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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF NURSING  
DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE  
MEETING OF  
NOVEMBER 5, 2008**

**APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Nursing Disciplinary Subcommittee met in regular session on November 5, 2008 at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Conference Room 1, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

***CALL TO ORDER***

Michelle Woods, Public Member, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:06 a.m.

***ROLL CALL***

***Members Present:*** Brenda Lewis, L.P.N.  
Regina Allen, Public Member  
Michelle Woods, Public Member, Chairperson

***Members Absent:*** Nina Bugbee, R.N.

***Staff Present:*** Bonnie Curtis, Secretary  
Wendy Helmick, Analyst, Enforcement Section  
Virginia Trzaskoma, Assistant Attorney General  
Bill Hurth, Manager, Enforcement Section

***Others Present:*** Linda Taft, R.N.

***APPROVAL OF MINUTES***

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to approve the minutes of the October 1, 2008 meeting as presented.

***MOTION PREVAILED***

## **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to approve the agenda with the following amendment:

Under **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**, remove I. **Dawn Renee Parks, R.N. – Consent Order and Stipulation**

*MOTION PREVAILED*

## **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

### **THOMAS E. YOUNG, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Thomas E. Young, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

### **KIMBERLY JANE MOTT, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Kimberly Jane Mott, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

### **ZOANNE SAAB, R.N., L.M.S.W. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Zoanne Saab, R.N., L.M.S.W.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

### **LINDA LEA ROMBYER, L.P.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Linda Lea Rombyer, L.P.N.

Discussion followed.

Motion withdrawn.

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation and make a counteroffer of the following, in the matter of Linda Lea Rombyer, L.P.N.:

Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall complete continuing education (CE) courses in each of the following areas: a) Care of Geriatric Patients with Dementia and b) Medication Administration. These courses shall be pre-approved by the Board chairperson or designee and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**MARY L. NELSON, L.P.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Mary L. Nelson, L.P.N.

Discussion followed.

Motion withdrawn.

**Motion** by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation and make a counteroffer of the following, in the matter of Mary L. Nelson, L.P.N.:

Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of six (6) months with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall complete continuing education (CE) courses in each of the following areas: a) ethics to include advance directives and b) professional accountability. These courses shall be pre-approved by the Board chairperson or designee and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 2) Respondent shall submit bi-monthly employer reports.

Additionally, Respondent shall be assessed a fine of \$250.00 payable within sixty (60) days of the effective date of the Order.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**CHRISTIAN NICHOLE HUGHES, L.P.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Christian Nichole Hughes, L.P.N.

Discussion followed.

Motion withdrawn.

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation and make a counteroffer of the following, in the matter of Christian Nichole Hughes, L.P.N.:

Respondent's license shall be suspended for a minimum period of one (1) day and until she enters into a Health Professional Recovery Program (HPRP) monitoring agreement, in the matter of Christian Nichole Hughes, L.P.N.

Respondent's license shall be automatically reinstated when the Department receives satisfactory evidence from the HPRP verifying either that 1) Respondent has entered into a disciplinary non-confidential monitoring agreement with the HPRP and that the HPRP has endorsed Respondent as safe to practice or that 2) the HPRP has determined that Respondent does not require treatment monitoring.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period one (1) year with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall comply with her HPRP monitoring agreement.
- 2) Respondent shall complete a continuing education (CE) course in professional accountability. This course shall be pre-approved by the Board chairperson or designee and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 3) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

If Respondent's period of suspension exceeds six (6) months, she must petition for reinstatement.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

**MOTION PREVAILED**

**STEPHANIE MARIE MAYFIELD, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Stephanie Marie Mayfield, R.N.

Discussion followed.

Motion withdrawn.

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation and make a counteroffer of the following, in the matter of Stephanie Marie Mayfield, R.N.:

Respondent's Order of Summary Suspension is dissolved.

Respondent's license shall be suspended for a minimum period of one (1) day and until she undergoes an evaluation by the Health Professional Recovery Program (HPRP) and enters into a monitoring agreement, if recommended.

Respondent's license shall be automatically reinstated when the Department receives satisfactory evidence from the HPRP verifying either that 1) Respondent has entered into a disciplinary non-confidential monitoring agreement with the HPRP and that the HPRP has endorsed Respondent as safe to practice or that 2) the HPRP has determined that Respondent does not require treatment monitoring.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of two (2) years with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**REBECCA BROUGHTON, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Rebecca Broughton, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**PATRICIA ANN PEMBLE, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Patricia Ann Pemble, R.N.

Discussion followed;

Motion withdrawn.

