

2. The Board received a flagging notice indicating that Respondent was arrested on September 12, 2014 by the Hillsborough Township Police Department and charged with theft of controlled substance in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:20-2B (1)(c) (See Flagging Notice dated September 15, 2014 attached hereto and made a part hereof as **Exhibit B**).

3. In a voluntary statement given to her employer pharmacy, Respondent admitted "since June 2014 I have taken Oxycodone 30mg (8) bottles; Oxycodone 20mg (3) bottles; Oxycodone 15mg (3) bottles." She further admitted that she sold the bottles to her former roommate's boyfriend for cash. (See Respondent's statement attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit C).

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Board provisionally finds that Respondent's theft of and unauthorized possession of drugs, including controlled dangerous substances, provides grounds to take disciplinary action against Respondent's registration to practice pharmacy in New Jersey pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b), (e), and (f) in that Respondent has engaged in the use or employment of dishonesty, deception, and misrepresentation; in professional misconduct; and in acts constituting a crime or offense of moral turpitude and/or relating adversely to the activity

regulated by the Board.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 22nd day of December, 2014,

ORDERED that:

Upon the filing of a FINAL ORDER in this matter:

1. Respondent's registration to practice as a pharmacy technician is suspended for a minimum period of five (5) years from the date of the Final Order, and until further order of the Board.

2. Respondent shall immediately cease and desist from engaging in practice as a pharmacy technician, which includes, but is not limited to the following: Respondent shall not retrieve prescription files or patient files; shall not prepare medication labels; shall not engage in data entry for any pharmacy, shall not count, weigh, measure, pour or compound prescription medication or stock legend drugs and controlled substances; shall not fill an automated medication system; shall not accept authorization for a prescription refill or renewal; shall not handle anything requiring prescription, including devices and medications; Respondent shall not handle prescriptions; and shall not be present within a prescription filling area of a pharmacy.

3. Respondent shall immediately surrender her original registration to the Executive Director of the Board by mailing

same to Anthony Rubinaccio, Executive Director, Board of Pharmacy, P. O. Box 45013, Newark, New Jersey 07101.

4. Prior to any restoration of registration, Respondent shall:

a. Appear before the Board or a committee thereof to discuss her readiness to re-enter practice as a pharmacy technician. At that time Respondent shall be prepared to propose her plans for future practice in New Jersey and demonstrate evidence of rehabilitation to the Board's satisfaction.

b. Affirmatively establish her fitness, competence and capacity to re-enter the active practice of pharmacy technician.

c. Provide the Board with a full account of her conduct during the intervening period of time from the entry of this Order to her appearance pursuant to this Order.

d. Provide documentation of successful completion of all application requirements including a Criminal History Background Check and payment of all reinstatement fees.

5. If Respondent's registration to practice as a pharmacy technician is reinstated, the Board, in its discretion, may impose any conditions or restrictions it deems necessary to protect the public health, safety and welfare.

3. Any practice in this State prior to such

reinstatement shall constitute grounds for a charge of unlicensed practice.

5. The within order shall be subject to finalization by the Board at 5:00 p.m. on the 30th day following entry hereof unless Respondent requests a modification or dismissal of the above stated Findings of Fact or Conclusions of Law by:

a) Submitting a written request for modification or dismissal to Anthony Rubinaccio, Executive Director, State Board of Pharmacy, 124 Halsey Street, P.O. Box 45013, Newark, New Jersey 07101.

b) Setting forth in writing any and all reasons why said findings and conclusions should be modified or dismissed.

c) Submitting any and all documents or other written evidence supporting Respondent's request for consideration and reasons therefor or offered in mitigation of penalty.

6. Any submissions will be reviewed by the Board and the Board will thereafter determine whether further proceedings are necessary. If no material discrepancies are raised through a supplemental submission during the thirty-day period, or if the Board is not persuaded that the submitted materials merit further consideration, a Final Order of Discipline will be entered.

7. In the event that Respondent's submissions establish a

need for further proceedings, including, but not limited to an evidentiary hearing, Respondent shall be notified with regard thereto. In the event that an evidentiary hearing is ordered, the preliminary findings of fact and conclusions of law contained herein may serve as notice of the factual and legal allegations in such proceeding. Further, in the event a hearing is held and upon review of the record, the Board shall not be limited to the findings, conclusions and sanctions stated herein.

8. Nothing herein precludes the Board from taking action on the underlying conduct that was originally the subject of inquiry in this matter.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

By: Richard Palombo, R.Ph.
Richard Palombo, R.Ph.
Board Vice President

EXHIBIT A

Quick Lookup Summary Report

Prefix First Name Middle Name Last Name Suffix
Jeanne A Castillo

SSN: [REDACTED] Date Of Birth: [REDACTED] Date of Death:

School Name: James Madison High School
Degree/Certificate: High School Diploma
Date Graduated:
Major:

License Type: Pharmacy Technician
License No: 28RW01378300
Expiration Date: 08/31/2016
Issue Date: 09/15/2010
Last Renewal: 08/08/2014
License Status: Active
Date This Status: 09/15/2010

Obtained By: Application

Probation?
Limitation?
Restriction?

Address of Record

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Date This Address: 09/15/2010

EXHIBIT B

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Governor

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Lt. Governor

New Jersey Office of the Attorney General

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FLAGGING

September 15, 2014

Pharm Tech - Active

To: Pharmacy Technicians Committee

28RW01378300

REF: Jeanne A. Castillo

DOB: [REDACTED]

SS#: [REDACTED]

Applicant #: 1365830

As a result of the Flagging System, the following information has been revealed:

1. The above individual was arrested on 09/12/14, by Hillsborough Township Police Department, for 2C:20-2B(1) (C), Theft of Controlled Dangerous Substance. Agency Case # 14-1850.

Please contact this office at 609-826-7126 if you have any questions, concerning the above or dispute any of this information.

Sincerely,

Louis J. Krofka, Chief

Criminal History Review Unit (J.Mc.)

EXHIBIT C

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

I, Jeanne Castillo, make the following voluntary statement to (DLPM) Dustin Ross, who had identified himself/herself to me as a District Loss Prevention Manager of the Walgreen Company. No promises have been made, nor have I been threatened or mistreated by (DLPM) Dustin Ross or anyone else into giving this voluntary statement. I am currently a (position code) CPNT, at Store # 125104, (address) 706 Rt 2006 Hillsborough, NJ 08844. I have worked for the Walgreen Company since: February 2014.

Since June 2014 I have taken Oxycodone 30mg (8) ^{bottles} Oxycodone 20mg (3) ^{bottles} Oxycodone 15mg (3) ^{bottles}. I do agree to pay Walgreens back for the loss that I have caused. At the time I was going through financial difficulties and saw the opportunity while filling Rx's when the pharmacist would hand me the keys to the CIT cabinet. At the filling station I would conceal the bottle & kept it inside my pocket until my shift was over. My former roommates boyfriend would give me money for the bottles that I would present to him.

This is a true and accurate statement of the facts:

Signature [Signature] Date 9/12/14 Time 2:01 P.M.
DLPM [Signature] Date 9/12/14 Time 2:01 PM
Witness [Signature] Date 9/12/14 Time 2:02 PM