civil Statutes, Annotated, as amended.
- 2. The following individuals have submitted petitions in accordance with Article 4519a(a), TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN., as amended.
- 3. This Order is conditioned upon the accuracy and completeness of each individual's disclosures.
- 4. The Board of Nurse Examiners may license individuals who have been previously convicted of a crime upon consideration of the factors set out in 22 Texas Administrative Code §213.28 and evaluating the direct relationship of the conviction to nursing according to Article 6252-13c(b), TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN., as amended.

IT APPEARING TO STAFF that the matters disclosed in the petitions and supporting documents of the following individuals are insufficient to deny admission to the NCLEX-RN and

I do hereby certify this to be a complete, accurate, and true copy of the document which is on file or is of record in the offices of the Z. Texas Board of Nursing.

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licensure, THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ARE DECLARED CONDITIONALLY ELIGIBLE FOR LICENSURE SUBJECT TO THE RESERVATIONS SET OUT IN THIS ORDER:

NAME OF PETITIONER

John Ernest Baker Judith Ann Castillo Mary Elizabeth Cota David Matthew Hudson Janis Elaine Marin Sherry Unverzagt Roadcap Angela Marie Swanson Alex Keitn Tucker

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that:

- Each individual affected by this Order shall, upon graduation from an accredited school of nursing, be subject to the requirements of the Board for entrance to the National Council Licensure Examination for Registered Nurses (NCLEX-RN) and the requirements for licensure upon attaining a passing grade on the NCLEX-RN, Article 4519, TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN., as amended.
- 2. The Foard shall determine eligibility for licensure in accordance with Article 4525(a), TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN., as amenued, at the time of application for examination and licensure. Any disclosure by an individual in the Declaratory Order process later found to be incomplete or incorrect or any subsequent conduct or condition constituting a basis for ineligibility shall be considered by the Board in evaluating a graduate nurse's ultimate eligibility.
- 3. Each individual named in this Order shall immediately notify the Board of any fact or event that could constitute a ground of ineligibility for licensure under Article 4525(b), TEX. REV. CIV. STAT. ANN., as amended.
- 4. Each individual affected by this Order, upon receiving authorization to practice professional nursing in Texas, shall comply in all respects with the Nursing Practice Act, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas Article 4513 et seq., the Rules and Regulations Relating to Professional Nurse Education, Licensure and Practice, 22 Texas Administrative Code §211.01 et seq., and this Order.

Entered this <u>20th</u> day of <u>February</u> 1998.

BOARD OF NURSE EXAMINERS

FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS

By:

Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN

Executive Director on behalf of said Board