Tennessee Board of Nursing 665 Mainstream Drive Iris, Poplar and Dogwood Rooms Nashville, Tennessee

#### **MINUTES**

May 13, 14 and 15, 2015

### Call to Order

Brent Earwood, APN, Chair called the meeting to order at 8:35 a.m. in the Iris Room.

### Roll Call and Quorum

Ms. Sandra Powell called roll.

Present: Arthur Thompson, LPN; Lee Anne Stearnes, APN; Juanita Turnipseed, APN; Janell Cecil, RN; Brent Earwood, APN; Kathleen Harkey, Consumer Member; Mark Young, APN; Lisa Heaton, RN, Martha Buckner, RN (arrived 8:37)

Absent: Marietha Silvers, RN, Leslie Nelson Akins, APN

A quorum was present.

#### Welcome and Introduction of Guests

Mr.. Earwood welcomed the Board members and guests in the audience and called for self-introductions. Guests: students from Tennessee College of Applied Technology-Dickson, Tennessee College of Applied Technology-Jackson, Four Rivers Practical Nursing Program both Newbern and Covington campuses and Ms. Sharon Adkins, Executive Director-Tennessee Nurses Association; in addition those not choosing to make the board aware of their affiliation.

#### Introduction of Staff

Elizabeth Lund, Executive Director and Mark Waters, Deputy General Counsel introduced staff. Board staff: Sandra Powell, Administrator Teresa Phillips, Nurse Consultant Liz Sherfy, Nurse Consultant

Legal staff:

Mark Cole, Assistant General Counsel Caroline Tippens, Assistant General Counsel Grant Mullins, Assistant General Counsel Jamie Formont, Assistant General Counsel Hannah Lanford, Assistant General Counsel Matt Gibbs, Assistant General Counsel Approve December 2-3, 2014, and January 27, 2015, and February 19, 2015, Board Meeting Minutes

Ms. Heaton made the motion to approve the December 2014 minutes, Ms. Turnipseed seconded; motion carried.

Mr. Young made the motion to approve the January 2015 minutes, Ms. Turnipseed seconded; motion carried.

Ms. Heaton made the motion to approve the February 2015 minutes, Mr. Thompson seconded; Motion carried.

<u>Assign Panels and Panel Chairs</u> Mr. Earwood assigned panels and panel chairs:

Panel 1 – Earwood, Chair; Cecil, Thompson, Panel 2 – Turnipseed, Chair; Stearnes, Harkey Panel 3 – Heaton, Chair; Buckner, Young

<u>Panel 1 – Iris Room</u>	Panel 2 – Poplar Room	Panel 3 – Dogwood Room
Brent Earwood, chair	Juanita Turnipseed, chair	Lisa Heaton, chair
Janell Cecil	Leanne Stearnes	Mark Young
Arthur Thompson	Kathleen Harkey	Martha Buckner

Panel 2 adjourned to the Poplar Room. Panel 3 adjourned to the Dogwood Room.

Disciplinary Business (Panel 1, Iris Room; Panel 2, Poplar Room; Panel 3, Dogwood Room)

Panel 1 – Brent Earwood, chair; Janell Cecil, Arthur Thompson

A quorum was present. Administrative Law Judge Mary M. Collier presided.

Erica Nicole Wilkins	L.P.N. Lic. No. 322153 10/31/2015	Formont State's Attorney	Ms. Wilkins was not present and not represented by counsel. Ms. Formont and Judge Collier discussed phone calls between the judge's office and Ms. Formont's office with Ms. Wilkins and proof of service. Ms. Formont made a
			motion to continue in default. Judge Collier found that sufficient notice is not present to proceed in default.
			Mr. Thompson made a motion to continue the case until next board meeting. Ms. Cecil seconded. Mr. Earwood opposed, motion carried. Judge Collier set the case for the August 5,

			2015 docket.
HollyFrances Linginfelter	R.N. Lic. No. 182084 10/31/2015	Waters State's Attorney	Ms. Linginfelter was not present and not represented by counsel. Mr. Waters requested to proceed in default. Following proof of service, Judge Collier read the technical record into the file and ruled that the service of notice was sufficient to proceed.
			Ms. Cecil made a motion to proceed in default. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried. Mr. Waters distributed notices and charges to the board members.
			Following proof, Ms. Cecil made a motion to accept the findings of fact 1 through 10 as true as written. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
			Mr. Earwood made a motion to accept the conclusions of law, seconded by Ms. Cecil and motion carried.
			Mr. Earwood made a motion to revoke RN license and one civil penalty of \$1,000.00 and costs not to exceed \$5,000.00. Mr. Thompson seconded the motion and motion carried.
			Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken and motion carried.
Josette Grinstead	L.P.N. Lic. No. 79322 08/31/2015	Formont	Ms. Grinstead was not present and not represented by counsel. Technical record read into the file by Judge Collier. Ms. Formont requested to proceed in default. Following proof of service, Judge Collier ruled that the service of notice was sufficient to proceed. Ms. Cecil moved to proceed in default. Mr. Earwood seconded and motion carried.

			<ul> <li>Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Mr. Thompson moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 5 as true and accurate. Ms. Cecil seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Thompson made a motion to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a) (1) (C) (D) (F) and rule 1000-0213(1) (f) (g). Mr. Earwood amended the motion to include additional paragraphs then Ms. Cecil seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Cecil made a motion to revoke Ms. Grinstead's LPN license, assessed one (1) civil penalty of \$500.00 and assessed costs not to exceed \$5,000.00. Mr. Earwood seconded the motion and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken</li> </ul>
Tiffany M. Hall	R.N. Lic.No. 164092 07/31/2016	Formont, State's Attorney	<ul> <li>and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Hall was not present and not represented by counsel. Ms. Formont requested to proceed in default. Following proof of service, Judge Collier ruled that the service of notice was sufficient to proceed. Mr. Thompson moved to proceed in default. Ms. Cecil seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Following presentation of state's proof, Ms. Cecil moved to accept findings of fact in the proposed order numbers 1 through 9 as true. Mr. Earwood seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Earwood moved to accept the conclusions of law as written. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.</li> </ul>

			<ul> <li>Mr. Earwood moved to revoke the RN license and assess a civil penalty of \$1,000.00 and costs not to exceed \$5,000.00. Ms. Cecil seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken and motion carried.</li> </ul>
Kristy L. McGill	R.N. Lic. No. 141468	Cole State's Attorney	<ul> <li>Ms. McGill was not present and not represented by counsel. Mr. Cole requested to proceed in default. Following proof of service, Judge Collier ruled that the service of notice was sufficient to proceed. Mr. Earwood moved to proceed in default. Ms. Stearnes seconded and motion carried. Judge Collier reviewed the technical record.</li> <li>Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Cecil moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 8 as true and accurate. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.</li> </ul>
			<ul> <li>Mr. Earwood made a motion to accept the conclusions of law, seconded by Ms. Cecil and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Akins made a motion to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a) (d) and rule 1000-0204(6). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Stearnes made a motion to revoke Ms. McGill's RN license 141468, assessed one (1) Type A Civil Penalty of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and assessed costs not to exceed \$3,000.00.</li> </ul>

Ms. Harkey seconded the motion and motion carried.
Ms. Turnipseed read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken and motion carried.

Panel 2 – Juanita Turnipseed, Chair; Leanne Stearnes, Kathleen Harkey

A quorum was present. Judge D. Kim Summers presided over contested case hearings.

