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IN RE: MARLENE LIGHTFOOT-LANE )  
 of Fairfield, Maine )  
 License #R031885 )  
 ) CONSENT AGREEMENT  
 ) FOR VOLUNTARY  
 ) SURRENDER OF LICENSE

**INTRODUCTION**

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Marlene Lightfoot-Lane's license to practice registered professional nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(1-A)(C) and 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(B), (5)(D). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Marlene Lightfoot-Lane ("Licensee"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Office of the Attorney General, State of Maine. The Board held an informal conference with the Licensee on May 15, 2007. The parties reached this Agreement on the basis of a Provider Report or Complaint provided by Country Manor Nursing Home ("Country Manor") dated February 23, 2006, and Ms. Lightfoot-Lane's offer to voluntarily surrender her registered professional nurse license.

**FACTS**

1. Marlene Lightfoot-Lane has been licensed as a registered professional nurse to practice in Maine since 1988.
2. On February 23, 2006 Ms. Lightfoot-Lane was terminated from Country Manor because she failed to follow standards of nursing practice and the nursing policies and procedures of Country Manor. Specifically, Ms. Lightfoot-Lane admits that although notified by a CNA that a resident had skin integrity issues to the buttocks on December 7, 2006, she did not conduct a skin assessment on the resident. On December 26, 2006, the resident was assessed with a Stage III pressure ulcer. *should be 2005 jlw*
3. Marlene Lightfoot-Lane stated that she does not intend to return to the practice of nursing because she has health issues that have prevented her from being a safe nurse.
4. Marlene Lightfoot-Lane has offered to surrender her registered professional nurse license.

**AGREEMENT**

5. The Maine State Board of Nursing will accept Marlene Lightfoot-Lane's offer to voluntarily surrender her registered professional nurse license.



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6. Marlene Lightfoot-Lane understands that this document imposes discipline regarding her license to practice professional nursing in the State of Maine under 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(E)(1), (2)(F), (2)(H) and Chapter 4, sections 1(A)(5)(a), 1(A)(6), 1(A)(8) and Chapter 4, sections 3(F), 3(H) and 3(N) of the Rules and Regulations of the Maine State Board of Nursing.
7. Marlene Lightfoot-Lane understands that she does not have to execute this Consent Agreement and that she has the right to consult with an attorney before entering the Consent Agreement.
8. Marlene Lightfoot-Lane shall not work or volunteer, in any capacity, for a health care provider as defined by Title 24 M.R.S.A. § 2502 (2) or in any position holding herself out as a registered professional nurse or with the designation, R.N.
9. If Ms. Lightfoot-Lane fails to meet the obligations in Paragraph No. 12 of this Consent Agreement, the Board may take any disciplinary action, which it deems appropriate and impose any of the sanctions, including but not limited to that found in Title 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003 and Title 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A.
10. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all parties.
11. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee, but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.
12. Marlene Lightfoot-Lane affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.
13. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

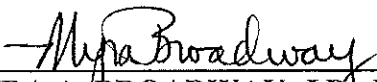
**I, MARLENE LIGHTFOOT-LANE, HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING CONSENT AGREEMENT. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING IT, I WAIVE CERTAIN RIGHTS. I SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY, WITHOUT ANY THREAT OR PROMISE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT AND THERE IS NO OTHER AGREEMENT OF ANY KIND.**

DATED: 7-3-07 Marlene Lightfoot-Lane  
MARLENE LIGHTFOOT-LANE

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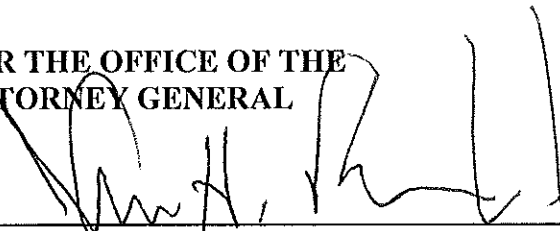
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DATED: 7/9/07

  
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