

IN THE MATTER OF  
PERMANENT CERTIFICATE  
NUMBER 119391  
ISSUED TO  
SHELIA RUTH GOINS

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BEFORE THE ELIGIBILITY  
AND DISCIPLINARY  
COMMITTEE  
OF THE TEXAS  
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.  
*Patricia A. Thomas*  
Executive Director of the Board

**ORDER OF THE BOARD**

TO: Shelia Ruth Goins  
201 C E Lincoln St.  
Wichita Falls, Texas 76306

During open meeting held in Austin, Texas, on Tuesday, December 11, 2007, 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 119391, previously issued to SHELIA RUTH GOINS, to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas be, and the same is hereby, REVOKED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Permanent Certificate Number 119391, previously issued to SHELIA RUTH GOINS, upon receipt of this Order, be immediately delivered to the office of the Texas Board of Nursing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order SHALL be applicable to Respondent's multi-state privilege, if any, to practice vocational nursing in the State of Texas.

Entered this 11<sup>TH</sup> day of December, 2007.

TEXAS BOARD OF NURSING


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

Re: Permanent Certificate Number 119391  
Issued to SHELIA RUTH GOINS  
DEFAULT ORDER -REVOKE

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2007, 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):

Shelia Ruth Goins  
201C E. Lincoln St.  
Wichita Falls, Texas 76306

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

**In the Matter of Permanent Vocational  
Nurse License Number 119391,  
issued to SHELIA RUTH GOINS, Respondent**

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**BEFORE THE TEXAS  
BOARD OF NURSING**

### **FORMAL CHARGES**

This is a disciplinary proceeding under Section 301.452(b), Texas Occupations Code. Respondent, SHELIA RUTH GOINS, is a Vocational Nurse holding license number 119391, which is in delinquent 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 2, 2004, while employed as a Staff Nurse with North Texas State Hospital, Wichita Falls, Texas, Respondent failed to administer Natural Tears eye drops to Patient 70926, as ordered, and instead inappropriately allowed an unlicensed assistive person, who lacked the educational preparation and skills necessary to safely administer medication, to administer the eye drops while Respondent watched. Respondent's conduct was likely to injure the patient from adverse reactions to medication that may have been administered unsafely and/or incorrectly.

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)(S)&(2)(B) and 217.12(1)(A),(1)(D)&(4).

#### **CHARGE II.**

On or about December 29, 2004, while employed as a Staff Nurse with North Texas State Hospital, Wichita Falls, Texas, Respondent administered in error Ativan 1.0 mg to Patient 72053, instead of Ativan 0.5 mg, as ordered. Respondent's conduct was likely to injure the patient from possible adverse reactions to medication overdose.

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) and 217.12(1)(A)&(4).

### **CHARGE III.**

On or about January 20, 2005, while employed as a Staff Nurse with North Texas State Hospital, Wichita Falls, Texas, Respondent failed to follow the facility's policy and procedure for wastage of controlled substances by documenting wastage of one (1) Librium 5 mg capsule for Patient 36698, without having a second licensed nurse witness and document the wastage, as required. Respondent's conduct may have been deceptive, was in violation of Chapter 481 of the Texas Health & Safety Code (Controlled Substances Act), and resulted in an incomplete medical record.

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)(D) and 217.12(1)(A),(10)(C)&(11)(B).

### **CHARGE IV.**

On or about February 1, 2005, while employed as a Staff Nurse with North Texas State Hospital, Wichita Falls, Texas, Respondent failed to completely document on the medication administration record that an order to administer Zyprexa 5 mg twice daily was being discontinued and replaced by a new order to administer Zyprexa 5 mg twice during the day followed by 10 mg at bedtime. Although Respondent documented the new order on the medication administration record, she failed to document that the earlier order was discontinued. Consequently, nurses, including Respondent, administered in error doses of Zyprexa for both the earlier and the revised order to the patient for three (3) days before the error was discovered. Respondent's conduct was likely to injure the patient from possible adverse reactions to medication overdosage.

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 217.12(1)(A)&(4).

### **CHARGE V.**

On or about February 2, 2005, while employed as a Staff Nurse with North Texas State Hospital, Wichita Falls, Texas, Respondent failed to administer Elocon Cream to Patient 52960, as newly ordered by the physician, even after Respondent documented having "Noted" the order in the medical record. Respondent's conduct was likely to injure the patient due to non-efficacious treatment of his/her disease process.

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) and 217.12(1)(A)&(4).

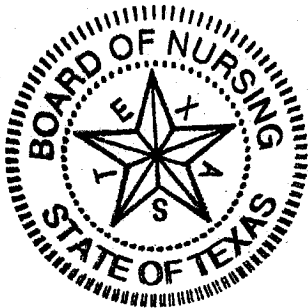
NOTICE IS GIVEN that staff will present evidence in support of the recommended disposition of revocation of Respondent's license to practice nursing in the State of Texas pursuant to the Board's rules, 22 TEX. ADMIN. CODE §§ 213.27 - 213.33. Additionally, staff will seek to impose on Respondent the administrative 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).

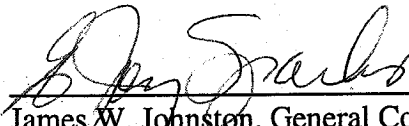
NOTICE IS GIVEN that all statutes and rules cited in these Charges are incorporated as part of this pleading and can be found at the Board's website, [www.bon.state.tx.us](http://www.bon.state.tx.us).

NOTICE IS GIVEN that to the extent applicable, based on the Formal Charges, the Board will rely on Adopted Disciplinary Sanction Policies for Fraud, Theft & Deception, which can be found at the Board's website, [www.bon.state.tx.us](http://www.bon.state.tx.us).

Filed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2007.

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