Danielle L. Gopp	L. P.N. Lic.	Cole,	Ms. Gopp was not present and not
1086 Nosegay Road	No. 68917	State's	represented by counsel. Mr. Cole
White Bluff, Tennessee		Attorney	requested to proceed in default. Judge
37187-4406	Expiration		Summers ruled that the service of notice
and	10/31/2014		was sufficient to proceed. Ms. Stearnes
1037 Red Binkley Road			moved to proceed in default. Ms. Harkey
Joelton, Tennessee 37080			seconded and motion carried. Judge
and			Summers reviewed the technical record.
1379 N Highway 12			
Ashland City, Tennessee			Following presentation of testimony and
37015			state's proof, Ms. Stearnes moved to
			accept the findings of fact as listed in the
			proposed final order 1, 2 and 5 as true and
			accurate. Ms. Harkey seconded and
			motion carried.
			Ms. Stearnes made a motion to find that
			respondent's acts and conduct violated
			TCA§63-7-115(a) (1) (C) (F) and rule
			1000-0213(1) (a) (d) (e) (f) (g) (v). Ms.
			Harkey seconded and motion carried.
			france seconded and motion carried.
			Ms. Stearnes made a motion to revoke Ms.
			Gopp's LPN license 68917, assessed one
			(1) Type A Civil Penalty of one thousand
			dollars (\$1,000.00) and assessed costs not
			to exceed \$3,000.00. Ms. Harkey
			seconded the motion and motion carried.
			Ms. Turnipseed read the policy statement
			of the board to protect the health, safety

Martha Renne Kirby Norris 466 Williford Lane Gainesboro, Tennessee 38562	L.P.N. Lic. No. 62658 Expiration 09/30/2014	Cole, State's Attorney	<ul> <li>and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee.</li> <li>The Board finds the appropriate action taken and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Norris was not present and not represented by counsel. Following presentation of proof of service, Judge Summers determined insufficient proof of service.</li> <li>Mr. Cole asked for a motion of continuance until August 5, 2015 hearing.</li> </ul>
Nicole Denise Sutton 327 South College Street Martin, Tennessee 38237 Atty Rusty Larson	R.N. Lic. No. 144490 Expiration 03/31/2014	Cole, State's Attorney	Ms. Sutton was present and represented by counsel. Judge Summers reviewed the technical record. Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 6 as true and accurate. Ms. Harkey and motion carried. Ms. Stearnes made a motion in conclusion of law that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a)(1)(B)(C)(F) and rule 1000-0113(d)(h)(w). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried. Ms. Harkey made motion to delay deliberation to hear further proof regarding discipline. Ms. Stearnes seconded and motion carried. Following more presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes made a motion to revoke RN license 144490 for the term of criminal probation, Type A Civil penalties totaling sixteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$16,500.00) and assessment of costs not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.

			of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; and motion carried.
Taylor C. Layne 318 Cathy Cv. Ripley, Tennessee 38063 and 3763 Mount Carmel Road Covington, Tennessee 38019	L.P.N. Lic. No. 80143 Expiration 7/31/2016	Lanford, State's Attorney	<ul> <li>Ms. Layne was not present and not represented by counsel. Following presentation of proof of service, Judge Summers determined sufficient proof of service. Ms. Stearnes moved to proceed in default. Ms. Harkey seconded the motion; motion carried.</li> <li>Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 3 as true and accurate. Ms. Harkey seconded and</li> </ul>
			motion carried. Ms. Stearnes made a motion in conclusion of law that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a) (1) (F) (B) and rule 1000-0213 (1) (v). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.
			Ms. Stearnes made a motion to revoke LPN license 80143 and assess Type A Civil penalties for a total of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) and assessment of costs not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.
			Ms. Turnipseed read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; and motion carried.
Megan E. Korn 328 E. State Road Cleves, Ohio 45002 and 3399 Harmony Lane Cincinnati, Ohio 45248 and	R.N. Lic. No. 196030 05/31/2015	Gibbs, State's Attorney	Ms. Korn was not present and not represented by counsel. Following presentation of proof of service, Judge Summers determined sufficient proof of service. Ms. Stearnes moved to proceed in default. Ms. Harkey seconded the motion; motion carried. Judge Summers reviewed

7439 Highway 70 South	the technical record.
#257	
Nashville, Tennessee 37221	Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 3 as true and accurate. Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.
	Ms. Stearnes made a motion in conclusion of law that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a) (1) (F) and rule 1000-0113 (1) (h) (w). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.
	Ms. Stearnes made a motion to suspend Ms. Korn's RN and void multistate privilege. May obtain a TnPAP evaluation and upon receipt from TnPAP that respondent has received a recommendation of return to practice and proof of signing a monitoring agreement, the suspension shall be stayed and the license immediately placed on probation for three years to run concurrent of no less than three (3) years. Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee to obtain a recommendation for reinstatement, demonstrate ability to engage in safe practice and two years of documented sobriety. Assess one (1) Type A Civil Penalties in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and assess costs not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.
	Ms. Turnipseed read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; and motion carried

Panel 3 – Lisa Heaton, Chair; Martha Buckner, Mark Young

A quorum was present.	Judge Rachel Waterhouse presided over contested case hearings	

Sheila Cantrell	L.P.N. Lic.	Gibbs,	Ms. Cantrell was present and represented
100 Coldwater Drive	No. 40615	State's	by counsel. Judge Waterhouse read the
Hendersonville,	1.00 10010		technical record into the record.
Tennessee 37075	09/30/2016	Attorney	
and	00/00/2010		Following presentation of testimony and
1080 W. Main Street			state's proof, Attorney requested this case
#622			be dismissed. Judge Waterhouse directed
Hendersonville,			the board on the applicable regulations.
Tennessee 37075			After discussion of the Board, Ms. Heaton
Atty. Rob McKinney			moved that the case not be dismissed. Dr.
Atty. Rob MCKinney			Buckner seconded; motion carried.
			Following further testimony, Dr. Buckner moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1, 2 and as true and accurate. Dr. Buckner made a motion to amend #3 "Respondent was in possession of a white powdery substance believed to be cocaine" and # 6 striking 'supra' and deleting the last sentence and strike #4 and Mr. Young made a motion to amend #5 "On or about May 25, 2014, Respondent engaged in a physical altercation with another caregiver". Mr. Young seconded the motion with amendments stated and motion carried. Dr. Buckner made a motion in conclusion of law that respondent's acts and conduct
			violated TCA§63-7-115(a)(1) (F). Mr.
			Young seconded and motion carried.
			Dr. Buckner made a motion to suspend Ms. Cantrell's LPN and void multistate
			privilege. May obtain a TnPAP
			evaluation and upon receipt from TnPAP
			that respondent has received a
			recommendation of return to practice and
			proof of signing a monitoring agreement,
			the suspension shall be stayed and the
			license immediately placed on probation
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			for three years to run concurrent of no less than three (3) years. Respondent must

			<ul> <li>appear before Application Review</li> <li>Committee to obtain a recommendation</li> <li>for reinstatement, demonstrate ability to</li> <li>engage in safe practice and two years of</li> <li>documented sobriety. Assess costs not to</li> <li>exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).</li> <li>Mr. Young seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Heaton read the policy statement of</li> <li>the board to protect the health, safety and</li> <li>welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The</li> <li>Board finds the appropriate action taken;</li> <li>and motion carried.</li> </ul>
Tracy L. Chinopulos 2300 McVay Cove Germantown, Tennessee 38138 Atty William Monroe	R.N. Lic. No. 148054 Expiration 08/31/2015	Mullins, State's Attorney	Ms. Chinopulos was not present and not represented by counsel. Note by email statement that Attorney Monroe was no longer representing Ms. Chinopulos. Ms. Mullins made a motion to continue in default. Following proof of service, Judge Waterhouse determined sufficient proof of service and allowed case to proceed in default. Mark Young made a motion to proceed in default. seconded and motion carried. Dr. Buckner Following presentation of proof, Mr. Young moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 4 as true and accurate. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried. Ms. Stearnes made a motion to accept the conclusions of law paragraphs 5 and 6 to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a)(1)(C)(D)(F) and rule 1000-0113(1)(d)(e)(w) of proposed order. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried. Mr. Young made a motion to revoke the license and assess civil penalties for a total of \$3000.00 and costs not to exceed \$200.00. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.

			Ms. Heaton read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; Motion to accept policy statement as read by Mr. Young, seconded by Dr. Buckner, motion carried.
Thomas P. Frontera	R.N.	Tippens,	Mr. Frontera was not present and not
P.O. Box 155	License	State's	represented by counsel. Ms. Tippens
5805 Washer Road Lyles, Tennessee 37098	No. 112405	Attorney	moved that the case proceed in default. Following proof of service, Judge Waterhouse ruled sufficient notice is proven and the case may proceed in default if the Board chooses. Mr. Young moved to proceed in default. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.
			Following the state's proof, Mr. Young moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1
			listed in the proposed final order 1 through 6 as true and accurate with an
			amendment to number 4 to strike vials and change to narcotics including Dilaudid, Hydrocodone, Oxycodone and Morphine. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.
			Mr. Young made a motion to accept the conclusions of law paragraph 1 to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a)(1)(C)(F) and rule 1000-0213(1)(b)(d)(e)(w) of proposed order. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.
			Mr. Young made a motion to revoke the license and assess civil penalties totaling \$6,000 and costs not to exceed \$4000.00.
Debra Evans	R.N. Lic.	Tippens,	Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried. Ms. Evans was not present and not
114 Pinecrest Street	No.	State's	represented by counsel. Following
Church Hill, Tennessee	194831	Attorney	presentation of proof of service, Judge
37642			Waterhouse agreed proof of service was
	Expiration		sufficient to proceed. Mr. Young moved
L	01/31/2016		to proceed in default. Dr. Buckner

seconded the motion; motion carried.
Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Mr. Young moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 10 as true and accurate. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.
Mr. Young made a motion to accept the conclusions of law paragraphs 11 and 12 to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA63-7-115(a)(1)(C)(F) and rule 1000-0213(1)(d)(e)(f)(w) of proposed order. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.
Mr. Young made a motion to revoke the RN license of Ms. Evans and assess (1) type A Civil Penalty in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) and costs not to exceed \$5,000.00. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.
Ms. Heaton read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; motion carried.

