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IN RE: ANGELA M. HATCH, L.P.N.	)	
of Randolph, Vermont	)	CONSENT AGREEMENT
License #P010701	)	FOR REPRIMAND

## INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Angela M. Hatch's license to practice licensed practical nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(1-A)(A), 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(A-1)(1) and § 8003(5)(B). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Angela Hatch ("Licensee"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Office of the Attorney General, State of Maine. An informal conference was held on January 10, 2007. The parties reached this agreement based upon information submitted by County Manor Nursing Home by complaint dated September 12, 2005 and information submitted by the Maine Department of Health and Human Resources, Division of Licensing & Certification in Complaint Investigation No. 05-ANF-794.

## **FACTS**

- Angela M. Hatch has been a licensed practical nurse licensed to practice in Maine since 1. 1992.
- Angela M. Hatch admitted that she was sleeping on duty while she was the Charge Nurse 2. at Country Manor Nursing Home. Ms. Hatch currently lives in Vermont and her Maine licensed practical nurse license in Maine has lapsed. She further agreed that if she does renew her license in Maine, it will be for a probationary period.

## **AGREEMENT**

- Angela M. Hatch understands that her conduct in the above stated facts constitutes 3. grounds for discipline under Title 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(F), (2)(H) and Chapter 4.1.A.6., and Chapter 4.3.F. of the Rules and Regulations of the Maine State Board of Nursing. Angela Hatch is hereby REPRIMANDED for unprofessional conduct because she failed to follow policies and procedures in a practice situation designed to safeguard the patient.
- Angela M. Hatch understands that this Consent Agreement imposes discipline in the form 4. of a REPRIMAND regarding her license to practice licensed practical nursing in the State of Maine. Ms. Hatch agrees and understands that if she reapplies to renew her Maine nursing license the Board has the discretion to renew her license for a probationary period. Ms. Hatch understands that she does not have to execute this Consent Agreement and that she has the right to consult with an attorney before entering into this Consent Agreement.

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- 5. Angela M. Hatch affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.
- 6. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all the parties.
- 7. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee.
- 8. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

I, ANGELA HATCH, L.P.N., HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING CONSENT AGREEMENT. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING IT, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS. I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY, WITHOUT ANY THREAT OR PROMISE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND.

DATED: 2/107

ANGELA M. HATCH, L.P.N.

FOR THE MAINE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

DATED: 3/29/07

MYRA A/BROADWAY, J.D., M.S., R.N.

**Executive Director** 

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE

ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATED

JOHN M. RICHARDS

Assistant Attorney General