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Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

In the Matter of
JENNIFER NICHOLE GIBBON,
Registered Nurse License Number 674734

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ORDER OF THE BOARD

On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of JENNIFER NICHOLE GIBBON, Registered Nurse License Number 674734, 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. Respondent's license to practice as a professional nurse in the State of Texas is in current status.
2. Respondent waived notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.
3. Respondent received a Diploma from Baptist Health System, San Antonio, Texas, on December 14, 2000. Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on January 25, 2001.
4. Respondent's nursing employment history includes:

1/2001 - 10/2014

RN

Northeast Baptist Hospital
San Antonio, Texas

Respondent's nursing employment history continued:

4/2012 – 2/2015	RN	Baptist Health System San Antonio, Texas
6/2014 – 2/2016	RN	Total Home Health San Antonio, Texas
3/2015 – 5/2015	RN	Methodist Texasan Hospital San Antonio, Texas
9/2015 – 12/2015	RN	Lifecare Hospital San Antonio, Texas
3/2016	RN	San Antonio Airlife/Air Methods San Antonio, Texas
4/2016	Unknown	
5/2016 – 11/2016	RN	Methodist Stone Oak San Antonio, Texas
11/2016 – 9/2018	RN	Child's Play Therapeutic Homecare San Antonio, Texas
9/2018 – 7/2020	RN	Little Engine Homecare San Antonio, Texas
8/2020 – Present	Unknown	

5. On or about August 18, 2020, the Board provided notice to Respondent that an investigation was being initiated into alleged violations of the Nursing Practice Act and/or the Board's Rules and Regulations Relating to Nurse Education, Licensure, and Practice, as follows:

- On or about July 27, 2020, while employed with Little Engine HomeCare, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, and assigned to provide care for Patient MP, Respondent lacked fitness to practice professional nursing in that she was sleeping during her shift.
- On or about July 27, 2020, while employed with Little Engine HomeCare, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, and assigned to provide care for Patient MP, Respondent failed to discontinue the night time foley as scheduled.

- On or about July 27, 2020, while employed with Little Engine HomeCare, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, and assigned to provide care for Patient MP, Respondent inflated the patient's tracheal balloon with 2.6ml of water instead of 2.0ml.
 - On or about July 27, 2020, while employed with Little Engine HomeCare, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, and assigned to provide care for Patient MP, Respondent inappropriately removed the catheter without removing the patient's diaper and then failed to assess for any injuries from the removal of the catheter.
 - On or about July 27, 2020, while employed with Little Engine HomeCare, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, and assigned to provide care for Patient MP, Respondent failed to complete pericare, in that a bowel movement was not changed and was dry, hard, and crusty, and partially adhered to the patient's skin.
 - On or about July 27, 2020, while employed with Little Engine HomeCare, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, and assigned to provide care for Patient MP, Respondent failed to administer scheduled medications at 0600.
 - On or about July 27, 2020, while employed with Little Engine HomeCare, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, and assigned to provide care for Patient MP, Respondent failed to start or prep the next scheduled feed.
6. On July 5, 2021, the Board received a statement from Respondent voluntarily surrendering the right to practice nursing in Texas. A copy of Respondent's statement, dated July 5, 2021, is attached and incorporated herein by reference as part of this Order.

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)(T) and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(B),(1)(E),(4)&(5)
4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(10),(12)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Registered Nurse License Number 674734, heretofore issued to JENNIFER NICHOLE GIBBON, 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 ORDERED that the VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of Registered Nurse License Number 674734 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/himself 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 at least 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.

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

Effective this 5th day of July, 2021



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

Franco, Veronica

From: Jennifer Gibbon
Sent: Monday, July 5, 2021 1:30 PM
To: Franco, Veronica
Subject: Voluntary surrender of nursing license

July 5, 2021

I, Jennifer Gibbon, do hereby voluntarily surrender my license #674734 to practice as a Registered Nurse in the State of Texas.

Regretfully,

Jennifer Gibbon