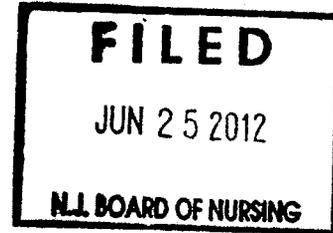


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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
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IN THE MATTER OF SUSPENSION OR :
REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF : Administrative Action
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FREDERICK A. AIOSSA, RN :
License # 26NR13334200 : CONSENT ORDER
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TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE :
STATE OF NEW JERSEY :

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing (the "Board") upon receipt of a written petition from Frederick Aiossa ("Respondent") to terminate the suspension imposed by a Final Order of Discipline filed on January 8, 2010 and reinstate his license to practice as a Registered Professional Nurse. The Final Order of Discipline was based upon a sister state action taken by the Florida Board of Nursing whereby Respondent was summarily suspended from nursing practice for engaging or attempting to engage in the possession, sale or

distribution of controlled substances for a non-legitimate purpose, for unprofessional conduct consisting of the falsification or altering of patient records, and for leaving a nursing assignment without advising personnel. The Final Order of Discipline provided that Respondent's New Jersey license to practice nursing was suspended and that his New Jersey license would not be reinstated until his Florida license was fully reinstated without restrictions.

Respondent petitioned the Florida Board for reinstatement of his license. As a condition of reinstatement, the Florida Board of Nursing required that Respondent fulfill certain obligations. Since Respondent lives in New Jersey, the Florida Board allowed Respondent to meet at least some of those obligations by participating in New Jersey's Recovery and Monitoring Program (RAMP). The status of Respondent's Florida license is now listed as "obligations/active." As such, Respondent's Florida license has been reinstated, but with restrictions.

Respondent has enrolled in RAMP and remains compliant. RAMP supports Respondent's return to active practice in New Jersey, with restrictions. Specifically, Respondent must remain enrolled in and compliant with his RAMP agreement until RAMP

clears, or releases Respondent from the program.

Under the terms of the prior Order, Respondent cannot have his Florida license reinstated without restrictions, or obligations, until he gets cleared from RAMP. He cannot be cleared from RAMP until he demonstrates that he can work as a nurse with reasonable skill and safety. He cannot demonstrate his ability to safely practice because he cannot work with a suspended license. The New Jersey Final Order of Discipline provided that his New Jersey license would remain suspended until his Florida license was reinstated without restrictions. Without relief or modification of the terms of the prior Order, Respondent will not be able to satisfy the requirements to be licensed, despite his compliance and commitment to rehabilitation.

The Board desiring to remedy the situation and determining to allow Respondent the opportunity for reinstatement, and the within Order being sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare; and in lieu of further proceedings, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS on this 25th day of June, 2012

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED that:

1. The suspension of Respondent's license imposed by the

Final Order of Discipline filed on January 8, 2010 is hereby terminated and Respondent's license to practice nursing in New Jersey shall be reinstated, on probation, following proof of successful completion of all reinstatement application requirements including a criminal history background check and payment of all reinstatement fees.

2. Respondent shall continue and remain enrolled in RAMP, and comply with all of the terms and conditions of participation in the RAMP program, for the length of his agreement with RAMP. Respondent shall cause RAMP to inform the Board in writing if Respondent is non-compliant with, or is terminated from or resigns from further participation in the program together with the reason for and complete documentation of the non-compliance, termination and/or resignation. Notification of the Board shall be within 24 hours of determination of non-compliance, termination or resignation, or as soon thereafter as is practicable. Respondent shall provide RAMP with a complete copy of the within Order.

3. Respondent shall follow the recommendations (if any) by RAMP for further treatment and/or more lengthy enrollment in RAMP. Respondent shall limit his nursing practice, if recommended by RAMP, which may include Respondent placing his

license in inactive status.

4. Respondent shall provide a release to RAMP allowing RAMP to provide pertinent reports, records and other information pertaining to Respondent to the Board. Respondent's signature on this order signifies Respondent's waiver of any right to confidentiality with respect to these matters between Respondent, RAMP and the Board, and Respondent's agreement that the Board may utilize any such reports, records and other information it receives from RAMP in any proceeding regarding Respondent's licensure and that the Board may release any pertinent information in its possession to RAMP.

5. Respondent shall refrain from the use of any and all potentially addictive substances except as prescribed by an authorized health care practitioner who is made aware of Respondent's substance abuse history, if there is such a history. Respondent shall report any such use to the RAMP in writing within five days of receiving such a prescription together with the name of the prescribing health care practitioner, the name of the drug, the quantity, frequency, expected length of use and reason for its use.

6. While enrolled in RAMP, Respondent shall attend regular 12 step support group meetings or the equivalent, and

nurse peer support group meetings, as required by RAMP. He shall attend individual counseling and psychiatric treatment until successful discharge, if required by RAMP.

7. While enrolled in RAMP, Respondent shall submit to random observed urine testing if and as required by RAMP. Respondent's failure to submit to or provide a urine sample when requested shall be deemed to be a violation of the terms of this Order. All random alcohol and drug screens shall be negative for the presence of alcohol or drugs, unless the drugs detected by screening were properly taken pursuant to a valid prescription from a health care practitioner aware of Respondent's substance abuse history, if applicable.

8. Respondent shall be responsible for all costs of the enrollment/participation fees associated with RAMP and/or further treatment and monitoring, if applicable.

9. Respondent shall remain in RAMP until successful completion of or release from the program. Until Respondent has successfully completed RAMP or been released from the program, Respondent may not modify the conditions of this agreement without submitting a written petition to the Board providing a detailed explanation of the basis for the modification request, and then entering into a new, modified agreement with the Board.

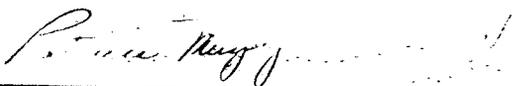
10. Respondent shall be on probation until such time as a) RAMP clears him, and b) all obligations are lifted from his Florida license and/or his Florida license is reinstated without restrictions. When Respondent satisfies those two conditions, Respondent shall petition the Board in writing for an Order terminating the period of probation. During the period of probation, Respondent is required to report to the Board any arrest, indictment, or conviction for any crime or disorderly persons offense within ten (10) days of the event. Any arrest, indictment, or conviction for any crime or disorderly persons offense within the probationary period shall be considered a violation of probation.

11. Respondent shall obey all the laws of the State of New Jersey, the United States and their political subdivisions as well as all regulations, rules or laws pertaining to the practice of nursing in the State or jurisdiction in which he practices nursing.

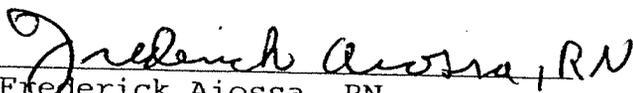
12. Any deviation from the terms of this Order without the prior written consent of the Board shall constitute a failure to comply with the terms of this Order. Upon receipt of any reliable information indicating that Respondent has violated any term of this Order, Respondent's license may be automatically

suspended by the Board until further Order of the Board. Within fifteen days following receipt of such notice, Respondent may request a hearing to contest the entry of such an Order. At any such hearing, the sole issue shall be whether any of the information received was materially false. In addition, the Board reserves the right to bring further disciplinary action upon receipt of any new information.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By: 
Patricia Murphy, PhD, APN
Board President

I have read and understand
the within Consent Order
and agree to be bound by
its terms.


Frederick Aiossa, RN
License #26NR13334200
Date: June 18, 2012