In the Matter of Permanent Registered Nurse License Number 1005013 Issued to CHRISTINE MARIE SOLLY, Respondent § BEFORE THE TEXAS
§ BOARD OF NURSING
§ ELIGIBILITY AND
DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

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# ORDER OF THE BOARD

TO: Christine Solly 17239 Shavano Rnch 4307 San Antonio, TX 78257

During open meeting held in Austin, Texas, on August 8, 2023, the Texas Board of Nursing Eligibility and Disciplinary Committee (hereinafter "Committee") heard the above-styled case, based on the failure of the Respondent to appear as required by 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee finds that notice of the facts or conduct alleged to warrant disciplinary action has been provided to Respondent in accordance with Texas Government Code § 2001.054(c) and Respondent has been given an opportunity to show compliance with all the requirements of the Nursing Practice Act, Chapter 301 of the Texas Occupations Code, for retention of Respondent's license(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

The Committee finds that the Formal Charges were properly initiated and filed in accordance with section 301.458, Texas Occupations Code.

The Committee finds that after proper and timely Notice regarding the violations alleged in the Formal Charges was given to Respondent in this matter, Respondent has failed to appear in accordance with 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee finds that the Board is authorized to enter a default order pursuant to Texas Government Code § 2001.056.

The Committee, after review and due consideration, adopts the proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law as stated in the Formal Charges which are attached hereto and incorporated by

reference for all purposes and the Staff's recommended sanction of revocation by default. This Order will be properly served on all parties and all parties will be given an opportunity to file a motion for rehearing [22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE § 213.16(j)]. All parties have a right to judicial review of this Order.

All proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law filed by any party not specifically adopted herein are hereby denied.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED• [35] Drug Screening Violation

- [A5] Violation of or Failure to Comply with Board Order [1960]
- [F6] Substandard or Inadequate Care [1200 Failure to Maintain Standards] that Permanent Registered Nurse License Number 1005013, previously issued to CHRISTINE MARIE SOLLY to practice nursing in the State of Texas be, and the same is/are hereby, REVOKED.

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.

Entered this 8<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2023.

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BY:

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

Attachment: Formal Charges filed March 8, 2023

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Re: Permanent Registered Nurse License Number 1005013 Issued to CHRISTINE MARIE SOLLY DEFAULT ORDER - REVOKE

# CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 11th day of Quart, 2023, a true and
correct copy of the foregoing DEFAULT ORDER was served and addressed to the following person(s)
as follows:
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Via USPS Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested,
Copy Via USPS First Class Mail
Christine Solly
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San Antonio, TX 78257

BY:

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

In the Matter of \$ BEFORE THE TEXAS Permanent Registered Nurse \$ License Number 1005013 \$ Issued to CHRISTINE MARIE SOLLY, Respondent \$ BOARD OF NURSING

# FORMAL CHARGES

This is a disciplinary proceeding under Section 301.452(b), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent, CHRISTINE MARIE SOLLY, is a Registered Nurse holding license number 1005013, which is in delinquent status at the time of this pleading.

Written notice of the facts and conduct alleged to warrant adverse licensure action was sent to Respondent at Respondent's address of record, and Respondent was given opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license prior to commencement of this proceeding.

### CHARGE I.

On or about January 11, 2022, while employed as a Registered Nurse (RN) with Texas Vista Medical Center, San Antonio, Texas, Respondent lacked fitness to practice nursing in that she exhibited signs of impaired behavior while on duty, including but not limited to: slurring her words, speaking slower, an inability to focus her eyes, and swaying. Additionally, Respondent exhibited this impaired behavior after tampering with the fentanyl drip bag of a patient who was assigned to another nurse. Furthermore, when asked for a for-cause drug screen, Respondent initially agreed but then left the facility without providing a specimen or participating in further investigation. Respondent's condition could have affected her ability to recognize subtle signs, symptoms or changes in patients' conditions, and could have affected her ability to make rational, accurate, and appropriate assessments, judgments, and decisions regarding patient care, thereby placing the patients in potential danger.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10),(12)&(14), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(A),(1)(B)&(1)(T) and §217.12(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(E),(4)&(5).

# **CHARGE II.**

On or about August 31, 2022, while employed as a Registered Nurse (RN) with Methodist Hospital Metropolitan, San Antonio, Texas, Respondent misappropriated fentanyl and morphine belonging to the facility or patients thereof, or failed to take precautions to prevent such misappropriation. Respondent's conduct was likely to defraud the facility and patients thereof of the cost of the medications.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(14), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE  $\S217.11(1)(A)\&(1)(B)$  and  $\S217.12(1)(A),(1)(B),(4),(6)(G),(8),(10)(E)\&(11)(B)$ .

# **CHARGE III.**

On or about August 31, 2022, while employed as a Registered Nurse (RN) with Methodist Hospital Metropolitan, San Antonio, Texas, Respondent engaged in the intemperate use of fentanyl, morphine, hydrocodone, hydromorphone, oxycodone and oxymorphone in that she produced a specimen for a reasonable suspicion drug screen that resulted in quantitative levels of fentanyl, morphine, hydrocodone, hydromorphone, oxycodone and oxymorphone. The use of fentanyl, morphine, hydrocodone, hydromorphone, oxycodone and oxymorphone by a Registered Nurse, while subject to call or duty, could impair the nurse's ability to recognize subtle signs, symptoms or changes in the patient's condition, and could impair the nurse's ability to make rational, accurate, and appropriate assessments, judgments, and decisions regarding patient care, thereby placing the patient in potential danger.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(9),(10)&(14), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 Tex. Admin. Code \$217.11(1)(A)&(1)(B) and \$217.12(1)(A),(1)(B),(1)(E),(4),(5),(10)(A),(10)(D)&(11)(B).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that staff will present evidence in support of the recommended disposition of up to, and including, revocation of Respondent's license(s) and/or privilege(s) to practice nursing in the State of Texas pursuant to the Nursing Practice Act, Chapter 301, Texas Occupations Code and the Board's rules, 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 213.27 - 213.33.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that all statutes and rules cited in these Charges are incorporated as part of this pleading and can be found at the Board's website, <a href="www.bon.texas.gov">www.bon.texas.gov</a>.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that, based on the Formal Charges, the Board will rely on adopted policies related to Substance Use Disorders and Other Alcohol and Drug Related Conduct, and on adopted policies related to Behavior Involving Fraud, Theft, and Deception, which can be found under the "Discipline & Complaints; Board Policies & Guidelines" section of the Board's website, www.bon.texas.gov.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that, based on the Formal Charges, the Board will rely on the Disciplinary Matrix, located at 22 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §213.33(b), which can be found under the "Discipline & Complaints; Board Policies & Guidelines" section of the Board's website, <a href="www.bon.texas.gov">www.bon.texas.gov</a>.

# Filed this 8th day of March, 2023.

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