## Agreed/Consent Orders

### Johanna Barde

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Susan Lyndley House	R.N. Lic. No. 173794	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
		consent order of stayed suspension
	01/31/2016	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is

Mary C. Lipscomb	A.P.N. Cert. No. 17817 R.N. Lic. No. 139633	<ul> <li>ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of civil penalties totaling \$1950.00. Mr. Thompson</li> </ul>
	09/30/2016 09/30/2016	seconded and motion carried.
Joanna C. Metzroth	L.P.N. Lic. No. 75097 09/30/2015	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of reprimand with 10 hours of CEs on proper medications administration within 6 months. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
Tammy Mills	L.P.N. Lic. No. 72376 05/31/2016	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of suspension until 20 hours of CEs on ethics and/or medication administration, followed by two years of probation including paying civil penalties totaling \$3000. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
Laurie R. Skiles	L.P.N. Lic. No. 80373 01/31/2017	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
Kasey S. Stephenson	R.N. Lic. No. 188387	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of voluntary

	04/30/2015	surrender. Mr. Thompson seconded
		and motion carried.
Angela G. Tallent	L.P.N. Lic. No. 49619 12/31/2014	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
Theresa Gay Williams	R.N. Lic. No. 106656 06/30/2016	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.

Mark	Cole	
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Trista Culp	L.P.N. Lic. No. 78997	Ms. Cecil moved to accept the
		consent order of stayed suspension
	05/31/2016	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program

Kevin L. Gilbert	R.N. Lic. No. 123090	with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Seconded by Mr. Thompson ; motion carried. Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
	04/30/2016	consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried
Robbi Gereau-Pickler	R.N. Lic. No. 157002 09/30/2016	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of voluntary surrender. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried
Mary L. Griffis-Parrish	A.P.N. Cert. No. 6744 11/30/2014 R.N. Lic. No. 93892 11/30/2014	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of reprimand and 20 CEs regarding prescribing psychiatric medications. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
Sandra V. Nagle	R.N. Lic. No. 139387 05/31/2015	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program

		with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
Thomas Whiteaker	R.N. Lic. No. 170582 09/30/2015	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion
Rachel Leann Young	L.P.N. Lic. No. 78143 09/13/2015	carried. Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must

		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Mr.
		Thompson seconded and motion
		carried.
Mollie Gass		
Sherry Barnett	A.P.N. Cert. No. 14096	Ms. Harkey moved to accept the
	11/30/2015	consent order of stayed suspension
	R.N. Lic. No. 114945	until monitoring through Tennessee
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	11/30/2015	Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 5 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 5 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Must
		complete within 1 year Case
		Western CEs on documentation and
		controlled substance prescribing.
		May not practice in a pain
		management clinic. May not
		practice in a solo practitioner
		setting. Seconded by Ms.
		Turnipseed; motion carried.
Geoffrey D. Peterson	A.P.N. Cert. No. 6940	Ms. Gass withdrew agreed order.
	R.N. Lic. No. 98773	
	10/31/2015	
	10/31/2015	
Deborah E. Lampley	A.P.N. Cert. No. 13105	Ms. Cecil made a motion to accept
I J		the consent order of reprimand and
	R.N. Lic. No. 61212	continuing medical education
		courses and four civil penalties
		totaling \$3,000 and costs not to
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		exceed \$1,000 and to work in pain
		management clinic in the future.
		Mr. Earwood seconded and motion
		carried.

## Matt Gibbs

Christiana Allen	L.P.N. Lic. No. 67153	Ms. Harkey moved to accept the
		consent order of stayed suspension
	09/30/2015	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Seconded by
		Ms. Stearnes; motion carried.
Sonya D. Cashen	R.N. Lic. No. 115832	Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the
		consent of voluntary surrender and
	04/30/2016	costs not to exceed \$300.00. Ms.
		Harkey seconded; Motion carried.
Deborah Hermann	R.N. Lic. No. 197384	Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the
		consent of stayed suspension until
	01/31/2016	monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Seconded by
Line M. Lenner	A D.N. Com N. 15602	Ms. Harkey; Motion carried.
Lisa M. Jones	A.P.N. Cert. No. 15692	Ms. Turnipseed moved to accept
	05/21/2015	the consent order of probation for 2
	05/31/2015	years and 30 hours of CEs with 10
		each in documentation, physical

	R.N. Lic. No. 104153	examinations including diagnosis
	K.N. LIC. NO. 104155	and treatment and therapeutic
	05/31/2015	1
	05/51/2015	interventions. Seconded by Ms. Stearnes. Motion carried.
	D.N.L.: N. 07766	
Audra Leggett	R.N. Lic. No. 97766	Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the
		consent order of stayed suspension
	12/31/2016	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Seconded by
		Ms. Harkey. Motion carried.
Robbie Oglesby	R.N. Lic. No. 31993	Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the
Robble Oglesby	K.N. ER. NO. 51995	consent order of stayed suspension
	08/31/2016	• •
	08/31/2010	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Seconded by
		Ms. Harkey. Motion carried.
Paula J. Silver	R.N. Lic. No. 187720	Ms. Turnipseed moved to accept
		the consent order of stayed
	02/29/2016	suspension until monitoring through
		Tennessee Professional Assistance
		Program with probation to run
		concurrent with TnPAP monitoring
		agreement of no less than 3 years. If
l		agreement of no less than 5 years. If

		no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Seconded by Ms. Harkey. Motion carried.	
Shannon L. Taylor	R.N. Lic. No. 159425	Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the	
Shamon D. Taylor	08/31/2015	consent order of voluntary surrender. Seconded by Ms. Harkey. Motion carried	

## Hannah Lanford

Jessica N. Arndt	D.N.L. N. 196702	Mr. Example damaged to accord the
Jessica N. Arnat	R.N. Lic. No. 186793	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
	05/21/2016	consent order of stayed suspension
	05/31/2016	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Seconded by
		Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Penny Blum	R.N. Lic. No. 127197	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
		agreed order of stayed suspension
	05/31/2015	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate

		PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Seconded by Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Natalie R. Houston	R.N. Lic. No. 147065 07/31/2015	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Seconded by Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Beth S. Lingerfelt	A.P.N. Cert. No. 15664 04/30/2014 R.N. Lic. No. 133369 04/30/2016	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension until monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 2 years. If no monitoring agreement is needed based on the TnPAP evaluation, the license shall be placed on probation for no less than 2 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re-instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Seconded by Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Aubrey A. Potter	L.P.N. Lic. No. 65477 04/30/2016	Mr. Earwood made a motion to accept the consent order of reprimand. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.
Carla Marie Tipton	A.P.N. Cert. No. 19042	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the

04/30/2017	consent order of reprimand and
R.N. Lic. No. 101123 04/30/2015	civil penalty totaling \$500.00. Mr. Thompson seconded; motion carried.

