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VIA REGULAR AND CERTIFIED MAIL

Grady E Brown, C.H.H.A.
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**RE: I/M/O Grady E Brown, C.H.H.A.
Consent Order**

Dear Mr. Grady E Brown:

Enclosed herewith please find a "filed" copy of the Consent Order ("Order") entered with regard to the above referenced matter. Please read this Order carefully, as you may be subject to additional discipline if you do not comply with the terms of the Order. If you have any questions please contact Deputy Attorney General Shirley Dickstein 973-648-2779.

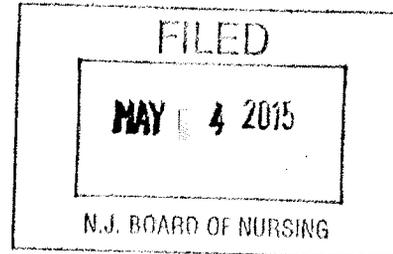
Sincerely yours,

George Hebert, Executive Director,
State Board of Nursing

Encl.

cc: Shirley Dickstein, DAG

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 STATE BOARD OF NURSING

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IN THE MATTER OF THE SURRENDER	:	Administrative Action
OF THE CERTIFICATE OF	:	
	:	CONSENT ORDER OF VOLUNTARY
Grady E. Brown, C.H.H.A.	:	SURRENDER OF CERTIFICATION
CERTIFICATE NO.: 26NH11825800	:	TO PRACTICE AS A HOMEMAKER-
	:	HOME HEALTH AIDE
TO PRACTICE AS A CERTIFIED	:	
HOMEMAKER-HOME HEALTH AIDE	:	
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY	:	
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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing (the "Board") upon receipt of information indicating that Grady E. Brown, ("Respondent"), the holder of Homemaker-Home Health Aide Certificate 26NH11825800 in the State of New Jersey, was arrested on December 28, 2012 by the River Edge Police for one (1) count of N.J.S.A. 2C:14-3A, Aggravated Criminal Sexual Contact and one (1) count of N.J.S.A. 2C:24-4A Endangering Welfare of Children. On April 4, 2013, the Bergen County

Superior Court indicted Respondent on two (2) counts of N.J.S.A. 2C:14-3A, Aggravated Criminal Sexual Contact, one (1) count of N.J.S.A. 2C:14-4b. (2), Lewdness, and one (1) count of N.J.S.A. 2C:24-4A Endangering Welfare of Children. Specifically, it was alleged that, while working as a homemaker-home health aide, Respondent inappropriately touched S.K., his client's granddaughter, by touching and/or fondling S.K.'s vagina, touching and/or exposing his penis in the presence of S.K., and/or having S.K. touch his penis and exposing his intimate parts.

On November 19, 2013, Respondent entered an interim consent order of voluntary surrender of his certification pending disposition of the criminal charges against him. The order preserved the right for the Board to take disciplinary action based upon Respondent's conduct.

On December 2, 2013, Respondent was found guilty of N.J.S.A. 2C:24-4A Endangering Welfare of Children, and on November 14, 2014, was sentenced to three years confinement and assessed \$1,555.00. Respondent is currently incarcerated at the Adult Diagnostic and Treatment Center in Avenel, New Jersey.

The Board finds that Respondent's conduct provides a basis to take disciplinary action against Respondent's certificate to practice as a homemaker-home health aide in New Jersey.

Respondent has been convicted of a crime requiring the revocation of his certification pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:11-24.3, and constituting a crime of moral turpitude which relates adversely to homemaker-home health aide practice, in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f), and has engaged in professional or occupational misconduct, in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e).

It appearing that Respondent desires to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings and the Board finding that the public health, safety and welfare will be adequately protected;

IT IS on this 04th day of May, 2015;

ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent is hereby granted leave and shall immediately surrender his certification to practice as a homemaker-home health aide, to be deemed a permanent revocation of his certification to practice as a homemaker-home health aide in the State of New Jersey with prejudice. Respondent shall never apply for reinstatement of his certification in the State of New Jersey in the future.

2. Respondent shall immediately cease and desist from holding himself out as a certified homemaker-home health aide and/or practicing as a homemaker-home health aide, which includes, but is not limited to, performing nursing regimens or

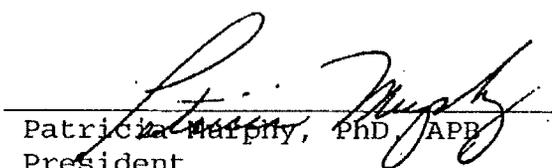
nursing tasks delegated through the authority of a duly licensed professional nurse. Any practice in this State shall constitute grounds for a charge of unlicensed practice.

3. Within fourteen days following the entry of this Order, Respondent shall surrender his original wall certificate, his wallet certificate, and the most recent renewal card to an authorized representative of the Board or mail these items to: Executive Director George Hebert, Executive Director, State Board of Nursing, P.O. Box 45010, Newark, New Jersey 07101.

4. Any violation of this order by Respondent shall constitute grounds for such proceedings as are permitted by law.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:


Patricia Murphy, PhD, APRN
President

I have read and understood the above Consent Order and I agree to be bound by its terms. I understand that this Consent Order has serious legal consequences and have decided to enter into this agreement with the Board without the advice of legal counsel. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.


Grady E. Brown

