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BOARD OF PHARMACY

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION :
OR REVOCATION OF THE REGISTRATION : Administrative Action
OF: :
JEFFREY I. SKURATON, R.P. : CONSENT ORDER
TO PRACTICE PHARMACY IN THE :
STATE OF NEW JERSEY :
RE 13142:

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Pharmacy upon the receipt of information that Jeffrey I. Skuraton pled guilty to one count of third degree theft by deception involving the submission of 176 false prescription receipts to third party payors. Respondent was sentenced to a probationary period of three years, conditioned upon payment of \$11,493.10 restitution.

It appearing that respondent acknowledges the above described conviction and sentence, and further acknowledges that the conviction constitutes a crime of moral turpitude and a crime that relates adversely to the profession of pharmacy, and the parties being desirous of resolving this matter without the necessity of further formal proceedings, and respondent having agreed to the terms and entry of the within Order, and for good cause shown,

IT IS THEREFORE, ON THIS 12th DAY OF March, 1997,
ORDERED AND AGREED:

1. That respondent's registration as a pharmacist in the State of New Jersey shall be suspended for one (1) year from the date of entry of the within order.

2. During the period of suspension, respondent shall not engage in the practice of pharmacy in the State of New Jersey in any manner or form, including but not limited to the following: he shall not be present in the prescription area of any pharmacy; he shall not handle, order, inventory, compound, count, fill, refill or dispense any drug; he shall not engage in the acceptance of any prescription in person or by telephone; he shall not engage in the verification of refill authorization by telephone; he shall not advise or consult with any person concerning the properties and actions of drugs; he shall not handle or dispense prescriptions; he shall not type labels for prescriptions or enter information on profile cards.

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By: Sophie Heymann 3/16/97
Sophie Heymann, President

I have read the within Order and understand it. I agree to be bound by its terms and hereby consent to it being entered by the New Jersey Board of Pharmacy.

Jeffrey Skuraton
Jeffrey I. Skuraton, R.P.

3/12/97