# Grant Mullins

Kimberly L. Berry	R.N. Lic. No. 192619	Mr. Mullins presented a revised
		consent order that increased the
	01/31/2017	civil penalty amount from \$300.00
		to \$500.00 at the suggestion of the
		panel meeting in Poplar room on
		5/13/2015. Dr. Buckner moved to
		accept the consent order of
		Reprimand and civil penalty
		totaling \$500.00. Seconded by, Mr.
		Young. Motion carried
Rodnece Cameron	L.P.N. Lic. No. 59241	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
		consent order of stayed suspension
	03/31/2016	until monitoring through Tennessee
		Professional Assistance Program
		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Seconded by,
		Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Jill N. Hammons	R.N. Lic. No. 184583	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
		consent order of voluntary
	05/31/2015	surrender. Seconded by Mr.
		Thompson. Motion carried.
Kimberly T. McGee	R.N. Lic. No. 93692	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
		consent order of stayed suspension

	07/31/2016	until monitoring through Tennessee
	07/51/2010	Professional Assistance Program
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		with probation to run concurrent
		with TnPAP monitoring agreement
		of no less than 3 years. If no
		monitoring agreement is needed
		based on the TnPAP evaluation, the
		license shall be placed on probation
		for no less than 3 years. Multistate
		PTP voided. If re-instatement is
		ever requested, Respondent must
		appear before Application Review
		Committee and submit 2 years of
		documented sobriety. Seconded by,
		Mr. Thompson. Motion carried
Jynell Y. Nixon	R.N. Lic. No. 153672	Mr. Young moved to accept the
		agreed order of stayed suspension
	12/31/2014	TnPAP and costs not to exceed
		\$200.00. Dr. Buckner seconded and
		motion carried.
Courtney S. Smith	A.P.N. Lic. No. 146452	Dr. Buckner moved to accept the
	R.N. Lic. No. 18459	agreed order of stayed suspension
		TnPAP and costs not to exceed
	2/29/2016	\$300.00. Mr. Young seconded and
	2/29/2016	motion carried.
Christy Leigh Spence	R.N. Lic. No. 77536 (AR)	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
		consent order of voluntary
	01/31/2016	surrender of privilege to practice.
		Mr. Thompson seconded; motion
		carried.
		curren.

# Caroline Tippens

Karen L. Rule	R.N. Lic. No. 128362	Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the	
		agreed order of probation for two	
	02/28/2015	(2) years with multistate privilege	
		to practice voided during the period	
		of probation, complete 40 hours of	
		CE on specific topics, civil	
		penalties totaling one thousand	

		dollars (\$1,000.00) and costs assessed not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00). Ms. Harkey seconded; motion carried.
Demequa L. Bonds	L.P.N. Lic. No. 71866	Mr. Earwood moved and seconded
	01/312015	by Mr. Thompson to accept the consent order voluntary surrender. Motion carried.
Francie Joe Burks	R.N. Lic. No. 98555	Mr. Earwood moved and seconded
	02/29/2016	by Mr. Thompson to accept the consent order of probation for 2 years and 40 CEs on patient safety, patient rights, nursing ethics and record-keeping. Motion carried.
Mitchell L. Bursey	L.P.N. Lic. No. 67389	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
	12/31/2015	consent order of reprimanded and 30 CEs on record-keeping, documentation and patient safety;
		seconded by Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Gina D. Golden	RN. Lic No. 171543	Mr. Earwood moved to accept the
	02/29/2016	consent order of probation for 2 years and 40 CEs on professional boundaries and nursing ethics. Seconded by Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Grace Ann Kennedy	R.N. Lic. No. 881317	Mr. Earwood moved to accept a
	(MS)	consent order of revocation of
	12/31/2016	privilege to practice. Seconded by Mr. Thompson. Motion carried.
Connie Ann Mitchell-Joe	R.N. Lic. No. 131882	Mr. Earwood moved and seconded
	04/30/2015	by Mr. Thompson to accept a consent order of voluntary surrender. Motion carried.
Amanda Newcomb	R.N. Lic. No. 878418	Mr. Earwood moved and seconded
	(MS)	by Mr. Thompson to accept a
	12/31/2016	consent order of voluntary surrender of privilege to practice. Motion carried.

Cindy R. Robinson	L.P.N. Lic. No. 71878	Mr. Earwood moved and seconded	
	03/31/2015	by Mr. Thompson to accept the consent order of voluntary surrender and placement on the abuse registry. Motion carried.	
Ann R. Shepard	R.N. Lic. No. 48791	Order withdrawn.	
	06/30/2016		

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Jeffrey Wade Argo	R.N. Lic. No. 142490	Mr. Earwood moved and seconded	
		by Mr. Thompson to accept the	
	12/31/2015	consent order of voluntary	
		surrender. Motion carried.	
Sean F. McCracken	R.N. Lic. No. 119892	Mr. Earwood moved and seconded	
		by Mr. Thompson to accept the	
	04/30/2016	agreed order of voluntary surrender.	
		Motion carried.	

Recess – Panel 1- 4:45 p.m. Panel 2- 4:10 p.m. Panel 3- 5:15 p.m.

Reconvene - 8:34 a.m. Thursday, May 14, 2015

Call to Order–Ms. Powell called role

Present: Brent Earwood, APN; Arthur Thompson, LPN; Lee Anne Stearnes, APN; Juanita Turnipseed, APN; Martha Buckner, RN; Janell Rae Cecil, RN; Mark Young, APN; Lisa Heaton, RN; Leslie Nelson Akins, APN (arrived 8:48)

Absent: Marietha Silvers, RN; Kathleen Harkey, Consumer Member

A quorum was present.

Welcome and Introduction of Guests

Mr. Earwood welcomed the Board members and guests in the audience. Staff introduced by Ms. Lund. Attorneys introduced by Mr. Waters. Dr. Buckner moved and seconded by Mr. Young to adopt the consent order agenda items and reports. The motion carried. Consent Agenda:

- School Announcements
- School Survey Visit(s)
- Update on Nurse Practitioner position with Excessive Prescribing Team and Public Health Nurse Consultant 2 positions
- Report from Meetings
- Executive Director's annual report
- Financial Report

## Reports:

- Executive Director's Report Ms. Lund
- Strategic Plan Current Activities –Ms. Lund
- OGC report Mr. Waters
- TnPAP Report Mr. Harkreader, TnPAP Director:
- Investigations Report—Ms. Talley

## School Hearings-Ms. Sherfy, PHNC2

- Saint Joseph's College of Maine Standish, Maine. Request approval for letter of intent and initial approval for online nursing programs. Presenting information: Dr. Lynette Hamlin. Following discussion of the programs with questions from the Board, Ms. Turnipseed made a motion to approve the letter of intent and grant initial approval to Saint Joseph's College of Maine for online nursing programs to include: RN to BSN, BSN to MSN fast-track option, MSN tracks: Administration, Education and FNP. Ms. Stearnes seconded. Motion carried. Board expressed concerns relating to number of full time faculty for the number of students enrolled.
- 2. University of Arkansas Eleanor Mann School of Nursing Fayetteville, AR. Request approval for letter of intent and initial approval for online nursing programs. Presenting information: Dr. Pegge Bell, Director. Following discussion of the programs with questions from the Board, Mr. Young made a motion to approve the letter of intent and grant initial approval to University of Arkansas-Eleanor Mann School of Nursing for online nursing programs to include: RN to BSN, MSN- Nurse Educator, Adult-Gerontology Acute Care NP, Adult-Gerontology CNS, Family NP and DNP. Ms. Turnipseed seconded and motion carried.
- 3. Arkansas State University State University, AR. Request approval for letter of intent and initial approval for online DNP nursing program. Presenting information: Dr. Angela Schmidt, Associate Dean. Following discussion of the program with questions

from the Board, Dr. Buckner made a motion to approve the letter of intent and grant initial approval to Arkansas State University for an online DNP nursing program for APRNs with a Master's Degree. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.

4. University of Alabama (UAB) – Birmingham, AL. Dr. Buckner recused. Request approval for letter of intent and initial approval for online nursing programs. Presenting information: Dr. Linda Moneyham, Associate Dean. Following discussion of the programs with questions from the Board, Ms. Stearnes made a motion to approve the letter of intent and grant initial approval to University of Alabama (UAB) for online MSN and DNP programs to include: 15 MSN tracks- Nurse Practitioner: FNP, Adult-Gero, Adult-Gero-WH subspecialty, Adult-Gero -Occupational Health, Adult-Gero-Oncology, Psych Mental Health, PNP, PNP dual Acute Care, NNP, Adult-Gero Acute Care, Adult-Gero – RNFA subspecialty, Clinical Nurse Leader]Nurse Educator, Nursing Health Systems Administrator, Nursing Informatics and DNP Program for an APRN with a Master's degree. Ms. Cecil seconded and motion carried.

Review of nursing programs out of compliance for two or more consecutive years with the rules relative to passing standard on National Council of State Boards of Nursing Licensure Examination (NCLEX). T.C.A. 63-7-119 and Tennessee Board of Nursing Rules and Regulations of Registered Nurses 1000-01-.05 and Rules and Regulations of Licensed Practical Nurses 1000-02-.05.

