

#### BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

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In the Matter of	§	AGREED ORDER
SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER,	§	FOR
Registered Nurse License Number 803454	§	DISCIPLINE &
& PETITIONER for Eligibility for Licensure	§	ELIGIBILITY

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of Registered Nurse License Number 803454 and the Application for Licensure as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse and Prescriptive Authority, which has been processed as a Petition for Declaratory Order, hereinafter referred to as the Petition, pursuant to 22 Tex. ADMIN CODE §221.4(a)(7), and supporting documents filed by SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER, hereinafter referred to as Petitioner, requesting a determination of eligibility for licensure in compliance with Section 301.257, Texas Occupations Code, and the Board's Rules at 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §221.4(a), together with any documents and information gathered by staff and Petitioner's Certification contained herein.

Information received by the Board produced evidence that Petitioner may be subject to discipline and ineligible for licensure pursuant to Sections 301.452(b)(1)&(10) and 301.453, Texas Occupations Code.

Petitioner waived notice and hearing and agreed to the entry of this Agreed Order approved by Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN, Executive Director, on January 21, 2020.

# **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 Petitioner and Petitioner was given an opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license(s).
- 2. Petitioner waived notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Agreed Order.

- 3. Petitioner's license to practice as a professional nurse in the State of Texas is in current status.
- 4. Petitioner received a Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing from The University of Texas, Arlington, Texas, on April 1, 2011. Petitioner received a Master's Degree in Nursing from Chamberlain University, Downers Grove, Illinois, on February 28, 2018. Petitioner was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on June 23, 2011.
- 5. Petitioner's nursing employment history includes:

6/2011-10/2014	Staff Nurse	Baylor University Medical Center Dallas, Texas
3/2012-10/2012	School Nurse	Mountain View School Dallas, Texas
3/2012-3/2013	Staff Nurse	Dr. Tattoff Dallas, Texas
1/2013-9/2013	Review Nurse	Corvel Insurance Fort Worth, Texas
10/2014-5/2015	Staff Nurse	Planned Parenthood ASC Dallas, Texas
5/2015-Unknown	Travel Nurse	Supplemental Health Care Park City, Utah
6/2015-8/2015	Travel Nurse	Canyon Vista Medical Sierra Vista, Arizona
9/2015-12/2015	Travel Nurse	Presbyterian Hospital Wheat Ridge, Colorado
12/2015-Unknown	Travel Nurse	Exempla Lutheran MC Wheat Ridge, Colorado

- 6. On or about July 19, 2018, Petitioner was issued the sanction of Warning with Stipulations through an Order of the Board. A copy of the July 19, 2018, Order is attached and incorporated herein by reference as part of this Agreed Order.
- 7. On or about November 18, 2019, Petitioner failed to successfully complete the Knowledge, Skills, Training, Assessment and Research (KSTAR) Program, as required by Section III of the Agreed Order issued to her on July 19, 2018.

- 8. On or about February 19, 2019, Petitioner successfully completed a Board-approved class in Texas nursing jurisprudence and ethics, which would have been a requirement of this Order.
- 9. On or about January 2, 2020, Petitioner submitted the Petition requesting a determination of eligibility for licensure.
- 10. The Executive Director considered evidence of Petitioner's past behavior in light of the factors set out in 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §213.27 and determined that Petitioner currently demonstrates the criteria required for licensure.
- 11. The Executive Director's review of the grounds for potential ineligibility has been made on the basis of Petitioner's disclosures.
- 12. Petitioner has been advised by the Board that any information found to be incomplete, incorrect or misleading to the Board or a subsequent discovery of a basis of ineligibility will be considered by the Board and may result in an ultimate determination of ineligibility or the later revocation of a license obtained through fraud or deceit.
- 13. Petitioner shall immediately notify the Board of any fact or event that could constitute a ground of ineligibility for licensure under Section 301.452(b), Texas Occupations Code.

#### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 1. Pursuant to Texas Occupations Code, Sections 301.451-301.555, the Board has jurisdiction over this matter.
- 2. On or about January 2, 2020, Petitioner submitted the Petition requesting a determination of eligibility for licensure in compliance with Section 301.257, Texas Occupations Code, and the Board's Rules at 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §221.4(a).
- 3. The evidence received is sufficient to prove violation(s) of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(11)(B).
- 4. Petitioner's history reflects conduct which may constitute grounds for discipline and denial of a license under Section 301.452(b) (1)&(10), Texas Occupations Code.
- 5. The Board may probate the denial of a license under conditions for a specified term pursuant to Section 301.453, Texas Occupations Code.
- 6. The Board may license an individual upon evaluation of the factors in 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §213.27, and pursuant to 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §213.33, if the Board is satisfied that the individual is able to consistently conform her conduct to the requirements of the

- Nursing Practice Act, the Board's Rules and Regulations, and generally accepted standards of nursing practice.
- 7. This Order is conditioned upon the accuracy and completeness of Petitioner's disclosures. Any subsequently discovered discrepancies will result in investigation and possible disciplinary action, up to revocation of Petitioner's license(s).
- 8. 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.

# TERMS OF ORDER

#### I. ELIGIBILITY FOR LICENSURE AND APPLICABILITY

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED and ORDERED that PETITIONER SHALL receive the sanction of WARNING WITH STIPULATIONS and the PETITION for licensure as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse and Prescriptive Authority is hereby GRANTED, and upon payment of any required fees and meeting all other applicable requirements, PETITIONER SHALL be issued the applicable license to practice as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse (APRN) in the State of Texas in accordance with the terms of this Order, and:

- A. Until successfully completed, any and all licenses issued to Petitioner shall be subject to the terms of this Order.
- B. Until successfully completed, this Order SHALL be applicable to PETITIONER'S nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
- C. As a result of this Order, PETITIONER'S license will be designated "single state" and PETITIONER may not work outside the State of Texas in another nurse licensure compact party state.

# II. COMPLIANCE WITH LAW

While under the terms of this Order, PETITIONER agrees to comply in all respects with the Nursing Practice Act, Texas Occupations Code, §§301.001 et seq., the Rules and

Regulations Relating to Nursing Education, Licensure and Practice, 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§211.1 *et seq.*, and this Agreed Order.

#### III. SUPERSEDING ORDER

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that the sanction and conditions of this Agreed Order SHALL supersede all previous stipulations required by any Order entered by the Texas Board of Nursing.

# IV. REMEDIAL EDUCATION COURSE(S)

In addition to any continuing education requirements the Board may require for licensure renewal, PETITIONER SHALL successfully complete the following remedial education course(s) within one (1) year of the effective date of this Order, unless otherwise specifically indicated:

A. <u>The course "Sharpening Critical Thinking Skills,"</u> a 3.6 contact hour online program provided by the National Council of State Boards of Nursing (NCSBN) Learning Extension.

In order to receive credit for completion of this/these course(s), PETITIONER SHALL CAUSE the instructor to submit a Verification of Course Completion form or SHALL submit the continuing education certificate, as applicable, to the attention of Monitoring at the Board's office. PETITIONER SHALL first obtain Board approval of any course prior to enrollment if the course is <u>not</u> being offered by a pre-approved provider. Information about Board-approved courses and Verification of Course Completion forms are available from the Board at www.bon.texas.gov/compliance.

# V. EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS <u>PRIOR TO</u> LICENSURE AND EMPLOYMENT AS AN APRN

In order to complete the terms of this Order, PETITIONER must work as a nurse in the State of Texas, providing direct patient care in a clinical healthcare setting, <u>for a minimum of sixty-four (64) hours per month</u> for four (4) quarterly periods [one (1) year] of employment as a Registered Nurse or until PETITIONER becomes licensed and

employed as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse, whichever occurs first. This requirement will not be satisfied until a total of four (4) quarterly periods of employment as a nurse have elapsed. Periods of unemployment or of employment that do not require the use of a registered nurse (RN) or a vocational nurse (LVN) license, as appropriate, will not apply to this period and will not count towards completion of this requirement.

