IN THE MATTER OF		§	BEFORE THE TEXAS
PERMANENT VOCATIONAL NURSE		§	
LICENSE NUMBER 171763		§	
ISSUED TO TOBIAS JOHN REHR	,	§	
RESPONDENT		§	BOARD OF NURSING



## NUNC PRO TUNC ORDER OF THE BOARD

TO:

TOBIAS JOHN REHR 7331 KING ARTHUR SAN ANTONIO, TX 78218

An Agreed Order of the Board was entered for Tobias John Rehr on October 22, 2015. The Agreed Order, however, omitted language on page 4 that is necessary to prescribe the time period in which the Respondent must meet the requirements of the Order. Upon notice and hearing, administrative agencies, like the Courts, have the power to enter nunc pro tunc orders where it can be seen by reference to a record that what was intended to be entered, but was omitted by inadvertence or mistake, can be corrected upon satisfactory proof of its rendition provided that no intervening rights will be prejudiced. *Railroad Comm'n v. McClain*, 356 S.W.2d 330, 334 (Tex. App.--Austin 1962, no writ) (citing *Frankfort Ky. Nat. Gas Co. v. City of Frankfort*, 276 Ky. 199, 123 S.W.2d 270, 272).

The Executive Director, as agent of the Texas Board of Nursing, after review and due consideration of the record and the facts therein submits and enters the corrected Agreed Order, which includes the necessary language on page 4. Respondent received due process regarding his license; therefore, his rights have not been prejudiced.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the corrected Agreed Order of the Board is hereby approved and entered on the dates set forth below.

Order effective October 22, 2015.

Entered this 28th day of October, 2015.

BY:

KATHERINE A. THOMAS, MN, RN, FAAN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON BEHALF OF SAID BOARD

#### BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

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In the Matter of § AGREED

Vocational Nurse License Number 171763 §

issued to TOBIAS JOHN REHR § ORDER

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of TOBIAS JOHN REHR, Vocational Nurse License Number 171763, hereinafter referred to as Respondent.

Information received by the Board produced evidence that Respondent may be subject to discipline pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(1)&(10), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent waived notice and hearing and agreed to the entry of this Order approved by Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN, Executive Director, on July 27, 2015.

#### 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 vocational nurse in the State of Texas is in current status.
- 4. Respondent received a Certificate in Vocational Nursing from Army Practical Nurse Course, Fort Sam Houston, Texas on March 19, 1999. Respondent was licensed to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas on April 28, 1999.
- 5. Respondent's vocational nursing employment history is unknown.

- 6. On or about February 20, 2014, Respondents was issued the sanction of REMEDIAL EDUCATION AND A FINE by the Texas Board of Nursing. A copy of the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Agreed Order dated February 20, 2014, is attached and incorporated, by reference, as part of this Order.
- 7. On or about February 21, 2015, Respondent failed to comply with the Agreed Order issued to her on February 20, 2014, by the Texas Board of Nursing. Noncompliance is the result of Respondent's failure to comply with Stipulation Number One (1) of the Agreed Order which states, in pertinent part:
  - (1) RESPONDENT SHALL, within one (1) year of entry of this Order, successfully complete a course in Texas nursing jurisprudence and ethics...
- 8. On or about February 21, 2015, Respondent failed to comply with the Agreed Order issued to her on February 20, 2014, by the Texas Board of Nursing. Noncompliance is the result of Respondent's failure to comply with Stipulation Number Two (2) of the Agreed Order which states, in pertinent part:
  - (2) RESPONDENT SHALL, within one (1) year of entry of this Order, successfully complete the course "Sharpening Critical Thinking Skills"...
- 9. In response to Findings of Fact Numbers Seven (7) and Eight (8), Respondents states his household went from a two (2) income family with four (4) children to a one (1) income family. He took on a second job in the oilfield to offset the loss of income and was so busy working that time got away from him.
- 10. Formal Charges were filed on June 18, 2015.
- 11. Formal Charges were mailed to Respondent on July 1, 2015.

#### **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(11)(B).
- 4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(1)&(10), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Vocational Nurse License Number 171763, heretofore issued to TOBIAS JOHN REHR.

#### TERMS OF ORDER

# I. SANCTION AND APPLICABILITY

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED and ORDERED that RESPONDENT SHALL receive the sanction of **WARNING WITH STIPULATIONS AND A FINE** in accordance with the terms of this Order.

- A. This Order SHALL apply to any and all future licenses issued to Respondent to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
- B. This Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
- C. Respondent may not work outside the State of Texas in another nurse licensure compact party state without first obtaining the written permission of the Texas Board of Nursing and the Board of Nursing in the nurse licensure compact party state where Respondent wishes to work.

# II. COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

While under the terms of this Order, RESPONDENT agrees to comply in all respects with the Nursing Practice Act, Texas Occupations Code, §§301.001 et seq., the Rules and Regulations Relating to Nurse Education, Licensure and Practice, 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§211.1 et seq., and this Order.

## III. MONETARY FINE

RESPONDENT SHALL pay a monetary fine in the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) within forty-five (45) days of entry of this Order. Payment is to be made directly to the Texas Board of Nursing in the form of cashier's check or U.S. money order. Partial payments will not be accepted.

# IV. COMPLIANCE WITH PRIOR ORDER

The Order of the Board issued to RESPONDENT on February 20, 2014, is still in effect in its entirety and RESPONDENT SHALL be responsible for completing the terms of that Order within six (6) months from the date of this Order.