- 1. **TN College of Applied Technology**-Hartsville, TN. Practical Nursing Program -Reviewed program progress report and considered placing conditional approval based on NCLEX pass rates of first time writers.
  - 2014 NCLEX-PN® pass rate 78% (63 first time writers with 49 passing).

• 2013 NCLEX-PN® pass rate 80% (70 first time writers with 56 passing). Letter of concern issued with follow-up progress report requested.

Ms. Ann Thurman, PN Coordinator, presented an improvement plan with timeline. Following Ms. Thurman's presentation and discussion, Mr. Earwood moved to grant conditional approval for one year based on Administrative Rule 1000-02-.05 (3) (c) and (4) with NCLEX pass rate of less than 85% for two consecutive years. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.

- 2. Cleveland State Community College-Cleveland, TN- Associate Nursing Degree Program. Reviewed program progress report and considered placing conditional approval based on NCLEX pass rates of first time writers.
  - 2014 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 70% (104 first time writers with 73 passing).

• 2013 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 81% (67 first time writers with 54 passing). Letter of concern issued with follow-up progress report requested.

Ms. Nancy LaBine, Dean, presented an improvement plan with timeline. Following Ms. LaBine's presentation and discussion, Mr. Young moved to grant conditional approval for one year based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (4) (c) and (5) with NCLEX pass rate of less than 85% for two consecutive years. Ms. Stearnes seconded and motion carried.

- 3. **Roane State Community College-**Harriman, TN- Associate Nursing Degree Program. Reviewed program progress report and considered placing conditional approval based on NCLEX pass rates of first time writers.
  - 2014 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 84% (82 first time writers with 69 passing).
  - 2013 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 84% (94 first time writers with 79 passing). Letter of concern issued with follow-up progress report requested.

Dr. Patricia Jenkins, Dean, presented an improvement plan with timeline. Following Dr. Jenkins's presentation and discussion, Ms. Cecil moved to grant conditional approval for one year based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (4) (c) and (5) with NCLEX pass rate of less than 85% for two consecutive years. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.

- 4. **Tennessee State University-**Nashville, TN- Associate Nursing Degree Program. Reviewed program progress report and considered placing conditional approval based on NCLEX pass rates of first time writers.
  - 2014 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 78% (87 first time writers with 68 passing).

• 2013 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 60% (107 first time writers with 64 passing). Letter of concern issued with follow-up progress report requested.

Dr. Glover addressed the Board and Dr. Kathy Martin, Associate Dean, presented an improvement plan with timeline.

Following Dr. Martin's presentation and discussion, Dr. Buckner moved to grant conditional approval for one year based on Administrative Rule 1000-01-.05 (4) (c) and (5) with NCLEX pass rate of less than 85% for two consecutive years. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried.

- 5. **Tennessee State University-**Nashville, TN- Baccalaureate Nursing Degree Program. Reviewed program progress report and considered to suspend enrollment based on NCLEX pass rates of first time writers for the past three years.
  - 2014 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 75% (32 first time writers with 24 passing).

• 2013 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 71% (35 first time writers with 25 passing). Program placed on conditional approval for one year.

• 2012 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 64% (43 first time writers with 29 passing). Letter of concern issued with follow-up progress report requested.

Dr. Glover addressed the Board and Dr. Kathy Martin, Associate Dean, presented an improvement plan with timeline. Discussed progress made in the past three years. Following Dr. Martin's presentation and discussion, Mr. Earwood moved to defer approval until the August Board meeting at which time TSU can present data regarding the current May graduates. Mr. Young seconded and motion carried.

6. **Lipscomb University-**Nashville, TN- Baccalaureate Nursing Degree Program. Reviewed program progress report and considered to suspend enrollment based on NCLEX pass rates of first time writers for the past three years. Dr. Buckner recused.

• 2014 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 78% (64 first time writers with 50 passing).

• 2013 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 69% (36 first time writers with 25 passing). Program placed on conditional approval for one year.

• 2012 NCLEX-RN® pass rate 62% (50 first time writers with 31 passing). Letter of concern issued with follow-up progress report requested.

Dr. Beth Youngblood, Executive Associate Dean, presented an improvement plan with timeline. Discussed progress made in the past three years.

Following Dr. Youngblood's presentation and discussion, Mr. Earwood moved to defer approval until the August Board meeting at which time Lipscomb University can present data regarding the current May graduates. Mr. Young seconded and motion carried.

Additional School Hearings:

- The University of Health Science Center-Memphis, TN- Request for full approval of Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Program. Ms. Akins recused. Presenting information: Dr. Tommie Norris, Associate Dean. Following Dr. Norris's presentation and discussion of the program, Dr. Buckner made a motion to grant full approval to The University of Health Science Center, Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Program. Ms. Cecil seconded, motion carried. The Board additionally commended the program for achieving 100% NCLEX pass rate for the first class of 34 graduates.
- Chattanooga College- Chattanooga, TN-Practical Nursing Program- Granted initial approval for a PN Program October 2011. The first class (Cohort I) matriculated in 2012 and graduated September 2013. 2013 NCLEX pass rate 76% (17 first time writers with 13 passing). 2014 NCLEX pass rate 82% (17 first time writers with 14 passing). Ms. Mellissa Bess, PN Director, presented a progress report. Following Ms. Bess's presentation and discussion, Mr. Earwood moved to continue conditional approval for one year. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried.
- 3. **ITT Technical Institute- Breckinridge School of Nursing** Nashville, TN. Ms. Rhonda Wallace presented a progress report of the Associate Degree Nursing Program since December 2014 when enrollment was suspended. Following Ms. Wallace's presentation and discussion, Dr. Buckner moved to continue suspension and appear before the August or November meeting with more data relating to NCLEX passing rates of graduates. Ms. Turnipseed seconded and motion carries.

Review Annual Reports and Motion to accept Recommendations for Annual Approval of Practical and Professional Nursing Programs

Ms. Sherfy presented a summary of the annual reports for both practical nursing and professional programs. Following presentation and discussion of schools, Dr. Buckner made a motion to approve the Practical Nursing Programs as listed. Mr. Young seconded and motion carried. Mr. Young made a motion to approve the Associate Degree Nursing Programs as listed. Mr. Thompson seconded and motion carried. Ms. Turnipseed made a motion to approve the Baccalaureate Degree Nursing Programs as listed. Ms. Stearnes seconded and motion carried. Dr. Buckner made a motion to approve the Graduate Degree Nursing Programs as listed. Ms. Turnipseed seconded and motion carried.

<u>Consider Vote to Approve Application Review Committee Recommendations</u> – Mr. Waters, Ms. Turnipseed, Ms. Phillips, PHNC2

Applicant	Issue/Background	Recommendation by ARC	Decision of the Board
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Brittany L. Briggs 8072 Waterford Circle, APT. 207 Memphis, TN 38125 RN Reinstatement applicant APN Reinstatement applicant	Both licenses voluntarily surrendered 2/12/2014 due to writing false narcotic prescriptions. Ms. Briggs has had advocacy of TnPAP since 5/1/2014.	Conditional RN license. APN application withdrawn.	Ms. Briggs counsel, Alex Fisher, was present. Dr. Buckner moved to accept the consent order of stayed suspension with continued monitoring through Tennessee Professional Assistance Program with probation to run concurrent with TnPAP monitoring agreement of no less than 3 years. Multistate PTP voided. If re- instatement is ever requested, Respondent must appear before Application Review Committee and submit 2 years of documented sobriety. Seconded by, Mr. Young. Motion carried.
Deborah Lange	On current criminal probation until	Deny LPN	Ms. Lange was
34 Cane Creek Jackson, TN	2019.	reinstatement application due	present. Dr. Buckner made a
38301	1 <sup>st</sup> licensed 5/29/1990 3/31/2004 license revoked due to guilty	to guilt of crime.	motion to accept the ARC

