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Stephanie O. Williams
Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

In the Matter of _____ § AGREED
Registered Nurse License Number 808433 §
issued to SARAH EMILY REEVES § ORDER

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of SARAH EMILY REEVES, Registered Nurse License Number 808433, hereinafter referred to as Respondent. This action was taken in accordance with Section 301.453(c), Texas Occupations Code.

Respondent waived notice and hearing and agreed to the entry of this Order.

The Board makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Prior to the institution of Agency proceedings, notice of the matters specified below in these Findings of Fact was served on Respondent and Respondent was given an opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license(s).
2. Respondent waived notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.
3. Respondent's license to practice as a professional nurse in the State of Texas is in current status.
4. Respondent received a Baccalaureate in Nursing from University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler, Texas, on August 12, 2011. Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on September 20, 2011.
5. Respondent's professional nursing employment history includes:

9/11-Present	ICD Nurse	Diagnostic Clinic of Longview Longview, Texas
9/11-Present	Critical Care Nurse	Longview Regional Hospital Longview

6. On or about October 21, 2014, Respondent entered a plea of Guilty to and was convicted of INTOXICATION MANSLAUGHTER WITH A VEHICLE, a Second Degree felony offense, committed on November 21, 2012, in the Gregg County District Court No. 124, Longview, Texas, under Case No. 42273-B. As a result of the conviction, Respondent was sentenced to confinement in the State Jail Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Longview, Texas, for a period of ten (10) year; however, imposition of the sentence of confinement was suspended, and Respondent was placed on probation for a period of ten (10) years, and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of sixty dollars (\$60.00), along with a fine and court costs.
7. Respondent, by her signature to this Order, expresses her desire to voluntarily surrender her license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
8. The Board policy implementing Rule 213.29 in effect on the date of this Agreed Order provides discretion by the Executive Director for consideration of conditional reinstatement after proof of twelve (12) consecutive months of abstinence from alcohol and drugs followed by licensure limitations/stipulations and/or peer assistance program participation.
9. The Board finds that there exists serious risks to public health and safety as a result of impaired nursing care due to intemperate use of controlled substances or chemical dependency.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Pursuant to Texas Occupations Code, Sections 301.451-301.555, the Board has jurisdiction over this matter.
2. Notice was served in accordance with law.
3. The evidence received is sufficient to prove violation(s) of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(13).
4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(3)&(10), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Registered Nurse License Number 808433, heretofore issued to SARAH EMILY REEVES, including revocation of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
5. Under Section 301.453(c), Texas Occupations Code, the Board has the authority to accept the voluntary surrender of a license.
6. Under Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, as amended, the Board may impose conditions for reinstatement of licensure.

7. Any subsequent reinstatement of this license will be controlled by Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §213.26-.29, and any amendments thereof in effect at the time of the reinstatement.

TERMS OF ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED and ORDERED that the **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER** of Registered Nurse License Number 808433, heretofore issued to SARAH EMILY REEVES, to practice nursing in the State of Texas, is accepted by the Texas Board of Nursing. In connection with this acceptance, the Board imposes the following conditions:

1. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT practice professional/registered nursing, use the title "registered nurse" or the abbreviation "RN" or wear any insignia identifying herself as a registered nurse or use any designation which, directly or indirectly, would lead any person to believe that RESPONDENT is a registered nurse during the period in which the license is surrendered.
2. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT petition for reinstatement of licensure until:
 - A. Pursuant to Tex. Occ. Code section 301.4535(c), at least five (5) years from the date the Respondent successfully completes and is dismissed from community supervision or parole has elapsed; and
 - B. RESPONDENT has obtained objective, verifiable proof of twelve (12) consecutive months of sobriety immediately preceding the petition for reinstatement.
3. Upon petitioning for reinstatement, RESPONDENT SHALL satisfy all then existing requirements for relicensure.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that this Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

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RESPONDENT'S CERTIFICATION

I understand that I have the right to legal counsel prior to signing this Agreed Order.

I have reviewed this Order. I neither admit nor deny the violation(s) alleged herein. By my signature on this Order, I agree to the entry of this Order, and any conditions of said Order, to avoid further disciplinary action in this matter. I waive judicial review of this Order. I understand that this Order becomes final when accepted by the Executive Director at which time the terms of this Order become effective and a copy will be mailed to me.

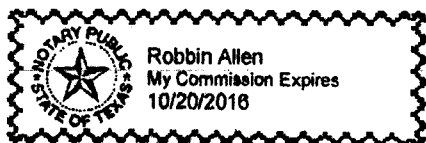
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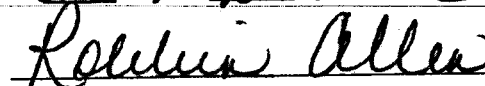


SARAH EMILY REEVES, Respondent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24 day of December, 2014.

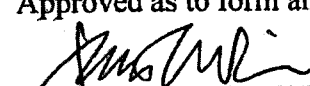
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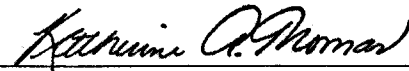
~~Cliffon L. Holmes~~, Attorney for Respondent



Signed this 22nd day of December, 2014

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Executive Director, on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing, does hereby accept the voluntary surrender of Registered Nurse License Number 808433, previously issued to SARAH EMILY REEVES.

Effective this 29th day of December, 2014.



Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN
Executive Director on behalf
of said Board