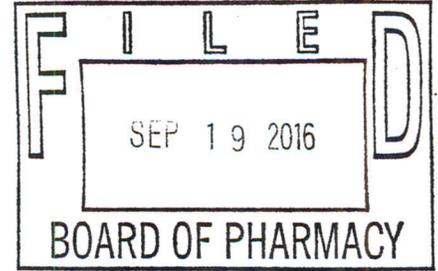


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IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

**CONSENT ORDER**

**JOHN AGYEMANG, R.Ph.**  
**License No.: 28RI03165100**

TO PRACTICE PHARMACY IN THE  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Pharmacy ("the Board") upon the receipt of a criminal flagging indicating that John Agyemang, R.Ph. ("Respondent") was arrested on January 20, 2013 by the Winslow Township Police Department for: criminal restraint, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:13-2 and possession of a firearm for an unlawful purpose, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:39-4A. Specifically, on or about January 17, 2013, Respondent locked a customer in his pharmacy and threatened her with a gun. Respondent claimed the incident was a prank. On May 15, 2015, in Camden County Superior Court, Respondent was found guilty by jury, and sentenced to three years in a New Jersey State Prison.

Having reviewed all of the information presented, the Board finds that Respondent has engaged in professional misconduct and engaged in acts constituting crimes which relate adversely to the practice of pharmacy in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e) and (f), providing a basis for discipline of his license to practice pharmacy in New Jersey.

Respondent, being desirous of resolving this matter without the necessity of further formal proceedings, and agreeing to waive any right to same, and the Board having determined that this Order is sufficiently protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and all parties agreeing to the terms of this Order;

**ACCORDINGLY, IT IS on this 19 day of September, 2016,**

**ORDERED THAT:**

1. Respondent's license to practice pharmacy in the State of New Jersey shall be suspended for a minimum of three (3) years, effective upon entry of this Order.
2. Prior to Board consideration of any petition for reinstatement, Respondent shall:
  - a. Appear before the Board or a committee thereof to discuss his readiness to re-enter practice as a pharmacist. At that time Respondent shall be prepared to propose his plans for future practice in New Jersey and demonstrate evidence of rehabilitation to the Board's satisfaction.
  - b. Submit proof of successful completion of all terms of his criminal sentencing, including payment of any fines.
  - c. Undergo an in-depth psychological or psychiatric evaluation by a practitioner pre-approved by the Board. Respondent authorizes the Board to provide the practitioner with copies of all documents relevant to Respondent's criminal activities and alleged professional misconduct and with a copy of this Order and Respondent shall ensure that the practitioner has these documents prior to initial evaluation. Respondent shall ensure that the practitioner provides a written evaluation directly to the Board. In addition evaluating Respondent's psychological health and any recommendations for treatment, the report shall include an evaluation of the likelihood of Respondent engaging in similar behavior again and Respondent's ability to practice pharmacy in a manner protective of the public health, safety and welfare and Respondent shall

provide the Board with documentary proof that he has complied with any recommendations made by the practitioner. Respondent hereby waives any claim of privilege or confidentiality he may have with regard to any information that the practitioner may provide under the provisions of this Order to the Board or the Attorney General, and agrees that such information may be utilized in any proceeding regarding his license.

- d. Proof of successful completion, at his own expense, of either the ProBe or Prime ethics course or another ethics course approved in advance by the Board. Successful completion means that all sessions were attended, all assignments were properly and appropriately completed, and a passing grade was achieved which was unconditional and without reservations.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

*Thomas F.X. Bender, Jr., R.Ph.*

By:

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Thomas F.X. Bender, R.Ph.  
President

I have read the within Order and understand its terms. I consent to the entry of this Order by the New Jersey Board of Pharmacy.

*John Agyemang*

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John Agyemang, R.Ph.