

STATE OF VERMONT
SECRETARY OF STATE
OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION
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IN RE: Rindi Citty

Docket No. 2017-320

Application Tracking No. 025.0130168

NOTICE OF FINAL APPLICATION DENIAL

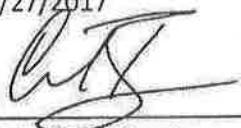
In the matter captioned above, a *Notice of Preliminary Denial* was served by certified mail, consistent with 3 V.S.A. § 129(e).

The 30-day appeal period has run, and there has been no request for review.

The decision to deny the application is now final, and the matter is closed.

DATED: 6/27/2017

By: _____


Colin R. Benjamin
Director of Professional Regulation

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NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DENIAL

Rindi Citty ("Applicant")'s application for licensure as a Licensed Practical Nurse was received on May 1, 2017. The application was complete on May 15, 2017. The application has been **preliminarily denied** by the State of Vermont for the following reasons:

Board Authority

1. The Vermont Board of Nursing ("Board") has authority to deny an applicant's license if it finds that the applicant has engaged in unprofessional conduct in any jurisdiction. 3 V.S.A. § 129(a); 26 V.S.A. § 1582; and the Rules of the Office of Professional Regulation.

Basis for Denial

Basis for Denial # 1: 3 V.S.A. § 129a(a)(1) Fraudulent or deceptive procurement or use of a license.

2. When the Applicant submitted the application the Applicant answered "NO" to the Vermont Nursing Mandatory Credential Question:
 - a. "Has Vermont or any other state, federal authority, or other jurisdiction (US or elsewhere) taken any disciplinary action (restricted, suspended, revocation, or conditioned) against a license, certificate, or registration that you hold or held in any profession or occupation?"
3. This answer was false.
4. On July 30, 2013, Applicant's licensed practical nurse license was disciplined in Oklahoma.

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As a result of the foregoing reasons the application for licensure is **PRELIMINARILY DENIED**. If you would like this decision to be reviewed please refer to the appeal rights at the bottom of this notice.

DATED at Montpelier, Vermont this th 26 day of May, 2017.

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To appeal this preliminary denial, you must file a written appeal with the Docket Clerk within 30 days of the date of this notification. A copy of this written appeal must also be provided to the state prosecuting attorney listed above.

In order to expedite the appellate process, your appeal shall include a statement of issues, that is, why the preliminary denial should be reversed and that the license should be granted.

Please send your appeal to the address below:

Liz Amaral, Docket Clerk
Office of Professional Regulation
89 Main Street, 3rd Floor
Montpelier, VT 05602-3402

A hearing will be scheduled. The State will be represented by the state prosecutor. At the hearing you will have the burden of showing that this preliminary denial should be reversed and that your license should be granted. 3 V.S.A. §129(e). The tribunal may uphold the denial, in whole, or in part, or may issue an unrestricted license, or may issue a license that is sanctioned. 3 V.S.A. §129(a)(3).

If you do not appeal this preliminary denial it will become final in 30 days. As a final disciplinary decision it will be reported to all required national data banks and shall be public pursuant to 3 V.S.A. §131.

Once the decision is final, it may be appealed pursuant to 3 V.S.A. §130a.

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