IN THE MATTER OF	§	BEFORE THE ELIGIBILITY
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PERMANENT CERTIFICATE	§	AND DISCIPLINARY
	§	
NUMBER 206649	§	COMMITTEE
	§	
ISSUED TO	§	OF THE TEXAS
	§	
ALISA JO CARPENTER	§	BOARD OF NURSING

I do hereby certify this to be a complete, accurate, and true copy of the document which is on file or is of record in the offices of the Texas Board of Nursing.
Executive Director of the Board

ORDER OF THE BOARD

TO: Alisa Jo Carpenter
2105 S. Taylor Street
Amarillo, Texas 79109

During open meeting held in Austin, Texas, on May 11, 2010, the Eligibility and Disciplinary Committee (hereinafter "Committee") heard the above-styled case. This case was heard, and based on the failure of the Respondent to appear as required by 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee of the Texas Board of Nursing finds that notice of the facts or conduct alleged to warrant disciplinary action has been provided to Respondent in accordance with Texas Government Code § 2001.054(c) and Respondent has been given an opportunity to show compliance with all the requirements of the Nursing Practice Act, chapter 301 of the Texas Occupations Code, for retention of Respondent's license to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas.

The Committee finds that the Formal Charges were properly initiated and filed in accordance with section 301.458, Texas Occupations Code.

The Committee finds that after proper and timely Notice regarding the violations alleged in the Formal Charges was given to Respondent in this matter, Respondent has failed to appear in accordance with 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE Ch. 213.

The Committee finds that the Board is authorized to enter a default order pursuant to Texas Government Code § 2001.056.

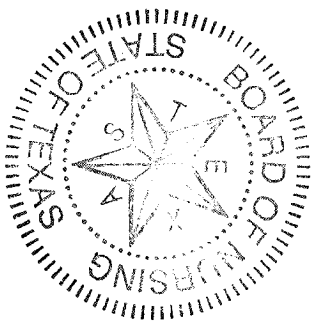
The Eligibility and Disciplinary Committee, after review and due consideration, adopts the proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law as stated in the Formal Charges which are attached hereto and incorporated by reference for all purposes and the Staff's recommended sanction of revocation by default. This Order will be properly served on all parties and all parties will be given an opportunity to file a motion for rehearing (22 TEX. ADMIN.CODE § 213.2(j)). All parties have a right to judicial review of this Order.

All proposed findings of fact and conclusions of law filed by any party not specifically adopted herein are hereby denied.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Permanent Certificate Number 206649, previously issued to ALISA JO CARPENTER, to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas be, and the same is hereby, REVOKED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's nurse licensure compact privileges, if any, to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas.

Entered this 11th day of May, 2010.



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BY: _____
KATHERINE A. THOMAS, MN, RN
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON BEHALF OF SAID BOARD

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the ____ day of _____, 20___, a true and correct copy of the foregoing DEFAULT ORDER was served by placement in the U.S. Mail via certified mail, and addressed to the following person(s):

Alisa Jo Carpenter
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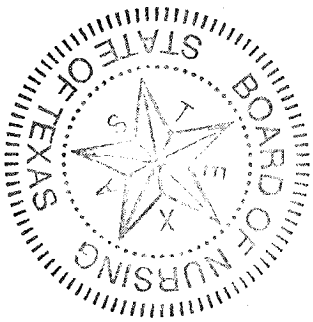

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KATHERINE A. THOMAS, MN, RN
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON BEHALF OF SAID BOARD

In the Matter of Permanent License Number 206649, Issued to ALISA JO CARPENTER, Respondent	§ § §	**BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING**

FORMAL CHARGES

This is a disciplinary proceeding under Section 301.452(b), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent, ALISA JO CARPENTER, is a Registered Nurse holding license number 206649, which is in active status at the time of this pleading.

Written notice of the facts and conduct alleged to warrant adverse licensure action was sent to Respondent at Respondent's address of record and Respondent was given opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license prior to commencement of this proceeding.

CHARGE I.

