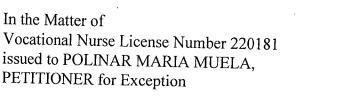
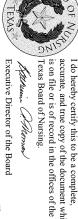
BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

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ORDER GRANTING PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR EXCEPTION

On this day, the Executive Director, on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing, herein referred to as the "Board", considered Petitioner's Request for Exception filed in the above-styled matter. An Agreed Order of the Board was entered on January 19, 2017, for POLINAR MARIA MUELA, Vocational Nurse License Number 220181. Petitioner filed a Request for Exception to the Agreed Order on February 6, 2017. After review and due consideration of the Petitioner's request, and pursuant to 22 Tex. Admin. Code §211.7(h), the Executive Director of the Board GRANTS Petitioner's Request for Exception.

Therefore, Petitioner is required to comply with and complete all of the remaining requirements of the January 19, 2017, Agreed Order as written, except that Stipulation Number Five (IV), subsection (D) is modified as follows:

(D) Nursing Performance Evaluations: RESPONDENT SHALL CAUSE each employer to submit, on forms provided to the Respondent by the Board, periodic reports as to RESPONDENT's capability to practice nursing. These reports shall be completed by the RESPONDENT's employer and these reports shall be submitted to the office of the Board at the end of each three (3) month quarterly period for four (4) quarters [one (1) year] of employment as a nurse.

Entered this 24th day of April, 2017.

TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

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