LPN	of crime	This	recommendation
Reinstatement	6/1/2004 petition for review in	recommendation	and deny the LPN
applicant	chancery court	is pursuant to	reinstatement
	3/2/2006 license placed on probation	Tennessee Code	application due to
	for not less than 3 years due to agreed	Annotated 63-7-	guilt of crime. Mr.
	order entered 3/31/2004 including	115 (a)(1)(B).	Earwood seconded
	TnPAP.		and motion carried.
	6/7/2006 petition for review voluntarily		This decision is
	dismissed		pursuant to
	12/27/2006 license revoked, assessed		Tennessee Code
	1000 civil penalty + cost due to		Annotated 63-7-
	violation of board order, unprofessional		115 (a)(1)(B).
	conduct. The civil penalty and costs of		
	case were paid 2/5/2015.		
	3/23/2011 initiate manufacture of		
	methamphetamine, Class B felony.		
	Eight years probation at 30% after 6		
	months in jail, completion of long-term		
	rehab(completed Serenity Recovery		
	Center 6/2/2011 and entered Jacoa		
	Tinkerhill from 6/2/2011 to		
	12/12/2011. Graduated Mayor's Second		
	Chance program 6/19/2012.		
	TnPAP monitoring agreement since		
	4/12/2012 for 60 months; one abnormal		
	screen 11/14/2014. TnPAP does		
	advocate for Ms. Lange.		
Barry Handy	Discipline in MS	Deny RN	Mr. Young made a
1180 Natchez	Mississippi revoked his privilege to	reinstatement	motion to accept
Point	practice 6/8/2011, final as of	application due	the ARC
Apt #28	10/11/2012.	to unprofessional	recommendation
Memphis, TN		conduct;	and deny the
38103	Licensed in Missouri 4/1/1977 to	Mississippi	reinstatement
	4/30/1989, TN 2/7/1978 to 11/30/2004,	discipline.	application due to
RN	and Arkansas 2/22/1982 to 11/30/2014.		unprofessional
reinstatement		This	conduct;
applicant	While working on the Arkansas license	recommendation	Mississippi

	privilege in Mississippi, Mr. Handy failed to complete a separate vital signs chart on a newborn baby who was delivered in an automobile in the emergency room parking lot. By agreed order on 6/10/2011, Mr. Handy agreed to successfully complete a Board – approved workshop on documentation within 90 days of the order or face further discipline. The Mississippi BON revoked the privilege due to failure to abide by the above agreed order on 10/11/2012.	is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated 63-7- 115 (a)(1)(F).	discipline. Mr. Earwood seconded and motion carried. This decision is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated 63-7- 115 (a)(1)(F).
Shalayia Dunton 1170 Charter Club Dr. Lawrenceville, GA 30043 LPN endorsement applicant	Concern of untreated addiction 3-16-2013 guilty reckless driving 3-14-2014 charge DUI pending Licensed 7/21/2009 in Texas by exam Also licensed in Georgia	Deny LPN endorsement application due to guilt of crime. This recommendation is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated 63-7- 115 (a)(1)(B).	Ms. Dunton was present and asked for deferment of her application in order to obtain an evaluation by an addiction specialist through TnPAP or Georgia's board program to determine if monitoring is recommended. Ms. Dunton would contact the board office when requesting to appear before ARC with the evaluation. Mr. Young made a motion to grant the request to defer the application. Ms. Stearnes seconded and motion carried.

Deana Benefield 2417 Acton Park Circle Birmingham, AL 35243 RN endorsement from Alabama	2/27/2012 Alabama board order probation or 5 years for forging prescriptions for Adderall for herself using her physician employer's prescribing information. Diagnosis: Amphetamine Dependence; history of ADD	Deny the RN licensure by endorsement application based on unprofessional conduct; Alabama discipline. This recommendation is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated 63-7- 115 (a)(1)(F) and Rule 1000-01- .13(1)(j).	Mr. Earwood made a motion to accept the ARC recommendation and deny the RN licensure by endorsement application based on unprofessional conduct; Alabama discipline. Ms. Stearnes seconded and motion carried. This decision is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated 63-7- 115 (a)(1)(F) and Rule 1000-01- .13(1)(j).
Sarah Lear 507 Spruce St Chattanooga, TN 37404 RN by endorsement Georgia, exam, 7/31/2008 to 1/31/2016 Virginia, endorsement, 10/12/2011 to 2/29/2016	10/23/2013, Discipline in GA, probation 2 years, due to diversion resulting in probation, treatment/aftercare program and fine. Discipline in VA, 8/6/2014, probation concurrent with GA, due to GA discipline	Deny the RN licensure by endorsement application based on unprofessional conduct; Georgia discipline. This recommendation is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated §63- 7-115(a)(1)(F) and Rule 1000-	Mr. Young made a motion to accept the ARC recommendation to deny the RN licensure by endorsement application based on unprofessional conduct; Georgia discipline. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried. This decision is pursuant to

	0113(1)(j).	TennesseeCodeAnnotated§63-7-115(a)(1)(F)andRule 1000-
5/14/2014 – Voluntary surrender of TN         APN;         Probation X 3 years of TN RN         Between 10/2012 – 7/2013 prescribed ~         21 prescriptions of controlled         substances outside where she worked         failing to maintain medical records.         7/12/2007 RN by exam         12/5/2011 APN	Deny the APN licensure by reinstatement application based on unprofessional conduct and RN license is encumbered. This recommendation is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated §63- 7-115 (a)(1)(F), Rule 1000-01- .13(1)(b)(t); Tennessee Code Annotated §63- 7-123, Rule 1000-0404 and Rule 1000-04- .03(1).	Mr. Earwood made a motion to accept the ARC recommendation and deny the APN licensure by reinstatement application based on unprofessional conduct and RN license is encumbered. This decision is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated §63-7- 115 (a)(1)(F), Rule 1000-01- .13(1)(b)(t); Tennessee Code Annotated §63-7- 123, Rule 1000-04- .04 and Rule 1000- 0403(1).
11-29-2012 TN License revoked due to forging approximately 15 prescriptions for Lortab and Hydromet cough syrup and pled guilty to felony prescription fraud, class D felony (judicial diversion ends 1/14/2017).	Deny the RN licensure by reinstatement application based on guilt of a crime.	Mr. Young made a motion to accept the ARC recommendation to Deny the RN licensure by reinstatement application based
	APN; Probation X 3 years of TN RN Between 10/2012 – 7/2013 prescribed ~ 21 prescriptions of controlled substances outside where she worked failing to maintain medical records. 7/12/2007 RN by exam 12/5/2011 APN 12/5/2011 APN 11-29-2012 TN License revoked due to forging approximately 15 prescriptions for Lortab and Hydromet cough syrup and pled guilty to felony prescription fraud, class D felony (judicial diversion	5/14/2014 – Voluntary surrender of TN APN;       Deny the APN licensure by reinstatement application based on unprofessional conduct and RN license is encumbered.         21 prescriptions of controlled substances outside where she worked failing to maintain medical records.       unprofessional conduct and RN license is encumbered.         7/12/2007 RN by exam 12/5/2011 APN       This recommendation is pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated §63- 7-115 (a)(1)(F), Rule 1000-01- .13(1)(b)(t); Tennessee Code Annotated §63- 7-123, Rule 1000-0404 and Rule 1000-04- .03(1).         11-29-2012 TN License revoked due to forging approximately 15 prescriptions for Lortab and Hydromet cough syrup and pled guilty to felony prescription fraud, class D felony (judicial diversion ends 1/14/2017).       Deny the RN licensure by reinstatement application based on guilt of a crime.

applicant	at August 2013 board meeting due to	recommendation	on guilt of a crime.
applicant			U
	lack of sobriety of two years and less	is pursuant to	Ms. Akins
	than one year from discipline.	Tennessee Code	seconded and
		Annotated 63-7-	motion carried.
		115 (a)(1)(B).	
			This decision is
			pursuant to
			Tennessee Code
			Annotated 63-7-
			115 (a)(1)(B).
Cassandra	Felony 2010 – on criminal probation	Deny the LPN	Mr. Earwood made
Southall	until 9/2019.	licensure by	a motion to accept
2100 Clifton	until 3/2019.	reinstatement	the ARC
	Note in DDC color to inside to ADC non		
Ave #3	Note in RBS asks to invite to ARC per	application based	recommendation to
Nashville, TN	OGC: On or about October 5, 2010,	on guilt of a	deny the LPN
37203	Respondent pled guilty in the Criminal	crime.	licensure by
	Court of Maury County, Tennessee, to		reinstatement
LPN	two (2) counts of Prescription Fraud,	This	application based
Reinstatement	Possession of Legend Drug, Sale of	recommendation	on guilt of a crime.
applicant	point-five (.5) grams or more of	is pursuant to	Ms. Stearnes
	Cocaine, Identity Theft, four (4) counts	Tennessee Code	seconded and
	of Forgery, two (2) counts of TennCare	Annotated 63-7-	motion carried.
	Fraud, Theft Over Five-Hundred	115 (a)(1)(B).	
	Dollars (\$500.00), and Theft Up To		This
	Five-Hundred Dollars (\$500.00).		recommendation is
			pursuant to
			Tennessee Code
			Annotated 63-7-
			115 (a)(1)(B).
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<u>Election of Officers</u> - The slate of officers for election was brought for vote by Mr. Thompson. Mr. Earwood was the nominee for Chair and Ms. Turnipseed for Vice-Chair. Motion to accept the officers as nominated by Ms. Cecil and Seconded by Dr. Buckner; motion carried.

