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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF :
: Administrative Action
JENNIFER HART, R.N. :
LICENSE # 26NR13698000 : CONSENT ORDER
:
TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE :
STATE OF NEW JERSEY :

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of information that respondent failed to timely complete nursing continuing education requirements for the June 1, 2010-May 31, 2012 licensing cycle. Respondent was able to document completion of a total of 19.5 contact hours of nursing continuing education for that licensing cycle, less than the required 30 contact hours. Subsequently, respondent was able to document belated completion of continuing education requirements for the 2010-2012 licensing cycle. This failure to timely complete required continuing education constitutes a violation of N.J.A.C. 13:37-5.3.

Moreover, on respondent's renewal application submitted on April 10, 2012, respondent indicated that she would have completed continuing education requirements for the 2010-2012 licensing cycle by May 31, 2012. The Board finds that this was inaccurate, and constituted misrepresentation in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

The parties desiring to resolve this matter without further proceedings, and the Board finding that the within Order is sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS, on this 16th day of December, 2014

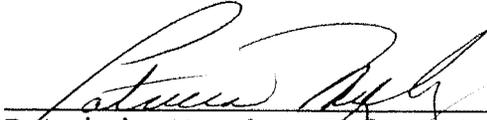
HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED that:

1. A reprimand is hereby imposed upon respondent for the violation of N.J.S.A 45:1-21(b).
2. A civil penalty in the amount of \$250 is hereby imposed for the violation of N.J.A.C. 13:37-5.3. Payment shall be in the form of a certified check, money order or attorney trust account check, made payable to the State of New Jersey, and shall be submitted simultaneously with this signed order.
3. Of the continuing education documentation submitted by respondent, only a carryover of 4.50 contact hours of continuing education with a completion date of April 6, 2014, and .25 contact hours of continuing education with a completion date of April 5, 2014, may be used towards satisfaction of respondent's 2014-2016

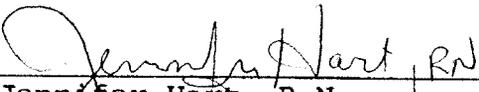
continuing education obligation. No other submissions pre-dating April 6, 2014 will be permissible as a carryover.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:


Patricia Murphy, PhD, APRN
President

I have read and understood the above Order and agree to be Bound by its terms.


Jennifer Hart, R.N.

Consent as to form and entry:


Frank Orbach, Esq.
Attorney for respondent