The attached are Primary Source Documents of the Idaho Board of Nursing for:

SUSANNAH COLEMAN
PN-11998

Idaho Board of Nursing – PO Box 83720 – Boise, Idaho 83720-0061 – (208) 334-3110
BEFORE THE BOARD OF NURSING

STATE OF IDAHO

In the Matter of the Application of
Susannah Coleman (Pline)
License No. PN-11998,

) ORDER GRANTING PETITION
) FOR REINSTATEMENT OF LICENSE

RESPONDENT.

) CASE 04-063

On June 26, 2007, Susannah Coleman (Pline) (Respondent) applied for reinstatement of licensure. Her application for reinstatement was presented to the members of the Idaho Board of Nursing (Board) on July 23-24, 2007. Following its review of the application, the matters on file with the Board, and the information submitted in support of the application, and good cause appearing therefore, the Board enters the following Order on Petition for Reinstatement.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent was licensed as a practical nurse on October 25, 2000. She was issued license number PN-11998.


3. On July 28, 2005, an Order of Revocation was issued.

4. The Board took disciplinary action against Respondent, based on its conclusion that respondent was non-compliant with PRN contract requirements. A copy of the order entered by the Board on July 28, 2005 is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

5. Respondent timely filed a written request for reconsideration, seeking reversal or modification of the Board’s Order. Respondent appeared before the Board on November 10, 2005 and testified in her own behalf.

6. In her testimony, Respondent acknowledged that she had taken the drug Soma from the hospital pharmacy without a prescription and without permission. She advised the Board that she had recently pled guilty to charges of burglary and had been placed on a two-year period of probation.

7. Respondent admitted that she had been non-compliant with the program for recovering nurses by failing to obtain the required drug/UA testing or attend group sessions.

8. The Board took action on November 10, 2005, to deny the Respondent’s Petition for Reconsideration and affirmed the previous order entered July 28, 2005. A copy of the order entered by the Board on November 28, 2005 is attached hereto as Exhibit B.


10. During a regularly scheduled Board meeting on July 24, 2007, Respondent’s request was granted and a limited license for three (3) years was issued.

ORDER GRANTING PETITION - 1
11. By letter of June 20, 2007, Gary Hall, PhD, recommended that Respondent attend community recovery support groups as needed, fulfill probation and parole and/or Drug Court requirement, seek out and/or maintain a job, seek out and/or maintain education.

12. By letter of June 23, 2007, Respondent stated that she had completed Intensive Out-Patient (IOP), Women’s Relapse Prevention and one year of Aftercare. She has remained drug and alcohol free and maintained employment for nine (9) months.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The facts as stated above fall within the regulatory jurisdiction of the Board as set forth in title 54, chapter 14, Idaho Code.

2. The Board has the power to refuse to reinstate a license, and may place on probation, reprimand, limit, restrict, condition or take other disciplinary action against the licensee upon the determination that the licensee engaged in conduct constituting grounds for discipline. Idaho Code Section 54-1413.

3. In considering applications for reinstatement, the Board evaluates the nature and severity of the act that resulted in revocation; the applicant’s subsequent conduct; the lapse of time since discipline; the degree of compliance with any terms and conditions that the Board imposed; intervening circumstances; degree of rehabilitation; applicant’s adherence to law and rule; and applicant’s criminal background. IDAPA 23.01.01.120.03.

4. The Board may issue a limited license to an applicant who has been the subject of a disciplinary action, if it finds the applicant qualifies for reinstatement. IDAPA 23.01.01.132.01.a.

5. Respondent’s license was the subject of disciplinary action, based on conduct constituting legal grounds for imposition of discipline, as set forth in the Attached Exhibits A and B.

6. Respondent has provided a personal statement that she has completed Alcohol and Drug Education treatment.

7. Respondent’s previous history of discipline by the Board constitutes grounds for the imposition of limits or conditions on her license to practice.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ordered that:
1. Respondent’s petition for reinstatement is GRANTED, and
2. Respondent will be issued a LIMITED LICENSE, for a period of three (3) years, subject to Respondent’s strict adherence to and compliance with each of the following conditions and limitations:
   i. Notify the Board of any change in current address and telephone number within ten (10) days of that change.