On or about December 25, 2007, thorough December 26, 2007, while employed with Vivian's Nursing Home, Amarillo, Texas, Respondent failed to administer medications to patient's assigned to her care as follows:

Time/Date	Patient #	Medication	Physician's Order	MAR
12/25/2007	DS#9667	Dilantin 300mg	Dilantin 300mg QHS(Odd days)	Documented as given
12/26/2007	DS #9667	Dilantin 200mg	Dilantin 200mg QHS (Even Days)	Documented as given
12/25/2007	DS#9667	Zyprexa 2.5mg	Zyprexa 2.5mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/25/2007	DS#9667	Lexapro 20mg	Lexapro 20mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/26/2007	DS#9667	Lexapro20mg	Lexapro 20mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/25/2007	LM#9593	Namenda 5mg	Namenda 10mg po BID	Documented as given
12/25/2007	LM#9593	Zocor 10mg	Zocor 10 mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/25/2007	FS#9655	Zyprexa 2.5mg	Zyprexa 10mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/26/2007	FS#9655	Zyprexa 2.5	Zyprexa 10mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/25/2007	FS#9655	Verapamil 40mg	Verapamil 40mg po BID	Documented as given
12/26/2007	FS#9655	Verapamil 40mg	Verapamil 40mg po BID	Documented as given
12/25/2007	HK#9652	Tramadol (Ultram)50mg	Tramadol 50mg po TID	documented as given

12/26/2007	HK#9652	Tramadol (Ultram)50mg	Tramadol 50mg po TID	documented as given
12/25/2007	HK#9652	Lipitor 10mg	Lipitor 10mg poQHS	Documented as given
12/26/2007	HK#9652	Lipitor 10mg	Lipitor 10mg poQHS	Documented as given
12/25/2007	HK#9652	Megace 40mg	Megace 40mg po TID	Documented as given
12/26/2007	HK#9652	Megace 40mg	Megace 40mg po TID	Documented as given
12/25/2007	HK#9652	Aricept 5mg	Aricept 5mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/26/2007	HK#9652	Arciept 5mg	Aricept 5 mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/26/2007	KG#9506	Risperdal 0.5mg	Risperdal 0.5mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/26/2007	KG#9506	Zanatc 150mg	Zantac 150mg po QHS	Documented as given
12/26/2007	KG#9506	Namenda 10mg	Namenda 10mg po BID	Documented as given
12/26/2007	KG#9506	Elavil 10mg	Elavil 10mg po BID	Documented as given
12/25/2007	MS#9578	Rispredal 1mg	Risperdal 1mg po TID	Documented as given
12/26/2007	MS#9578	Risperdal 1mg	Risperdal 1mg poTID	Documented as given
12/25/2007	MS#9578	Reminyl 4mg	Reminyl 4mg po BID	Documented as given
12/26/2007	MS#9578	Reminyl 40mg	Reminyl 4mg po BID	Documented as given
12/25/2007	BS# 9304	Seroquel 25mg	Seroquel 25mg po TID	Documented as given
12/25/2007	BS# 9304	Carbodopa/Levadopa 25/100	Carbodopa/Levadopa 25/100 po TID	Documented as given

Respondent's conduct was likely to injure the patients in that Respondent denied said patients of the therapeutic effects of the ordered medications and may have exacerbated their medical conditions.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(B), (1)(C), (1)(D), and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(B)&(4).

CHARGE II.

On or about December 25, 2007, through December 26, 2007, while employed with Vivian's Nursing Home, Amarillo, Texas, Respondent falsely documented the administration of medications to patient's assigned to her care as follows:

Time/Date	Patient #	Medication	Physician's Order	MAR
12/25/2007	DS#9667	Dilantin 300mg	Dilantin 300mg QHS(Odd days)	Documented as given
12/26/2007	DS #9667	Dilantin 200mg	Dilantin 200mg QHS (Even Days)	Documented as given

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Respondent's conduct was deceitful, and was likely to injure the patient's in that subsequent care givers would have relied on inaccurate information on which to base their plan of care.

The above action constitutes grounds for disciplinary action in accordance with Section 301.452(b)(10)&(13), Texas Occupations Code, and is a violation of 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.11(1)(B), and (1)(D), and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(1)(B),(4) & (6)(A).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that staff will present evidence in support of the recommended disposition of up to revocation of Respondent's license to practice nursing in the State of Texas pursuant to the Board's rules, 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 213.27 - 213.33. Additionally, staff will seek to impose on Respondent the administrative costs of the proceeding pursuant to § 301.461, TEX. OCC. CODE ANN. The cost of proceedings shall include, but is not limited to, the cost paid by the Board to the State Office of Administrative Hearings and the Office of the Attorney General or other Board counsel for legal and investigative services, the cost of a court reporter and witnesses, reproduction of records, Board staff time, travel, and expenses. These shall be in an amount of at least one thousand two hundred dollars ($1200.00).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that all statutes and rules cited in these Charges are incorporated as part of this pleading and can be found at the Board's website, www.bon.state.tx.us.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that, based on the Formal Charges, the Board will rely on the Disciplinary Matrix, which can be found at www.bon.state.tx.us/disciplinaryaction/discp-matrix.html.

Filed this 18th day of March, 2010.

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