# V. RESTORATION OF UNENCUMBERED LICENSE(S)

Upon full compliance with the terms of this Order, all encumbrances will be removed from RESPONDENT'S license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas and RESPONDENT may be eligible for nurse licensure compact privileges, if any.

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#### BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING



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Executive Director of the Board

In the Matter of \$ AGREED Vocational Nurse License Number 171763 \$

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ORDER

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## 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 representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.
- 3. Respondent is currently licensed to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas.
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- 6. On or about July 20, 2004, Respondent submitted a Texas Online Renewal Document for Licensed Vocational Nurses to the Board of Nurse Examiners, in which Respondent provided false, deceptive, and/or misleading information, in that he answered "No" to the question:

"Were you convicted of a misdemeanor other than a minor traffic violation since your last renewal?"

Respondent failed to disclose that, on or about April 19, 2004, Respondent entered a plea of Nolo Contendere to and was convicted of the lesser included offense of EVADING ARREST, a Class A misdemeanor, in the 38th Judicial District Court of Medina County, Texas, under Cause No. 04-04-9119-CR.

7. In response to Finding of Fact Number Six (6), Respondent states that he was not convicted of a felony so he thought he did not need to disclose it.

## CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 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 §239.11(8)&(29)(eff. 2/1/2004).
- 4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(2)&(10), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Vocational Nurse License Number 171763, heretofore issued to TOBIAS JOHN REHR, including revocation of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

#### **ORDER**

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED and ORDERED that RESPONDENT SHALL receive the sanction of a REMEDIAL EDUCATION AND A FINE, and RESPONDENT SHALL comply in all respects with the Nursing Practice Act, Texas Occupations Code §§301.001 et seq., the Rules and Regulations Relating to Nurse Education, Licensure and Practice, 22 Tex. ADMIN. Code §211.1 et seq. and this Order.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that, while under the terms of this Order, this Order SHALL apply to any and all future licenses issued to Respondent to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

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.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that while Respondent's license(s) is/are encumbered by this Order, Respondent may not work outside the State of Texas pursuant to a nurse licensure compact privilege without the written permission of the State of Texas and the Board of Nursing in the party state where Respondent wishes to work.

# IT IS FURTHER AGREED that:

(1) RESPONDENT SHALL, within one (1) year of entry of this Order, successfully complete a course in Texas nursing jurisprudence and ethics. RESPONDENT SHALL obtain Board approval of the course prior to enrollment only if the course is not being offered by a pre-approved provider. Home study courses and video programs will not be approved. In order for the course to be approved, the target audience shall include nurses. It shall be a minimum of six (6) hours in The course's content shall include the Nursing Practice Act, standards of practice, documentation of care, principles of nursing ethics, confidentiality, professional boundaries, and the Board's Disciplinary Sanction Policies regarding: Sexual Misconduct; Fraud, Theft and Deception; Nurses with Substance Abuse, Misuse, Substance Dependency, or other Substance Use Disorder; and Lying and Falsification. Courses focusing on malpractice issues will not be accepted. RESPONDENT SHALL CAUSE the sponsoring institution to submit a Verification of Course Completion form, provided by the Board, to the Office of the Board to verify RESPONDENTS successful completion of the course. This course shall be taken in addition to any other courses stipulated in this Order, if any, and in addition to any continuing education requirements the Board has for relicensure. Board-approved courses may be found at the following Board website address: http://www.bon.texas.gov/disciplinaryaction/stipscourses.html.

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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 Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, 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 when this Order becomes final and the terms of this Order become effective, a copy will be mailed to me. I understand that if I fail to comply with all terms and conditions of this Order, I will be subject to investigation and disciplinary sanction, including revocation of my license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas, as a consequence of my noncompliance.

Signed this 3 day of Janualy, 2014.

TOBIAS JOHN REHR, Respondent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3 day of January 2014

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Notary Public in and for the State of Texa.5

HARRISON SCOTT CIVICK
Notary Public
State of Texas
My Comm. Exp. 07-03-2017

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Executive Director, on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing, does hereby ratify and adopt the Agreed Order that was signed on the 31st day of January. 2014, by TOBIAS JOHN REHR, Vocational Nurse License Number 171763, and said Order is final.

Effective this 20th day of February, 2014.

Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN

Executive Director on behalf

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## BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

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## FINDINGS OF FACT

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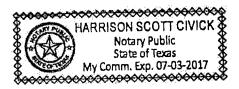
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Notary Public in and for the State of Texas



WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Texas Board of Nursing does hereby ratify and adopt the Agreed Order that was signed on the 18th day of August, 2015, by TOBIAS JOHN REHR, Vocational Nurse License Number 171763, and said Order is final.

Effective this 22nd day of October, 2015.

Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN

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Executive Director on behalf

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#### BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING



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

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Vocational Nurse License Number 171763

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> Signed this 31 day of January, 2014. TOBIAS JOHN REHR, Respondent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3 day of Janualy, 2014

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Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Executive Director, on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing, does hereby ratify and adopt the Agreed Order that was signed on the 31st day of January, 2014, by TOBIAS JOHN REHR, Vocational Nurse License Number 171763, and said Order is final.

Effective this 20th day of February, 2014.

Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN

Executive Director on behalf of said Board