

**STATE OF VERMONT
SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
BOARD OF NURSING**

IN RE:	)	
NANCY M. AUCOIN	)	Docket No. NU80-0308
License No. 026-0026259	)	

STIPULATION AND CONSENT ORDER

STIPULATION

NOW COMES the State of Vermont, by and through State Prosecuting Attorney Edward G. Adrian, and the Respondent, Nancy M. Aucoin, RN, who stipulate and agree as follows:

Board Authority

1. The Vermont State Board of Nursing (the "Board") has authority to issue warnings or reprimands; suspend, revoke, limit, or condition current licenses; or prevent the renewal of lapsed licenses if, after disciplinary hearing, the Board finds that the Respondent has engaged in unprofessional conduct. 3 V.S.A. § 129(a); 3 V.S.A. § 129a; 3 V.S.A. § 814(d); 26 V.S.A. § 1582; the Administrative Rules of the Board of Nursing (the "ARBN"); and the Rules of the Office of Professional Regulation.

Statement of Facts

2. Nancy M. Aucoin (the "Respondent") of Underhill, Vermont is licensed by the State of Vermont as a Registered Nurse under license number 026-0026259. This license was originally issued on or about April 12, 2001 and is currently set to expire March 31, 2009.
3. At all times relevant, Respondent was employed as a registered nurse under the title "Head Nurse" at Pine Ridge School (the "School") located in Williston, Vermont.
4. On or about March 6, 2006, Respondent was convicted of Careless or Negligent Vehicle Operation (a misdemeanor) in Chittenden County District Court of Vermont.
5. On or about March 2, 2007 in Section D of a Registered Nurse Renewal Application, Respondent answered "NO" to the question "Have you been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation?"

Charges

6. The act(s), omission(s), and/or circumstance(s) described above constitute grounds for discipline because Respondent has committed unprofessional conduct in violation of 3 V.S.A. § 129a(a)(3) (Failing to comply with provisions of federal or state statutes or rules governing the practice of the profession).

Understandings

7. Respondent understands that the Nursing Board must review and accept the terms of the Consent Order. If the Board rejects any portion, the entire Stipulation and Consent Order shall be null and void.
8. Respondent specifically waives any claims that any disclosures made to the full Board during its review of this agreement have prejudiced her rights to a fair and impartial hearing in future hearings if this agreement is not accepted by the Board.
9. Respondent has read and reviewed this entire document and agrees that it contains the entire agreement between the parties.
10. Respondent is not under the influence of any drugs or alcohol at the time she signs this Stipulation and Consent Order.
11. Respondent voluntarily enters into this agreement after the opportunity to consult with legal counsel and is not being coerced by anyone into signing this Stipulation and Consent Order.
12. Respondent voluntarily waives her right to a contested hearing before the Board of Nursing and waives any right to appeal from this Stipulation and Consent Order.
13. Respondent agrees that the Order set forth below may be entered by the Board.

ORDER

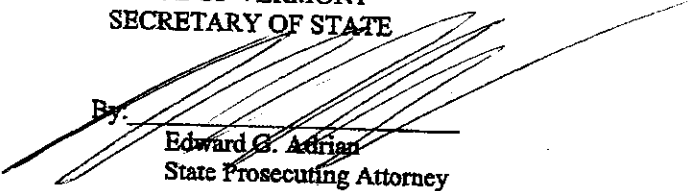
Based on the Stipulation above, it is **ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** as follows:

- A. The Board of Nursing hereby **WARNS** Respondent's license to practice registered nursing.
- B. This Stipulation and Consent Order is a matter of public record and may be reported to other licensing authorities as provided in 3 V.S.A. §129(a).
- C. This Stipulation and Consent Order will remain part of Respondent's licensing file and may be used for purposes of determining sanctions in any future disciplinary matter.

AGREED TO:

Dated: 3/6/09

STATE OF VERMONT
SECRETARY OF STATE

By: 
Edward G. Adrian
State Prosecuting Attorney

NANCY M. AUCOIN
RESPONDENT

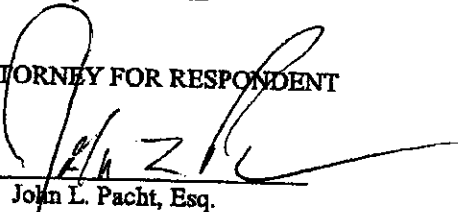
Dated: 2/25/09

By: Nancy M. Aucoin
Nancy M. Aucoin

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Dated: 3/6/09

ATTORNEY FOR RESPONDENT

By: 
John L. Pacht, Esq.

APPROVED AND SO ORDERED:

VERMONT BOARD OF NURSING

Dated: 3-9-09

By: Gle W. Hoff
Chairperson

Date of Entry: 3/10/09
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