- A. Notifying Present and Future Employers: PETITIONER SHALL notify each present employer in nursing and present each with a complete copy of this Order, including all attachments, if any, within five (5) days of receipt of this Order. While under the terms of this Order, PETITIONER SHALL notify all future employers in nursing and present each with a complete copy of this Order, including all attachments, if any, prior to accepting an offer of employment.
- B. Notification of Employment Forms: PETITIONER SHALL CAUSE each present employer in nursing to submit the Board's "Notification of Employment" form to the Board's office within ten (10) days of receipt of this Order. PETITIONER SHALL CAUSE each future employer to submit the Board's "Notification of Employment form" to the Board's office within five (5) days of employment as a nurse.
- C. Indirect Supervision: PETITIONER SHALL be supervised by a Registered Nurse, if licensed as a Registered Nurse, or by a Licensed Vocational Nurse or a Registered Nurse, if licensed as a Licensed Vocational Nurse, who is on the premises. The supervising nurse is not required to be on the same unit or ward as PETITIONER, but should be on the facility grounds and readily available to provide assistance and intervention if necessary. The supervising nurse shall have a minimum of two (2) years of experience in the same or similar practice setting to which the PETITIONER is currently working. PETITIONER SHALL work only regularly assigned, identified and predetermined unit(s). PETITIONER SHALL NOT be employed by a nurse registry, temporary nurse employment agency, hospice, or home health agency. PETITIONER SHALL NOT be self-employed or contract for services. Multiple employers are prohibited.
- D. Nursing Performance Evaluations: PETITIONER SHALL CAUSE each employer to submit, on forms provided to the PETITIONER by the Board, periodic reports as to PETITIONER'S capability to practice nursing. These reports shall be completed by the individual who supervises the PETITIONER and these reports shall be submitted by the supervising individual 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.

# VI. EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS <u>AFTER</u> LICENSURE AND EMPLOYMENT AS AN APRN

Upon becoming licensed and employed as an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse, in order to complete any remaining terms of this Order, PETITIONER must work as an advanced practice registered nurse in the State of Texas, providing direct patient care in a clinical healthcare setting, for a minimum of sixty-four (64) hours per month for the remainder of the four (4) quarterly periods [one (1) year] of employment, if any. This requirement will not be satisfied until a total of four (4) quarterly periods of employment as either a registered nurse and/or as an advanced practice registered nurse under the terms of this Order have elapsed. Periods of unemployment or of employment that do not require the use of an advanced practice registered nurse (APRN) license will not apply to this period and will not count towards completion of this requirement. Further, upon becoming licensed and employed as an advanced practice registered nurse, PETITIONER may not work as a registered nurse (RN) or a vocational nurse (LVN) license while under any remaining terms of this Order.

- A. Notifying Present and Future Employers, Practice Sites and Credentialing Agencies: PETITIONER SHALL notify each present employer, practice site and/or credentialing agency in nursing of this Order of the Board and the stipulations on PETITIONER'S license(s). PETITIONER SHALL present a complete copy of this Order and all Proposals for Decision issued by the Administrative Law Judge, if any, to each present employer, practice site and/or credentialing agency in nursing within five (5) days of receipt of this Order. While under the terms of this Order, PETITIONER SHALL notify all future employers, practice sites and/or credentialing agencies in nursing and present a complete copy of this Order, including all attachments, if any, to each future employer, practice site and/or credentialing agency in nursing prior to accepting an offer of employment and/or assignment.
- B. Notification of Employment Forms: PETITIONER SHALL CAUSE each present employer, practice site and/or credentialing agency in nursing to submit the Board's "Notification of Employment" form, which is provided to the

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PETITIONER by the Board, to the Board's office within ten (10) days of receipt of this Order. PETITIONER SHALL CAUSE each future employer, practice site and/or credentialing agency in nursing to submit the Board's "Notification of Employment" form, which is provided to the PETITIONER by the Board, to the Board's office within five (5) days of employment as a nurse.