<u>Valerie Nagoshiner, Assistant Commissioner</u>—announced the legislative session ended in April. She summarized the bills that passed and will provide a legislative summary for posting on the Board's web site.
<u>Education Guest Speaker</u> - Dr. Martha Buckner presented a summary of the NCSBN National Simulation Study.

<u>TnPAP Guest Speaker</u> – Presentation by Mr. Mike Harkreader on Sexual Boundaries in nursing.

<u>Proposed New Nurse Licensure Compact</u> – Ms. Lund presented a power point on the proposed new licensure compact with discussion that followed.

Review of legal matters - Mr. Mark Waters

Recess at 6:00 p.m.

Reconvene on Friday, May 15, 2015 at 8:32 a.m.

Call to Order-Ms. Powell called role

Present: Brent Earwood, APN; Lee Anne Stearnes, APN; Juanita Turnipseed, APN; Martha Buckner, RN; Janell Rae Cecil, RN; Kathleen Harkey, Consumer Member; Mark Young, APN; Lisa Heaton, RN; Leslie Nelson Akins, APN

Absent: Arthur Thompson, LPN; Marietha Silvers, RN

A quorum was present.

## Welcome and Introduction of Guests

Mr. Earwood welcomed the Board members and guests in the audience and proceeded to business.

There was no further discussion regarding the proposed new nurse licensure compacts presented on Thursday. Ms. Stearnes moved to adopt the new nurse licensure compacts in Tennessee. Seconded by Mr. Young; motion carried.

Mr. Waters continued on legal matters discussing legal caps on costs.

## Discuss/Approve Travel

Mr. Earwood moved to accept the travel as follows

- Discipline Case Conference—June 1-3, 2015—Indianapolis, IN
- NCSBN Executive Officers Summit—June 23-24, 2015—San Francisco, CA
- NIRSC Meetings –June 15-17, 2015 and September 28-30, 2015—Chicago, IL

- NCLEX Conference—September 21, 2015—Portland, OR
- FARB Regulatory Law Conference—October 1-4, 2015, Denver, CO
- Tri Regulator Symposium—October 6-7, 2015, Alexandria, VA
- Leadership and Public Policy Conference—October 27-29, 2015—Westlake, CA

Ms. Stearnes seconded and motion carried.

Ms. Sherfy announced that Ms. Lund will be the recipient of the 2015 NCSBN Meritorious Award to be presented at the NCSBN annual meeting in August in Chicago, IL. Board approved additional travel for staff and board members to attend.

<u>Assign Panels and Panel Chairs</u> Mr. Earwood assigned panels and panel chairs:

Panel 1 – Earwood, Chair; Cecil, Akins Panel 2 – Turnipseed, Chair; Stearnes, Harkey Panel 3 – Heaton, Chair; Buckner, Young

Panel 1 – Iris Room	Panel 2 – EMS Conference Room	Panel 3 – Dogwood Room
Brent Earwood, chair	Juanita Turnipseed, chair	Lisa Heaton, chair
Janell Cecil	Leanne Stearnes	Mark Young
Leslie Akins	Kathleen Harkey	Martha Buckner

Panel 1 adjourned to the EMS Conference Room. Panel 3 adjourned to the Dogwood Room.

<u>Disciplinary Business</u> (Panel 1, Iris Room; Panel 2, EMS Conference Room; Panel 3, Dogwood Room)

Panel 1 - Brent Earwood, chair; Janell Cecil, Leslie Akins

A quorum was present. Administrative Law Judge Mary M. Collier presided.

Kristy L. McGill	R.N.	Lic.	No.	Cole,	Ms. McGill was not present and not
298 School Street	141468			States	represented by counsel. Mr. Cole
Harriman, Tennessee				Attorney	requested to proceed in default.
37748	06/30/2	015			Following proof of service, Judge
					Collier ruled that the service of
					notice was sufficient to proceed.
					Mr. Earwood moved to proceed in
					default. Ms. Cecil seconded and
					motion carried. Judge Collier
					reviewed the technical record.

			<ul> <li>Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Cecil moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 8 as true and accurate. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Earwood made a motion to accept the conclusions of law, seconded by Ms. Cecil and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Akins made a motion to revoke Ms. McGill's RN license and be assessed one (1) Civil Penalty of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and assessed costs not to exceed \$3,000.00. Ms. Cecil seconded the motion and motion carried.</li> </ul>
			Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken and motion carried.
<u>Melissa R. Shearer</u> 911 Old Alexandria Road Watertown, Tennessee 37184	R.N. Lic. No. 190767 01/31/2017	Gibbs, State's Attorney	Ms. Shearer was not present and not represented by counsel. Mr. Gibbs requested to proceed in default. Following proof of service, Judge Collier ruled the proof was sufficient to proceed. Ms. Adkins made a motion to proceed in default. Mr. Earwood seconded and motion carried.
			Judge Collier read the technical record into the file. Following the state's testimony and proof, Mr. Earwood moved to accept findings of fact in the proposed order numbers 1 through 6 as true with Ms. Cecil adding number 7 of Respondent was employed at

			Riverview Regional Medical Center for a total of forty-two days. During that time, Respondent diverted at least three different times. Ms. Akins seconded and amended motion carried.
			Ms. Akins made a motion to accept the conclusions of law paragraphs 7 through 9. Mr. Earwood amended paragraph 7 to include paragraphs through 7. Ms. Cecil seconded and amended motion carried.
			Mr. Earwood made a motion to revoke the RN license and assess civil penalties totaling \$3,000.00 and costs not to exceed \$5,000.00 Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.
			Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; motion carried.
Komedka H. Hopkins 1017 National Street Memphis, Tennessee 38122	L.P.N. Lic.No. 65938 12/31/2014	Formont, State's attorney	Ms. Hopkins was not present and not represented by counsel. Following proof of service, Ms. Formont requested to proceed in default. Judge Collier ruled that was sufficient evidence to proceed in default. Ms. Cecil made a motion to proceed in default. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.
			Following state's proof, Ms. Cecil made a motion to accept the findings of fact from the proposed order 1 through 3 as true and added #4, "Respondent failed to administer the dose of Cephalexin as ordered. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.

			<ul> <li>Ms. Adkins moved to accept the conclusions of law. Ms. Cecil seconded. Mr. Earwood amended the motion,</li> <li>Mr. Earwood made a motion to place the LPN license on probation for a minimum of two years, continuing education in documentation, civil penalties totaling \$1,000.00 and costs not to exceed \$5,000.00. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; motion carried.</li> </ul>
Kristen St. Clair 1210 Hazelwood Street, Apt. F-18 Murfreesboro, Tennessee 37130 and 3303 S Archibald Avenue 1 Ontario, California 91761 and 14540 Hartland Street 221 Van Nuys, California 91405	11/30/2014	Gibbs, State's Attorney	<ul> <li>Ms. St. Clair was not present and not represented by counsel.</li> <li>Following proof of service, Mr.</li> <li>Gibbs requested to proceed in default. Judge Collier ruled sufficient evidence to proceed in default. Ms. Cecil made a motion to proceed in default. Ms. Akins seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Following state's proof, Ms. Cecil made a motion to accept the findings of fact from the proposed order 1 through 5 as true. Ms.</li> <li>Earwood seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Mr. Earwood moved to accept the conclusions of law. Ms. Akins seconded. Mr. Earwood amended the motion,</li> <li>Ms. Akins made a motion to revoke</li> </ul>
			the privilege to practice and pay

costs not to exceed \$5,000.00. Mr. Earwood seconded and motion carried.
Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; motion carried. Mr. Earwood read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; motion carried.

