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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 APPLICATION  
FOR LICENSURE OF

Administrative Action

**Tracy Duncan**  
RN Applicant #2331006

**CONSENT ORDER**

*20 NR 21770500*

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 Tracy Duncan’s application for licensure as a Registered Nurse by Endorsement. The Applicant failed to disclose an arrest and conviction, answering “no” to the question which asked if she had ever been arrested and “no” to the question which asked if she had ever been found guilty of any offense. The applicant certified those answers to be true and accurate when she submitted the application.

Upon further Board investigation, the applicant acknowledged that on June 19, 1978, by the Deadwood Sheriff’s Office, South Dakota, she was arrested and charged with violating one (1) count of Forgery (Equivalent to N.J.S.A 2C:21-1 Forgery and Fraudulent Offenses). She was also

arrested on April 9, 1980, by the Deadwood Sheriff's Office, South Dakota, for one (1) count Bench Warrant-Failure to Appear on Forgery Charge (Equivalent to N.J.S.A. 2C:29-9 Contempt). Disposition Unavailable. On May 15, 1980, Sentencing Agency Unavailable, one (1) count Forgery was dismissed by States Attorney and she was assessed fines totaling one hundred forty-three dollars (\$143.00).

The Board finds that the applicant engaged in misrepresentation on the application which constitutes a violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

The Board having reviewed this matter, and having considered the nature and timing of the above conduct, and the parties desiring to resolve this matter, and the Board having determined that the within Order is sufficiently protective of the public, the Applicant waiving any right to a hearing, in lieu of further proceedings, and for other good cause shown;

IT IS on this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2020

**HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED that:**

1. Tracy Duncan's application for licensure as a Registered Nurse shall be granted upon Board review and approval of a completed application and compliance with paragraph two below.

2. A civil penalty in the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500) is hereby imposed upon the applicant for misrepresentation on the application. Payment shall be made by certified check, bank cashier check, or money order payable to "State of New Jersey," or by wire transfer, direct deposit, or credit card payment submitted contemporaneously with this signed Order. Any other form of payment will be rejected and will be returned to the party making the payment.

3. The applicant shall obey all the laws of the State of New Jersey, the United States and their political subdivisions, as well as all regulations, rules or laws pertaining to the practice of nursing in any State or jurisdiction in which they practice nursing.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

*Barbara Blozen EdD MA RN-BC CNL*

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Barbara Blozen, EdD, MA, RN-BC, CNL  
Board President

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. I acknowledge that this is a public disciplinary Order.

*Tracy Duncan RN*

Tracy Duncan  
R.N. Applicant

*03-17-2020*

DATE