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*Patricia R. Plummer*  
Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

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In the Matter of Vocational Nurse                   §  
License Number 144057, issued to                   §  
JESSE DAVID PERKINS                                   §

ORDER OF THE BOARD

On this day, the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the Board, accepted the voluntary surrender of Vocational Nurse License Number 144057, issued to JESSE DAVID PERKINS, hereinafter referred to as Respondent. This action was taken in accordance with Section 301.453(c), Texas Occupations Code.

Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing.

The Board makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is currently licensed to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas.
2. Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing.
3. Respondent received Certificate in Vocational Nursing from Victoria College, Gonzales, Texas, on August 20, 1993. Respondent was licensed to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas on December 1, 1993.

4. Respondent's nursing employment history includes:

12/93 - 11/95	Unknown	
12/95 - 07/00	MDS/Care Plan Coordinator	Golden Age Home Health Lockhart, Texas
07/00 - 12/00	LVN/Assistant DON	Silver Pines Nursing Home Bastrop, Texas

Respondent's nursing employment history continued:

01/01 - 04/01	Assistant DON	Oakcrest Manor Austin, Texas
04/01 - 09/03	MDS/Care Plan Coordinator	Capital City Health & Rehabilitation Austin, Texas
10/03 - 03/04	LVN Charge Nurse	Cartwheel Lodge Lulling, Texas
01/04 - 04/04	LVN Charge Nurse	Lulling Care Center Lulling, Texas
05/04 - 08/08	LVN Staff Nurse	Austin State School Austin, Texas
08/08 - 07/10	LVN Staff Nurse	Austin State Hospital Austin, Texas
08/10 - Present	Not employed in nursing/retired	

5. Formal Charges were filed on October 15, 2010. A copy of the Formal Charges is attached and incorporated by reference as part of this Order.
6. Formal Charges were mailed to Respondent on October 15, 2010.
7. On October 26, 2010, the Board received a statement from Respondent voluntarily surrendering the right to practice nursing in Texas. A copy of Respondent's statement, dated October 21, 2010, 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 violations of Section 301.452(b)(10)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§217.11(1)(A),(J)&(M) and 217.12(6)(C),(D)&(E).

4. Under Section 301.453(c), Texas Occupations Code, the Board has the authority to accept the voluntary surrender of a license.
5. Under Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, the Board may impose conditions for reinstatement of licensure.
6. Any subsequent reinstatement of this license will be controlled by Section 301.452 (b), Texas Occupations Code, and 22 TAC §§213.26-.29, and any amendments thereof in effect at the time of the reinstatement.

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ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that the voluntary surrender of Vocational Nurse License Number 144057, heretofore issued to JESSE DAVID PERKINS, to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas, is accepted by the Executive Director on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing. In connection with this acceptance, the Board imposes the following conditions:

1. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT practice vocational nursing, use the title of vocational nurse or the abbreviation "LVN" or wear any insignia identifying himself as a vocational nurse or use any designation which, directly or indirectly, would lead any person to believe that RESPONDENT is a vocational nurse during the period in which the license is surrendered.
2. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT petition for reinstatement of licensure until: 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.

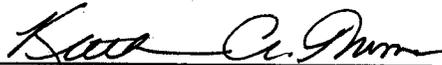
IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that this Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas.

Effective this 29th day of October, 2010.

TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING



By:



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