Panel 2 – Juanita Turnipseed, Chair; Leanne Stearnes, Kathleen Harkey

A quorum was present. Judge D. Kim Summers presided over contested case hearings.

Jessica L. Bates	R.N. Lic. No.	Lanford,	Ma Rates was not present and not
			Ms. Bates was not present and not
350 Tipton Lake Circle	181644	States	represented by counsel. Ms.
W		Attorney	Lanford requested to proceed in
Millington, Tennessee	01/31/2015		default. Judge Summers ruled that
38053			the service of notice was sufficient
			to proceed. Ms. Stearnes moved to
			proceed in default. Ms. Harkey
			seconded and motion carried.
			Judge Summers reviewed the
			technical record.
			Following presentation of testimony
			and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes
			moved to accept the findings of fact
			as listed in the proposed final order
			1 through 5 as true and accurate.
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			Ms. Harkey seconded and motion
			carried.
			Ms. Stearnes made a motion to find
			that respondent's acts and conduct
			violated TCA§63-7-115(a) (1)
			(D)(F) and rule $1000-0113(1)$ (e)
			(f)(g). Ms. Harkey seconded and

motion carried.motion carried.Ms. Stearnes made a motion to revoke RN license 181644, assessed three (3) Type A Civil Penalty for a total of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) and assessed corsts not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) Ms. Harkey seconded the motion and motion carried.Tracy L. Coffey 602 Myers Road Rutledge, Tennessee 37861A.P.N. Cert. No. 14416 R.N. Lic. No. 115816 07/31/2015Lanford, State's AttorneyTracy L. Coffey 602 Myers Road Rutledge, Tennessee 37861A.P.N. Cert. No. 14416 R.N. Lic. No. 115816 07/31/2015Lanford, State's AttorneyTracy L. Coffey 602 Myers Road Rutledge, Tennessee 37861A.P.N. Cert. No. 14416 R.N. Lic. No. 115816 07/31/2015Lanford, State's AttorneyRutledge, Tennessee 37861A.P.N. Cert. No. 14416 R.N. Lic. No. 115816 07/31/2015Lanford, State's AttorneyRutledge, Tennessee 37861R.N. Lic. No. 115816 07/31/2015Lanford, state's R.N. Lic. No. 115816 07/31/2015Of/31/2015Of/31/2015Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 5 as true and accurate. Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.Wide Harden Karley seconded and motion carried.Ms. Stearnes made a motion to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA \$\$3-7-115(a) (1) (F) and rule 1000-01-13(1) (b) (0). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.				unation acquired
Image: second				motion carried.
	602 Myers Road Rutledge, Tennessee	14416 R.N. Lic. No. 115816 07/31/2015	State's	revoke RN license 181644, assessed three (3) Type A Civil Penalty for a total of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) and assessed costs not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00). Ms. Harkey seconded the motion and motion carried. Ms. Turnipseed read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken and motion carried. Ms. Coffey was not present and not represented by counsel. Ms. Lanford requested to proceed in default. Judge Summers ruled that the service of notice was sufficient to proceed. Ms. Stearnes moved to proceed in default. Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried. Judge Summers reviewed the technical record. Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 5 as true and accurate. Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried. Ms. Stearnes made a motion to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a) (1) (F) and rule 1000-0113(1) (b) (t). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried. Ms. Stearnes made a motion to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7-115(a) (1) (F) and rule 1000-0113(1) (b) (t). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.

			<ul> <li>and RN license 115816, assessed</li> <li>six (6) Type A Civil Penalty for a</li> <li>total of six thousand dollars</li> <li>(\$6,000.00) and assessed costs not</li> <li>to exceed ten thousand dollars</li> <li>(\$10,000.00). Ms. Harkey seconded</li> <li>the motion and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Turnipseed read the policy</li> <li>statement of the board to protect the</li> <li>health, safety and welfare of the</li> <li>citizens of Tennessee. The Board</li> <li>finds the appropriate action taken</li> <li>and motion carried.</li> </ul>
Brianna Wood 702 Crestland Ct Columbia, Tennessee 38401 Atty John S. Colley, III	L.P.N. Lic. No. 81462 02/29/2016	Lanford, State's Attorney	<ul> <li>Ms. Wood was present and represented by counsel. Judge Summers reviewed the technical record.</li> <li>Following presentation of testimony and state's proof, Ms. Stearnes moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 4 as true and accurate.</li> <li>Ms. Harkey and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Stearnes made a motion in conclusion of law that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63- 7-115(a)(1) (B) (F) and rule 1000- 0213(1)(d)(e). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Stearnes made a motion to revoke Ms. Wood's LPN license 81462, assess two (2) Type A Civil Penalties for a total of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) and assessments of costs to not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00). Ms. Harkey seconded and motion carried.</li> <li>Ms. Turnipseed read the policy statement of the board to protect the</li> </ul>

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## Panel 3 – Lisa Heaton, Chair; Martha Buckner, Mark Young

A quorum was present. Judge Rachel Waterhouse presided over contested case hearings

Anita Cross Marshall	R.N. Lic. No.	Mullins,	Ms. Marshall was present and not
1031 Big Creek Road	100497	States	represented by counsel.
LaFollette, Tennessee	100497		represented by counser.
	02/29/2016	Attorney	
37766	02/29/2016		Following testimony and proof,
			Mr. Young moved to accept the
			findings of fact of proposed order 1
			through 4 as true and accurate Dr.
			Buckner seconded and motion
			carried.
			Mr. Young made a motion to accept
			the conclusions of law paragraphs 6
			and 7 to find that respondent's acts
			and conduct violated TCA§63-7-
			115(a)(1)(C)(D)(F) and rule 1000-
			0113(1)(f) (g) of proposed order.
			Dr. Buckner seconded and motion
			carried.
			Mr. Young made a motion to
			suspend the RN license,
			immediately stay the suspension
			stayed suspension until monitoring
			through Tennessee Professional
			Assistance Program with probation
			to run concurrent with TnPAP
			monitoring agreement of no less
			than 3 years. Multistate PTP
			voided. If re-instatement is ever
			requested, Respondent must appear
			before Application Review
			Committee and submit 2 years of
			documented sobriety. Respondent is

			assessed civil penalty of \$300.00 and costs not to exceed \$3000.00. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion carried. Mr. Earwood read the policy
			statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; motion carried.
Blair Peeler Short 3639 Taliluna, Apt D2 Knoxville, Tennessee 37919 and 6315 Kingston Pike, Apt 905 Knoxville, Tennessee 37919 and 4112 Topside Road Knoxville, Tennessee 37920	7429	State Attor	ins, Ms. Short was not present and not 's represented by counsel. Mr. Mullins

Elizabeth S. Goodman 1768 Winchester Hwy, Apt. B-3 Fayetteville, Tennessee 37334	L.P.N. 69677 02/29/20	Lic.	No.	Tippens, State's Attorney	Ms. Goodman was not present and not represented by counsel. Ms. Tippens moved to proceed in default. Following ruling of sufficient proof of service, Judge Waterhouse ruled sufficient proof to proceed in default. Mr. Young moved to proceed in default. Dr. Buckner seconded and motion
					carried. Following proof of service and testimony, Dr. Buckner moved to accept the findings of fact as listed in the proposed final order 1 through 6 as true as written. Mr. Young seconded and motion
					carried. Dr. Buckner made a motion to accept the conclusions of law paragraphs 7 and 8 to find that respondent's acts and conduct violated TCA§63-7- 115(a)(1)(B)(C)(F) and rule 1000- 0213(1)(b)(d)(g)(v) of proposed order. Mr. Young seconded and motion carried.
					Dr. Buckner made a motion to revoke the LPN license. Respondent is civil penalties of a total of \$1,000.00 to be paid in full within twelve months and costs not to exceed \$5000.00. Mr. Young seconded and motion carried.
					Ms. Heaton read the policy statement of the board to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Tennessee. The Board finds the appropriate action taken; motion carried.

<u>Debrief</u> – Most members expressed satisfaction with three panels; one stated it spread the members too thin. A three day meeting is fine when needed. Members cautioned OGC to proofread consent orders for typos more thoroughly. A member reported that deans of nursing Programs and chief nursing officers of facilities were scheduled to meet the next week in Johnson City.

## <u>Adjourn</u>

There being no other business, the business meeting of the Tennessee Board of Nursing adjourned at 3:54 p.m., with the next board meeting scheduled August 5-6, 2015.