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*Patricia P. Thomas*  
Executive Director of the Board

BEFORE THE TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING

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In the Matter of Registered Nurse License Number 690539                   §        AGREED  
and Vocational Nurse License Number 155311                               §        ORDER  
issued to TONYA (RODGERS) REGINA LAND                                   §

On this day, the Texas Board of Nursing, hereinafter referred to as the B accepted the voluntary surrender of Registered Nurse License Number 690539 and Vocational Nurse License Number 155311, issued to TONYA (RODGERS) REGINA LAND, hereinafter referred to as Respondent. This action was taken in accordance with Section 301.453(c) of the Texas Occupations Code.

Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.

The Board makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Prior to the institution of Agency proceedings, notice of the matters specified below in these Findings of Fact was provided to Respondent and Respondent was given an opportunity to show compliance with all requirements of the law for retention of the license.
2. Respondent waived representation by counsel, informal proceedings, notice and hearing, and agreed to the entry of this Order.
3. Respondent holds a license to practice vocational nursing and professional nursing in the State of Texas, which are both currently in delinquent status.
4. Respondent received a Certificate in Vocational Nursing from Tyler Junior College, Jacksonville, Texas, on August 11, 1995, and a Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing from University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler, Texas, on May 11, 2002. Respondent was licensed to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas on October 23, 1995, and Respondent was licensed to practice professional nursing in the State of Texas on September 17, 2002.

5. Respondent's nursing employment history is unknown.
6. On or about March 14, 2008, Respondent entered a plea of Not Guilty and was convicted of EVADING ARREST/DETENTION W/VEH (a State Jail Felony offense), in the 241st District Court of Tyler, Texas, under Cause No. 241172507. As a result of the conviction, Respondent was sentenced to confinement in the State Jail Facility for a period of five (5) years; however, the imposition of the sentence of confinement was suspended, and Respondent was placed on probation for a period of five (5) years and ordered to pay court costs.

On or about December 11, 2008, Respondent's probation granted under Cause No. 241172507 was Revoked, in the 241st District Court of Tyler, Texas. As a result, Respondent was sentenced to confinement in the State Jail Facility for fifteen (15) months, with fifty-three (53) days credited.

7. On or about October 18, 2007, Respondent entered a plea of Guilty and was convicted of DRIVING WHILE LICENSE INVALID (a Misdemeanor offense), in the County Court at Law No. 2 of Tyler, Texas, under Cause No. 0028376107. As a result of the conviction, Respondent was sentenced to confinement for a period of one hundred eighty (180) days; however, the imposition of the sentence of confinement was suspended, and Respondent was placed on probation for a period of six (6) months. Additionally, Respondent was ordered to pay a fine and court cost.

On or about May 29, 2008, Respondent's probation granted under Cause No. 0028376107 was Revoked, in the County Court at Law No. 2 of Tyler, Texas. As a result, Respondent was sentenced to confinement in the Smith County Jail for sixty-three (63) days.

8. In response to Findings of Fact Numbers Six (6) and Seven (7), Respondent states: She was found guilty of technical violations on December 11, 2008, and her probation was revoked. She was sentenced to confinement at the Jesse R. Dawson State Jail Facility in Dallas for a period of fifteen (15) months. Her release date is scheduled for January 16, 2010. Respondent has not worked in the nursing field since January 2006 at which time she worked for Capstone, Inc., Tyler, Texas.
9. Respondent, by her signature to this Order, expresses her desire to voluntarily surrender her licenses to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

#### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Pursuant to Texas Occupations Code, Sections 301.451-301.555, the Board has jurisdiction over this matter.

2. Notice was served in accordance with law.
3. The evidence received is sufficient to prove violations of Section 301.452(b)(3)&(10), Texas Occupations Code, and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §217.12(13).
4. The evidence received is sufficient cause pursuant to Section 301.453(a), Texas Occupations Code, to take disciplinary action against Registered License Number 690539 and Vocational License Number 155311, heretofore issued to TONYA (RODGERS) REGINA LAND, including revocation of Respondent's license to practice nursing in the State of Texas.
5. Under Section 301.453(c), Texas Occupations Code, the Board has the authority to accept the voluntary surrender of a license.
6. Under Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, as amended, the Board may impose conditions for reinstatement of licensure.
7. Any subsequent reinstatement of this license will be controlled by Section 301.453(d), Texas Occupations Code, and 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §213.26-.29, and any amendments thereof in effect at the time of the reinstatement.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED and ORDERED that the VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of Registered License Number 690539 and Vocational License Number 155311, heretofore issued to TONYA (RODGERS) REGINA LAND, to practice nursing in the State of Texas, is accepted by the Texas Board of Nursing. In connection with this acceptance, the Board imposes the following conditions:

1. RESPONDENT SHALL immediately deliver the wallet-sized licenses, heretofore issued to TONYA (RODGERS) REGINA LAND, to the office of the Texas Board of Nursing.
2. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT practice professional or vocational nursing, use the title "registered or vocational nurse" or the abbreviation "RN" or "LVN" or wear any insignia identifying herself as a registered or vocational nurse or use any designation which, directly or indirectly, would lead any person to believe that RESPONDENT is a registered or vocational nurse during the period in which the license is surrendered.

3. RESPONDENT SHALL NOT petition for reinstatement of licensure until: one (1) year has elapsed from the date of this Order.
4. Upon petitioning for reinstatement, RESPONDENT SHALL satisfy all then existing requirements for relicensure.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED and ORDERED that this Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's multistate privileges, if any, to practice nursing in the State of Texas.

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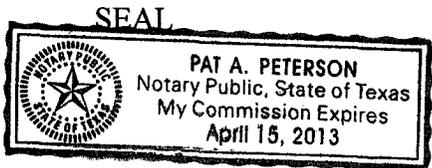
RESPONDENT'S CERTIFICATION

I understand that I have the right to legal counsel prior to signing this Agreed Order. I waive representation by counsel. I have reviewed this Order. I neither admit nor deny the violations alleged herein. By my signature on this Order, I agree to the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Order, and any conditions of said Order, to avoid further disciplinary action in this matter. I waive judicial review of this Order. I understand that this Order becomes final when accepted by the Executive Director at which time the terms of this Order become effective and a copy will be mailed to me.

Signed this 5 day of April, 2010.

Tonya (Rodgers) Regina Land  
TONYA (RODGERS) REGINA LAND, Respondent

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5 day of April, 2010.



Pat A Peterson  
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, the Executive Director on behalf of the Texas Board of Nursing does hereby accept the voluntary surrender of Registered Nurse License Number 690539 and Vocational Nurse License Number 155311, previously issued to TONYA (RODGERS) REGINA LAND.

Effective this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2010.



Katherine A. Thomas, MN, RN  
Executive Director on behalf  
of said Board

