

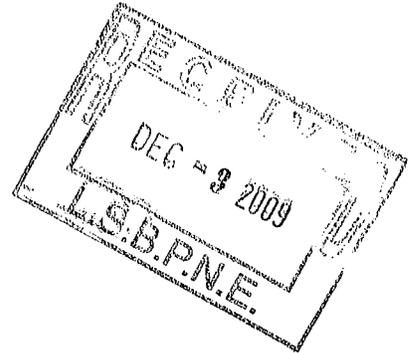
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In the matter of: **Theodise Collins**
142 27th Street
Kenner, LA 70062

License #940827

Date offered: November 23, 2009

Date offer expires: December 18, 2009



CONSENT ORDER

To facilitate a conclusion to the allegations against Theodise Collins, LPN, the Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners does hereby offer this Consent Agreement. The allegations include:

1. That the board received a report from West Jefferson Healthcare indicating on May 21, 2009 the respondent performed treatment on a patient after he refused/without his permission. She was terminated on May 22, 2009 for alleged abuse of a resident.

Based on the evidence submitted, the Board has concluded that **Ms. Collins** is in violation of the following provisions of Louisiana Revised Statutes, Title 37, Chapter 11. Nurses, Part II. Practical Nurses, Section 969 4. **(f) is guilty of unprofessional conduct; (g) Violated any provision of this part and §978 A. (8) Violate any provisions of this Part.** as further defined in the Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 46, Part XLVII. Nurses, Subpart 1, Practical Nurses, Section 306:

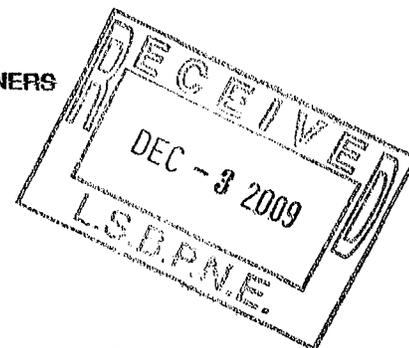
8. **being guilty of unprofessional conduct;**
 - a. **failure to practice practical nursing in accordance with the standards normally expected;**
 - b. **failure to utilize appropriate judgment in administering nursing practice;**

In lieu of a formal hearing on the matter, the respondent consents to accept and abide by the following Orders of the Board:

1. That she be issued a Letter of Reprimand as disciplinary action against her license for the violations of the Nurse Practice Act.

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2. That she be fined \$500.00, payable by cashier's check or money order only for the violations of the Nurse Practice Act, payable prior to May 23, 2010.
3. That the respondent successfully complete courses in the following areas:
 - Communication Skills in Nursing
 - Managing Difficult Patients
 - Patient Advocacy and Ethical Nursing Practice

Furthermore, the respondent is hereby notified and by signature Theodise M. Collins acknowledges and agrees that failure to comply with the Orders of the Board may result in any or all of the following:

VIOLATIONS

Failure to comply with any and/or all sections of this order may result in any and/or all of the following: a) immediate suspension of license, b) indefinite suspension of license, c) Ineligibility for annual renewal of license, d) additional fines/penalties up to \$500.00 per occurrence, e) increased probationary period, f) summary suspension, and/or g) revocation.

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CONSENT AGREEMENT ACCEPTANCE

I, Theodise Collins, agree that the Board has jurisdiction over this matter. I specifically waive my right to contest these findings in any subsequent proceedings before the Board. I understand that this Consent Agreement shall constitute as public record and is disciplinary action taken by the Board.

I further acknowledge and attest that I have fully cooperated with the Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners in resolving these charges, and intend to comply with all stipulations of this agreement.

I voluntarily agree to sign and have witnessed the terms of this agreement for the purpose of avoiding a formal hearing with the Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners.

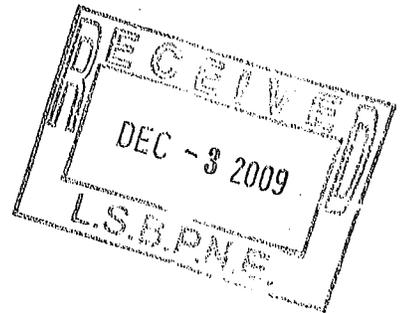
I do say that I freely, knowingly and voluntarily enter into this agreement. I understand that I have a right to a hearing in this matter and I freely waive such right. I understand that I have a right to legal counsel prior to entering into this agreement.

I understand that this order is effective immediately upon signature of the Executive Director and will become an Order of the Board. It is understood that this order does not preclude the Board of Practical Nurse Examiners from requiring a formal hearing of my case. I further understand that should the Consent Agreement not be accepted by the Board, I agree that presentation to and consideration of the Consent Agreement, the documenting evidence and information by the Board shall not unfairly or illegally prejudice the Board or any of its members from participation in hearings or other proceedings pertaining to these or other matters regarding this respondent.

Theodise M. Collins 11-30-09
Signature of licensee Date

[Signature] 11/30/09
Signature of witness # 1 Date

[Signature] 11/30/09
Signature of witness # 2 Date



Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners

Claire Doody Glaviano

CLAIRE DOODY GLAVIANO
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

12/01/09
Date

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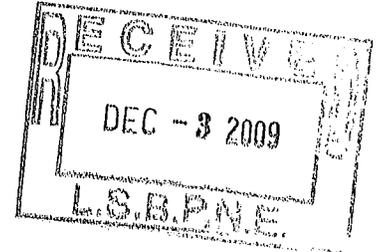
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LETTER OF REPRIMAND

In the matter of: **Theodise Collins**
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License #940827

Date: **November 23, 2009**



The Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners hereby issues this Letter of Reprimand against Theodise Collins, LPN based on the following:

1. That the board received a report from West Jefferson Healthcare indicating on May 21, 2009 the respondent performed treatment on a patient after he refused/without his permission. She was terminated on May 22, 2009 for alleged abuse of a resident.

Based on the evidence submitted, the Board has concluded that **Ms. Collins** is in violation of the following provisions of Louisiana Revised Statutes, Title 37, Chapter 11. Nurses, Part II. Practical Nurses, Section 969 4. **(f) is guilty of unprofessional conduct; (g) Violated any provision of this part and §978 A. (8) Violate any provisions of this Part.** as further defined in the Louisiana Administrative Code, Title 46, Part XLVII. Nurses, Subpart 1, Practical Nurses, Section 306:

8. **being guilty of unprofessional conduct;**
 - a. **failure to practice practical nursing in accordance with the standards normally expected;**
 - b. **failure to utilize appropriate judgment in administering nursing practice;**

Furthermore, the respondent is hereby fined \$500.00 for the above violations of the law relating to the practice of practical nursing, payable prior to May 23, 2009 and complete courses in the following areas:

- **Communication Skills in Nursing**
- **Managing Difficult Patients**
- **Patient Advocacy and Ethical Nursing Practice**

The Board has jurisdiction over your license and regrets the manifestation of your lack of regard for the privilege which you have worked so hard to earn.

This Board calls this to your attention and admonishes you in writing with the hope that you will see the importance of your actions and refrain from such behavior in the future. Reconsider the consequences that such lack of responsibility may have upon your career in nursing.

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This letter of reprimand is considered disciplinary action by the Louisiana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners and is reportable as such.

Claire Doody Glaviano

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Executive Director

