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Katherine A. Thomas
Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

In the Matter of § AGREED ORDER
Registered Nurse License Number 785711 §
issued to DESIREE DANIELLE MARTIN §
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On this day the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, considered the matter of DESIREE DANIELLE MARTIN, Registered Nurse License Number 785711, 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)(9)&(12), Texas Occupations Code.

Respondent waived notice and hearing and agreed to the entry of this Agreed Order approved by Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN, Executive Director, on September 23, 2021.

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 Agreed 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 Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas, on May 8, 2010. Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on June 15, 2010.
5. Respondent's nursing employment history includes:

6/2010 – 8/2018	RN	Baylor Scott & White Health Care System - All Saints Fort Worth, Texas
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Respondent's nursing employment history continued:

8/2018 – 8/2019	RN	Texas Health Orthopedics Surgery Center Heritage Fort Worth, Texas
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9/2019 – Present	Unknown	
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6. Between July 25, 2019 to August 1, 2019, while employed as a Registered Nurse with Texas Health Orthopedics Surgery Center Heritage, Fort Worth, Texas, a person expressed concerns that Respondent may be impaired.
7. On or about September 2, 2020, while employed as a Registered Nurse with Medical City Fort Worth, Fort Worth, Texas, a patient accused Respondent of diverting the patients Tylenol #3. Respondent submitted a urine screen on September 2, 2020 which an MRO ruled the test positive for Oxycodone and Oxymorphone.
8. In response to Findings of Fact Numbers Six (6) and Seven (7), Respondent denies the allegations. On September 2, 2020, Respondent's person and property were thoroughly searched and no Tylenol #3 was found. On September 3, 2020, Respondent voluntarily obtained a urine drug screen that tested negative for prohibited substances. Moreover, Respondent voluntarily underwent hair follicle testing for over two years without positive result of prohibited substances.
9. Respondent by her signature expresses her desire to voluntary surrender the licenses.

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 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12 (1)(B)&(10)(D).
4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.452(b)(9)&(12), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Registered Nurse License Number 785711, heretofore issued to DESIREE DANIELLE MARTIN.

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

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED and ORDERED that the VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of Registered Nurse License Number 785711 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:
 - A. At least one (1) year has elapsed from the date of this Order; and
 - B. RESPONDENT has objective, verifiable proof of twelve (12) consecutive months of sobriety immediately preceding the petition.
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

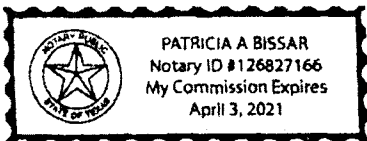
I understand that I have the right to legal counsel prior to signing this Order. I have reviewed this Order. I neither admit nor deny the violation(s) alleged herein. By my signature on this Order, I agree to the entry of this Order, and any conditions of said Order, to avoid further disciplinary action in this matter. I waive judicial review of this Order. I understand that this Order becomes effective upon acceptance by the Executive Director on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing and 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) and/or privileges to practice nursing in the State of Texas, as a consequence of my noncompliance.

Signed this 15th day of November, 2021.

Desiree Danielle Martin
DESIREE DANIELLE MARTIN, RESPONDENT

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15 day of November, 2021.

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Patricia A Bissar
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

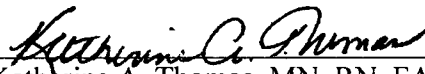
Approved as to form and substance.

Jon E. Porter
Jon E. Porter, Attorney for Respondent

Signed this 11th day of November, 2021.

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 15th day of November, 2021, by DESIREE DANIELLE MARTIN, Registered Nurse License Number 785711, and said Agreed Order is final.

Effective this 16th day of November, 2021.



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