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Katherine A. Thomas
Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

In the Matter of §
Registered Nurse License Number 626284 §
& Vocational Nurse License Number 139381 §
issued to LORIS GRIFFIN, §
PETITIONER for Exception §

ORDER DENYING PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR EXCEPTION

A public meeting of the Eligibility and Disciplinary Committee of the Board, hereinafter referred to as the Committee, was held on May 7, 2012, at 333 Guadalupe, Tower 3, Suite 460, Austin, Texas, to consider the Petition for Exception and supporting documents filed by LORIS GRIFFIN, hereinafter referred to as PETITIONER.

Board Members in attendance were: Deborah Hughes Bell, CLU, ChFC; Kristin Benton, MSN, RN; Kathy Leader-Horn, LVN. Staff present were: Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN, FAAN, Executive Director; James W. Johnston, General Counsel; Anthony L. Diggs, Director, Enforcement Division; Earl E. Stearns, CFE, Supervising Investigator; Tabitha Morales, Investigator; Pamela Nemir, RN, Investigator; Maureen Hill, Administrative Assistant; Allison Hassinger, Legal Assistant; and Andrea Gonzalez, Legal Secretary.

After review and due consideration of the filed Petition, the Committee voted to deny the Petitioner's Petition for Exception. The Board's Order dated December 14, 2010, stands.

Entered this 7th day of May, 2012.

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