BEFORE THE MAINE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF LICENSE NO. R040444 ISSUED TO:

ANNE D. KREBSBACH

To practice registered professional nursing in the State of Maine

ORDER TERMINATING PROBATION

WHEREAS, on October 2, 2003, License No. R040444 issued to Anne D. Krebsbach was placed on "probation" pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. Section 2105-A (1-A); and

WHEREAS, on December 9, 2004, the Board of Nursing duly considered all evidence presented to it concerning Anne D. Krebsbach’s compliance with the conditions of said probation; and

WHEREAS, the Board found that Anne D. Krebsbach has completed all of the Order;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is ordered that the Order of Probation executed on October 22, 2003 is hereby terminated.

DATED this 14th day of December 2004.

MAINE STATE BOARD OF NURSING

BY: Myra A. Broadway, J.D., M.S., R.N.
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IN RE: ANNE D. KRESBACH, R.N. ) CONSENT AGREEMENT
of Bath, Maine ) FOR WARNING AND
License #R040444 ) PROBATION

INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Anne D. Kresbach’s license to practice professional nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(A-1)(1) and (4), § 8003(5)(B) and 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(1-A)(A) and (B). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Anne D. Kresbach (“Licenee”), Maine State Board of Nursing (“Board”) and the Office of the Attorney General, State of Maine. Ms. Kresbach filed a renewal application for her registered professional nurse license on September 8, 2003. The parties reached this Agreement after the Board met with Ms. Kresbach on October 2, 2003.

FACTS

1. Anne D. Kresbach has been a registered professional nurse licensed by the Board to practice in Maine since 1974.

2. Anne D. Kresbach was convicted for Operating Under the Influence of Liquor in Bath, Maine on February 18, 2003. Her blood alcohol level was 0.18.

3. Anne D. Kresbach filed a fraudulent renewal application on September 8, 2003 for her registered professional nurse license by not disclosing that she had been convicted of a crime.

4. Anne D. Kresbach acknowledges that she may have a substance abuse problem and has stopped drinking alcohol.

5. Anne D. Kresbach has no previous discipline by the Board.

AGREEMENT

6. Anne D. Kresbach agrees and understands that based upon the above stated facts her conduct constitutes grounds for discipline under Title 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(A),
(2)(F), (2)(H) and Chapter 4.1.A.1 and 4.1.A.6. Anne D. Kresbach is hereby WARNED for unprofessional conduct and for fraud or deceit in obtaining a license.

7. Anne D. Kresbach’s license to practice professional nursing in the State of Maine is renewed on a probationary status with conditions. The period of probation will be for six months and will be subject to the following conditions:

   a. Anne D. Kresbach will arrange for and undergo a comprehensive substance abuse evaluation by a licensed substance abuse counselor.

   b. Anne D. Kresbach will arrange for and provide a copy of the evaluation to the Board within six months for the Board’s review and consideration when determining whether to terminate probation in six months.

8. Anne D. Kresbach understands that this Consent Agreement imposes discipline regarding her license to practice professional nursing in the State of Maine. Ms. Kresbach 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.

9. Anne D. Kresbach affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.

10. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all the parties.

11. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee, but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.

12. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

   I, ANNE D. KRESBACH, R.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: 11/4/03  

Anne Kresbach, R.N.

ANNE D. KRESBACH, R.N.
FOR THE MAINE STATE
BOARD OF NURSING

DATED: 10/17/03

MYRA A. BROADWAY, J.D., M.S., R.N.
Executive Director

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE
ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATED: 10/22/03

JOHN P. RICHARDS
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