ORDER GRANTING PETITION - 2
ii. Notify the Board of the name(s) and address(es) of any and all employer(s), at the time that employment in any field is accepted.

iii. Request immediate supervisor to submit performance evaluations at monthly intervals for twelve (12) months, then at quarterly intervals.

iv. Obtain and pay for random urine drug screens – 15 random screens during the first year, then at Board request

v. Meet with professional Board staff at staff’s discretion.

vi. Submit investigative and attorney costs in the amount of $176.00.

vii. Submit self-evaluations at monthly intervals for twelve (12) months, then at quarterly intervals.

viii. Attend two (2) AA/NA meetings per week and submit signed cards monthly to confirm attendance.

ix. Request the 12-step sponsor to submit reports of progress at monthly intervals for twelve (12) months, then at quarterly intervals.

x. Comply with all laws, rules, standards, policies and procedures pertaining to the practice of nursing.

xi. Abstain from the use of all mind-altering and potentially addicting drugs and alcohol, unless medically authorized.

xii. In the event Respondent is prescribed a mind-altering and/or potentially addicting drug, a copy of the prescription will immediately be furnished to the Board and the National Confederation of Professional Services (NCPS).

xiii. May not accept employment in another state without written authorization from that state.

3. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. All reports must be submitted to the Board of Nursing office by the 30th day of each month in which they are due. Further assure that any required reports to be submitted by others are submitted by the 30th of each month in which they are due.

4. EMPLOYMENT. Respondent may not be employed in any other state party to the Nurse Licensure Compact without having received written permission from that state.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that any failure to strictly adhere to the foregoing conditions, including the submission of reports in a timely manner shall constitute grounds for the imposition of disciplinary action.

NOTICE OF APPEAL RIGHTS

This is a Final Order of the agency. Any party may file a motion for reconsideration of this Final Order within fourteen (14) days of the service date of this Order. The agency will dispose of the petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of its receipt, or the petition will be considered denied by operation of law. See Idaho Code § 67-5246(4).

ORDER GRANTING PETITION - 3
As set forth in section 54-1413, Idaho Code, and Board of Nursing Rule, IDAPA 23.01.01.165.01, you may petition for reconsideration of any final order of the Board upon the following grounds:

a. Newly discovered or newly available evidence relevant to the issues;
b. Error in the processing or Board decision that would be grounds for reversal or judicial review of the order;
c. Need for further consideration of the issues and the evidence in the public interest; or
d. A showing that issues not considered ought to be examined in order to properly dispose of the matter.

Pursuant to Idaho Code §§ 67-5270 and 67-5272, any party aggrieved by this Final Order or orders previously issued in this case may appeal this Final Order and all previously issued orders in this case to district court by filing a petition in the district court of the county in which:

i. a hearing was held,
ii. the final agency action was taken,
iii. the party seeking review of the order resides or operates its principal place of business in Idaho, or
iv. the real property or personal property that was the subject of the agency action is located.

An appeal must be filed within twenty-eight (28) days (a) of the service date of this Final Order, (b) of an order denying petition for reconsideration, or (c) the failure within twenty-one (21) days to grant or deny a petition for reconsideration, whichever is later. See Idaho Code § 67-5273. The filing of an appeal to district court does not itself stay the effectiveness or enforcement of the order under appeal.

DATED this 5th day of September, 2007.

IDAHO STATE BOARD OF NURSING

BY: ________________________________
SUSAN ODOM, PhD, RN, Chairman

ORDER GRANTING PETITION - 4
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 6th day of September, 2007, I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the foregoing ORDER GRANTING PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT OF LICENSE, addressed as follows:

Karl Klein
Deputy Attorney General
P.O. Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0010

____ U.S. Mail, postage prepaid
____ Certified U.S. Mail, return receipt
____ Hand Delivery
____ Overnight Mail
Facsimile: ______________________
____ Statehouse Mail

X U.S. Mail, postage prepaid
X Certified U.S. Mail, return receipt
____ Hand Delivery

Susannah Coleman (Pline)
806 E Street
Rupert, ID 83350

Dated this 6th day of SEPTEMBER, 2007.

SANDRA EVANS, MAEd, RN,
Executive Director,
Idaho Board of Nursing