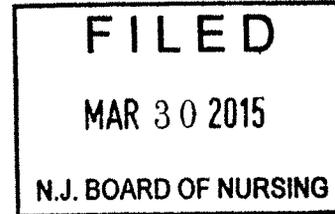


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IN THE MATTER OF THE  
LICENSE OF

Administrative Action

CATHERINE PASION, R.N.  
LICENSE # NR 12942700

CONSENT ORDER

TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of information indicating that respondent did not timely complete required continuing education for the 2011-2013 licensing cycle. Respondent was able to document only 5.3 contact hours of nursing continuing education that was timely completed, but subsequently submitted thirty

one(31) contact hours of continuing education completed after the end of the licensing cycle, on August 8, 2013 (one hour) and January 6, 2015 (thirty hours).

The Board finds that respondent failed to comply with N.J.A.C. 13:37-5.3, in that she failed to timely complete required nursing continuing education. Moreover, respondent indicated on her 2013 renewal application that she would have completed all required nursing continuing education for the 2011-2013 licensing cycle by May 31, 2013. The Board finds that this was inaccurate, and consequently that respondent engaged in 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 30<sup>th</sup> DAY OF March , 2015

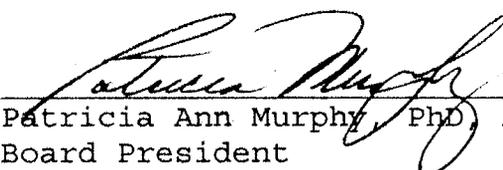
HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

1. A reprimand is hereby imposed upon respondent for the violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

2. A \$250 civil penalty 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 or money order, made payable to the State of New Jersey, and shall be submitted simultaneously with this signed order.

3. None of the continuing education listed above may be used to satisfy respondent's continuing education obligation for the 2013-2015 licensing cycle, with the exception of 5.3 contact hours completed on January 6, 2015.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:   
Patricia Ann Murphy, PhD, APN, C  
Board President

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

  
Catherine Pasion, R.N.