BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING



In the Matter of	§	AGREED
Registered Nurse License Number 593087	Ş	
issued to SHARON G. TRUESDALE	§	ORDER

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board,

considered the matter of SHARON G. TRUESDALE, Registered Nurse License Number 593087,

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 inactive status.
- 4. Respondent received an Associate Degree from Greenville Technical School of Nursing, Greenville, South Carolina, on June 1, 1974. Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on September 3, 1993.
- 5. Respondent's professional nursing employment history is unknown.
- 6. On or about March 2, 2014, Respondent was arrested by the Seabrook Police Department, Seabrook, Texas, and subsequently charged in the 184th District Court, Harris County, Texas, under Cause No. 141985501010 for CRIMINAL MISCHIEF >= \$1500<\$20K, a State Jail felony offense.

On or about March 4, 2014, Respondent entered a plea of Guilty to CRIMINAL MISCH >=\$1500<\$20K, a State Jail felony offense committed on or about March 2, 2014, in the 184th District Court, Harris County, Texas, under Cause No. 141985501010. As a result of the plea, the proceedings against Respondent were deferred, without entering an adjudication of guilt, and Respondent was placed on probation for a period of two (2) years and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00), along with court costs.

- 7. Formal Charges were filed on October 6, 2014.
- 8. Formal Charges were mailed to Respondent on October 8, 2014.
- 9. Respondent, by her signature to this Order, expresses her desire to voluntarily surrender her license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

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).
- 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
 593087, heretofore issued to SHARON G. TRUESDALE, including revocation of
 Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
- 5. Pursuant to Section 301.463(d), Texas Occupations Code, this Agreed Order is a settlement agreement under Rule 408, Texas Rules of Evidence, in civil or criminal litigation.
- 6. Under Section 301.453(c), Texas Occupations Code, the Board has the authority to accept the voluntary surrender of a license.
- 7. Under Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, as amended, the Board may impose conditions for reinstatement of licensure.
- 8. 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 593087, heretofore issued to SHARON G

TRUESDALE, 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 one (1) year has elapsed from the date of this Order.
- 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 waive representation by counsel. 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.

Signed this <u>21</u> day of <u>JUN</u> 20<u>15 </u>.

John Maurice Truesdale, Jr., Legal Guardian for SHARON G. TRUESDALE, Respondent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this O_1 day of JONE, 20 15.

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Notary Public in and for the State of /evas

Kim Irving Morrell Av Commission Expires 4/2019

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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 593087, previously issued to SHARON G. TRUESDALE.

Effective this <u>3rd</u> day of <u>June</u>, 2015.

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Executive Director on behalf of said Board



STAN STANART COUNTY CLERK, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS PROBATE COURTS DEPARTMENT

IN MATTERS OF PROBATE

PROBATE COURT NO. Three (3)

HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

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ESTATE OF: SHARON DIANE URUESDALE, INCAPACITATED.

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It is hereby certified that JOEN MAURICE TRUESDALE. JR was by said court duly appointed GUARDIAN of the Resson of SHARON DIANE TRUESDALE, INCAPACITATISD, on AUGUST 20, 2014, with full authority except as provided by law. The said GUARDIAN qualified as such on AUGUST 26, 2014.

Letters were issued on AUGUST 26, 2014, and shall remain in offect until DECIM/IDER 26, 2015, or until further orders, of the court.

Insofar as my records show said GUARDIAN is still acting in said capacity.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, at Bouston, Royas, on August 26, 2014.

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