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FROM: Myra A. Broadway, J.D., M.S., R.N.
Executive Director

RE: Bonnie M. Lambert, R.N.

DATE: February 18, 2003

This will confirm that the Board voted at its February 12-13, 2003 meeting to allow Ms. Lambert to complete her probation in Utah.

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pc: Bonnie M. Lambert, R.N.
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IN RE: **BONNIE M. LAMBERT, R.N.**) **CONSENT AGREEMENT**
 of Falmouth, Maine) **FOR PROBATION WITH**
 License #R018358) **CONDITIONS**

INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Bonnie M. Lambert'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)(4), 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(B) and 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(1-A)(B). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Bonnie M. Lambert ("Licensee"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Department of Attorney General, State of Maine. The parties reached this Agreement following an informal conference held on February 14, 2001 on the basis of information submitted by Alternative Nursing Care, Inc. in a provider report dated February 3, 2000 and information submitted by Maine Department of Human Services – Bureau of Medical Services, Division of Licensing and Certification in complaint report No. 00-PFN-28.

FACTS

1. Bonnie M. Lambert has been a registered professional nurse licensed by the Board to practice in Maine since 1974.
2. Bonnie M. Lambert has engaged in conduct that evidences a lack of ability or fitness to discharge the duty owed by a licensee in the administration of nursing practice because she engaged in unsafe practices and procedures in medication administration.. Specifically, Ms. Lambert failed to follow procedures and attend to safe practices in the use of the medication cart by leaving the cart and the cart medication keys unattended.
3. Bonnie M. Lambert sought professional consultation because she was concerned with the adequate delivery of her nursing services and is currently undergoing treatment and therapy for Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder.
4. Bonnie M. Lambert has and continues to make progress in therapy, however the Board remains concerned with Ms. Lambert's nursing practice and the parties have agreed to enter this Consent Agreement which will impose a probationary term of two years with conditions on Ms. Lambert's license.



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AGREEMENT

5. Bonnie M. Lambert's conduct constitutes grounds for discipline under 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(E)(1) and (2)(H) and Nursing Board Rule Chapter 4(1)(A)(5)(a).
6. Bonnie M. Lambert's license to practice registered professional nursing is placed on a probationary status with conditions for a period of two years, to be effective only while Ms. Lambert is employment in nursing practice. The conditions of probation are as follows:
 - a. Bonnie M. Lambert will notify any and all of her nursing employers of the terms of this Consent Agreement and shall provide them with a copy of it. For purposes of this Consent Agreement, nursing employment is any employment during which Ms. Lambert performs nursing services or holds herself out as a nurse such as through the designation "R.N."
 - b. Bonnie M. Lambert will immediately notify the Board in writing of any employment in the field of nursing, including the place and position of employment and of any change in nursing employment.
 - c. Bonnie M. Lambert will arrange for and ensure the submission to the Board of quarterly reports addressing her job performance from her nursing employer(s) addressing competence in nursing practice, specifically, medication administration .
 - d. Bonnie M. Lambert understands and agrees that her license will remain on probationary status and subject to the terms of this Agreement until and unless the Board, at Ms. Lambert's request, votes to terminate Ms. Lambert's probation.

If, at the conclusion of the two year period of probation, Ms. Lambert demonstrates that she has complied with the terms and conditions of this Consent Agreement, the Board will vote to terminate the period of probation. If the Board concludes that the terms and conditions of this Consent Agreement have not been fulfilled, The Board may continue the probationary period or take disciplinary action as authorized by law.
8. The Board agrees to take no further disciplinary action upon these facts so long as Ms. Lambert fully complies with the terms and conditions of this Consent Agreement.

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9. Bonnie M. Lambert understands and agrees that this document imposes discipline regarding her license to practice professional nursing in the State of Maine. Ms. Lambert 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.
10. Bonnie M. Lambert affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.
11. Modification of this Consent Agreement must in writing and signed by all the parties.
12. This Consent Agreement is not subject to appeal or review by the Licensee but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.
13. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

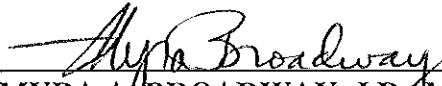
I, BONNIE M. LAMBERT, R.N., HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING CONSENT AGREEMENT. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING IT, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS. I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY, WITHOUT ANY THREAT OR PROMISE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF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

DATED: May 28, 01 Bonnie Lambert RN MSN
BONNIE M. LAMBERT, R.N.

DATED: May 13, 01 Lynn Dondis
LYNN DONDIS, ESQ.
Attorney For Bonnie M. Lambert, R.N.

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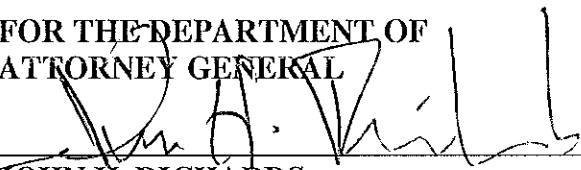
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FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
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