VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

IN RE:

VICTORIA L. SHARP, R.N.

CONSENT ORDER

The Virginia Board of Nursing ("Board") and Victoria L. Sharp, R.N., as evidenced by her signature hereto, enter into the following Consent Order affecting Ms. Sharp's license to practice professional nursing in Virginia.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Victoria L. Sharp, R.N., was issued License No. 0001-095523 to practice professional nursing by the Virginia Board of Nursing on February 7, 1985. Said license expired on December 31, 2007, but was renewed on January 17, 2008. Ms. Sharp's license is currently set to expire on December 31, 2009.
- During the course of her employment in the infirmary at the Blue Ridge School, St. George, Virginia, Ms. Sharp practiced professional nursing from January 7, 2008 through January 14, 2008, with an expired license.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Finding of Fact No. 2 constitutes a violation of §§ 54.1-3007(3), 54.1-3008(A)(2) and (4) and 54.1-3011(C) of the Code of Virginia (1950) as amended ("Code").

CONSENT

Victoria L. Sharp, R.N., by affixing her signature hereon, agrees to the following:

- 1. She has been advised to seek advice of counsel prior to signing this document;
- 2. She acknowledges that without her consent, no legal action can be taken against her except pursuant to the Virginia Administrative Process Act, § 2.2-4000(A) et seq. of the Code;

- 3. She acknowledges that she has the following rights, among others: the right to an informal fact finding conference before the Board, the right to reasonable notice of said hearing, the right to representation by counsel, and the right to cross-examine witnesses against her;
 - 4. She waives all such right to an informal conference;
- 5. She admits to the Findings of Fact contained herein and waives her right to contest such Findings of Fact in any subsequent proceeding before the Board;
- 6. She consents to the entry of the following Order affecting her right to practice professional nursing in Virginia.

ORDER

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, the Virginia Board of Nursing, effective upon entry of this Order, and in lieu of further proceedings, hereby ORDERS as follows:

- 1. Victoria L. Sharp, R.N. shall pay a MONETARY PENALTY of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) to the Board within thirty (30) days of the entry of this Order.
- 2. Ms. Sharp shall maintain a course of conduct in her capacity as a professional nurse commensurate with the requirements of § 54.1-3000 et seq. of the Code and the Board of Nursing Regulations.

Pursuant to §§ 2.2-4023 and 54.1-2400.2 of the Code, the signed original of this Order shall remain in the custody of the Department of Health Professions as public record and shall be made available for public inspection or copying upon request.

FOR THE BOARD

Jay P Douglas, R.M., M.S.M., C.S.A.C.

Executive Director, Virginia Board of Nursing

ENTERED: Jecube 15 2008

SEEN AND AGREED TO:

Victoria L. Sharp, R.N.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

COUNTY/CITY OF Greene, TO WIT:

Subscribed and sworn to before me, <u>Teny Benshoff</u>, a Notary Public, this <u>5th</u> day of <u>December</u>, 2008.

My commission expires Sept. 30, 2010

Registration Number 140 779

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