- C. Monitored Practice: For the remainder of the stipulation period, PETITIONER'S advanced practice registered nursing must be monitored by a Physician or an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse in the same advanced role and population focus area as PETITIONER who has been approved by the Board. PETITIONER MUST, within ten (10) days of entry of this Order or within (10) days of employment as an advanced practice registered nurse, provide to the Board a list of three (3) Advanced Practice Registered Nurses and/or three (3) Physicians from which the Board shall select an approved monitor. For each Advanced Practice Registered Nurse and Physician, the list must include name, license number or social security number, educational background and professional employment history. Monitoring shall commence no later than thirty (30) days following the date of PETITIONER'S receipt of the name of the approved monitor selected by the Board. The monitor will offer guidance, advice and assistance to the PETITIONER as necessary to ensure that deficiencies such as those set forth in this Order do not reoccur. PETITIONER SHALL meet with the monitor at least twice a month, at least one (1) hour duration each. Meetings may be longer and more frequent if the monitor determines necessary. Multiple employers are prohibited.
- D. Nursing Performance Reports: PETITIONER SHALL CAUSE each supervising/monitoring Advanced Practice Registered Nurse or Physician to submit, on forms provided to the PETITIONER by the Board, periodic reports as to PETITIONER'S capability to practice nursing. These reports shall be completed by the Advanced Practice Registered Nurse or Physician who supervises/monitors the PETITIONER and these reports shall be submitted by the supervising/monitoring Advanced Practice Registered Nurse or Physician to the office of the Board at the end of each three (3) month quarterly period for the remainder of the four (4) quarters [one (1) year] of employment as a nurse, if any.

#### VII. RESTORATION OF UNENCUMBERED LICENSE(S)

Upon full compliance with the terms of this Agreed Order, all encumbrances will be removed from PETITIONER'S license(s) and/or privilege(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas and, subject to meeting all existing eligibility requirements in Texas Occupations Code Chapter 304, Article III, PETITIONER may be eligible for nurse licensure compact privileges, if any.

#### PETITIONER'S CERTIFICATION

I am the Petitioner in this matter. I have fully and truthfully disclosed all of my past conduct which could constitute grounds for licensure ineligibility, and I have caused a complete and accurate criminal history to be submitted to the Texas Board of Nursing from each jurisdiction in which I have been adjudged guilty by way of conviction or deferred order. I certify that my past behavior, except as disclosed in my application/petition, has been in conformity with the Board's character rule. I have provided the Board with complete and accurate documentation of my past conduct in violation of the penal law of any jurisdiction which was disposed of through any procedure short of conviction, such as: conditional discharge, deferred adjudication or dismissal. I have no criminal prosecution pending in any jurisdiction.

In connection with my application, I acknowledge that I have read and I understand Sections 301.157(d), 301.252, 301.253, 301.257, 301.258, 301.260, 301.452, and 301.453, Texas Occupations Code, and Chapter 53, Section 53.001 *et seq.*, Texas Occupations Code, and 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§213.27, 213.28, 213.29, and 213.30. I agree with all terms of this Order, including the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and any stipulations as set out in this Order. I acknowledge that this Order is stipulated and I understand that I am not eligible to receive a Temporary Permit to practice nursing. I agree to inform the Board of any other fact or event that could constitute a ground for denial of licensure prior to accepting any license from the Texas Board of Nursing.

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) and/or nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas, as a consequence of my noncompliance.

I understand that I can be represented by an attorney in this matter. I waive representation by counsel, notice, administrative hearing, and judicial review of this Order and request that the Texas Board of Nursing ratify this Order.

Signed this 29 day of January, 2020.

SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER, PETITIONER

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29 day of January, 2020.

**SEAL** 

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 29<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2020, by SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER, Registered Nurse License Number 803454 & PETITIONER for Eligibility for Licensure, and said Agreed Order is final.

Effective this 10th day of March, 2020.

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 ORDER

Registered Nurse License Number 803454

§ FOR

issued to SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER

§ KSTAR PILOT PROGRAM

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER, Registered Nurse License Number 803454, 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)(10)&(13), 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 March 5, 2018.

# **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 Degree in Nursing from University of Texas, Arlington, Texas, on April 1, 2011. Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on June 23, 2011.
- 5. Respondent's nursing employment history includes:

June 2011-October 2014

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Baylor University Medical

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Dallas, Texas

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Respondent's nursing employment history continued:

March 2012-October 2012	School RN	Mountain View School Dallas, Texas
March 2012-March 2013	RN	Dr Tattoff Dallas, Texas
January 2013-September 2013	Review Nurse	Corvel Insurance Fort Worth, Texas
October 2014-May 2015	Staff RN	Planned Parenthood ASC Dallas, Texas
May 2015-Unknown	Travel RN	Supplemental Health Care Park City, Utah
June 2015-August 2015	Travel RN	Canyon Vista Medical Sierra Vista, Arizona
September 2015-December 2015	Travel RN	Presbyterian Hospital Wheat Ridge, Colorado
December 2015-Unknown	Travel RN	Exempla Lutheran MC Wheat Ridge, Colorado