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to reject the Consent Order and Stipulation and make a counteroffer of the following, in the matter of Patricia Ann Pemble, R.N.:

Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall complete continuing education (CE) courses in each of the following areas: a) medication administration; b) documentation and c) professional accountability. These courses shall be pre-approved by the Board chairperson or designee and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**NICOLE RENEE ELWELL, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

***Motion*** by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Nicole Renee Elwell, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**CHARLOTTE DIANE SCHEUER, R.N., L.P.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

***Motion*** by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Charlotte Diane Scheuer, R.N., L.P.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**PATRICIA ANN HANNA, R.N., R.D.H. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Patricia Ann Hanna, R.N., R.D.H.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**CAROL DONOVAN, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

***Motion*** by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Carol Donovan, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**JOSEPH ANTHONY MATTHEWS, L.P.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

***Motion*** by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Joseph Anthony Matthews, L.P.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**MARY LOUISE GETTIG, R.N. – CONSENT ORDER AND STIPULATION**

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation, in the matter of Mary Louise Gettig, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**PAMELA MARIE MCELWAIN DENNIE, R.N. – ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Order of Dismissal, in the matter of Pamela Marie McElwain Dennie, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**PATRICIA E. UNDERWOOD, R.N. – ORDER OF DISMISSAL**

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Order of Dismissal, in the matter of Patricia E. Underwood, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**KENDRA D. MCKENNEY, L.P.N. – REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to deny reconsideration, in the matter of Kendra D. McKenney, L.P.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**ANGELA MARIE HOLT, L.P.N. – REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded Allen, to deny reconsideration, in the matter of Angela Marie Holt, L.P.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**LISA ANN CLARK, L.P.N. – PROPOSAL FOR DECISION**

***Motion*** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Proposal for Decision, dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for a minimum period of one (1) day or until she undergoes a Health Professional Recovery Program (HPRP) evaluation and enters into a monitoring agreement, if recommended, in the matter of Lisa Ann Clark, L.P.N.

Respondent's license shall be automatically reinstated when the Department receives satisfactory evidence from the HPRP verifying either that 1) Respondent has entered into a disciplinary non-confidential monitoring agreement with the HPRP and that the HPRP has endorsed Respondent as safe to practice or that 2) the HPRP has determined that Respondent does not require treatment monitoring.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of two (2) years with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall comply with her HPRP monitoring agreement, if recommended.
- 2) Respondent shall complete a continuing education (CE) course in the area of professional accountability. This course shall be pre-approved by the Board chairperson or designee and shall not count toward license renewal.
- 3) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

If Respondent's period of suspension exceeds six (6) months, she must petition for reinstatement.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**MELANIE JOY GAUTHIER, R.N. – PROPOSAL FOR DECISION**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to accept the Proposal for Decision and suspend Respondent's license for a minimum period of one (1) day and until she undergoes a Health Professional Recovery Program (HPRP) evaluation and enters into a monitoring agreement, if recommended, in the matter of Melanie Joy Gauthier, R.N.

Respondent's license shall be automatically reinstated when the Department receives satisfactory evidence from the HPRP verifying either that 1) Respondent has entered into a disciplinary non-confidential monitoring agreement with the HPRP and that the HPRP has endorsed Respondent as safe to practice or that 2) the HPRP has determined that Respondent does not require treatment monitoring.

Upon reinstatement, Respondent shall be placed on probation for a period of one (1) year with the following terms and conditions:

- 1) Respondent shall comply with her HPRP monitoring agreement, if recommended.
- 2) Respondent shall submit quarterly employer reports.

If Respondent's period of suspension exceeds six (6) months, she must petition for reinstatement.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**SUSAN M. DOHRMAN, R.N. – ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT**

**Motion** by Allen, seconded by Lewis, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for a period of six (6) months and one (1) day, in the matter of Susan M. Dohrman, R.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**MARIE A. WATSON, L.P.N., R.N. – ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to suspend Respondent's license for a minimum period of one (1) day and until she provides proof of completing the continuing education (CE) requirements from her original Consent Order and Stipulation dated July 13, 2006, in the matter of Marie A. Watson, L.P.N., R.N.

Additionally, Respondent shall be assessed a fine of \$250.00 payable within sixty (60) days of the effective date of the Order.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Allen, Lewis and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**PATRICIA J. NIEMI, L.P.N. – ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension and suspend Respondent's license for a minimum period of six (6) months and one (1) day, in the matter of Patricia J. Niemi, L.P.N.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Lewis, Allen and Woods

*MOTION PREVAILED*

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held December 3, 2008 at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Conference Room 1, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**Motion** by Lewis, seconded by Allen, to adjourn the meeting at 9:57 a.m.



Michelle Woods, Public Member, Chairperson

12-3-08

Date Minutes Approved



Bonnie Curtis, Board Secretary

11-5-08

Date Minutes Prepared