- 6. At the time of the initial incident, Respondent was employed as a Travel Registered Nurse with Supplemental Health Care at Canyon Vista Medical, Sierra Vista, Arizona, and had been in that position for three (3) weeks.
- 7. On or about June 22, 2015, while utilizing a Privilege to Practice (PTP) nursing from the State of Texas, and employed as a Registered Nurse with Supplemental Healthcare, Park City, Utah, and on assignment with Canyon Vista Medical Center, Sierra Vista, Arizona, Respondent failed to accurately perform the sponge count following Patient CP's cholecystectomy. Three (3) days later, a computed tomography (CT) revealed a retained surgical sponge in the upper abdomen. Subsequently, the patient underwent a laparoscopic surgery to remove the sponge. Respondent's conduct was likely to injure the patient from complications of a retained foreign body including inflammation, infection, and/or pain.
- 8. In response to Finding of Fact Number Seven (7), Respondent states that the surgery started out as a laparoscopic surgery but changed to an open surgery. Therefore, Respondent had to obtain additional supplies which then were opened on the surgical field during the procedure.

# **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 §217.11(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(M)&(1)(O) and 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(A),(1)(B)&(4).
- 4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(10)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Registered Nurse License Number 803454, heretofore issued to SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER.
- 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.

#### TERMS OF ORDER

### I. SANCTION AND APPLICABILITY

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED and ORDERED that RESPONDENT SHALL receive the sanction of WARNING WITH STIPULATIONS 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. As a result of this Order, Respondent's license(s) will be designated "single state" and Respondent may not work outside the State of Texas in another nurse licensure compact party state.

#### 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. KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, TRAINING, ASSESSMENT AND RESEARCH (KSTAR) PILOT PROGRAM

IT IS AGREED and ORDERED that RESPONDENT SHALL, within one (1) year of entry of this Order, successfully complete the Knowledge, Skills, Training, Assessment and Research (KSTAR) Pilot Program and RESPONDENT SHALL:

- (A) Within forty-five (45) days of entry of this Order, apply to and enroll in the KSTAR Pilot Program, including payment of any fees and costs, unless otherwise agreed in writing;
- (B) Submit to an individualized assessment designed to evaluate RESPONDENT'S nursing practice competency and to support a targeted remediation plan;
- (C) Follow all requirements within the remediation plan, if any;
- (D) Successfully complete a Board-approved course in Texas nursing jurisprudence and ethics as part of the KSTAR Pilot Program; and
- (E) Provide written documentation of successful completion of the KSTAR Pilot Program to the attention of Monitoring at the Board's office.

# IV. FURTHER COMPETENCY ISSUES AND VIOLATIONS

IT IS FURTHER AGREED, SHOULD RESPONDENT'S individualized KSTAR Pilot Program assessment identify further competency issues and violations of the Nursing Practice Act, including inability to practice nursing safely, further disciplinary action, up to and including revocation of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas, may be taken based on such results in the assessments.

# 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, subject to meeting all existing eligibility requirements in Texas Occupations Code Chapter 304, Article III, RESPONDENT may be eligible for nurse licensure compact privileges, if any.

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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 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 possible revocation of my license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas, as a consequence of my noncompliance.

	Signed this 18 day of May 20 8.
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	SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER, Respondent
Sworn to and subscribed before me	this 18th day of May 2018
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LINDA A MALONE My Commission Expires June 26, 2018	Notary Public in and for the State of
	Approved as to form and substance.
	Taralynn R. Mackey Taralynn R. Mackey, Attorney for Respondent
•	Signed this 23 day of May 20/8.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Texas Board of Nursing does hereby ratify and adopt the Agreed Order that was signed on the 18th day of May, 2018, by SAUTI JOHARI LEDBETTER, Registered Nurse License Number 803454, and said Order is final.

Effective this 19th day of July, 2018.

Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN

Executive Director on behalf

of said Board