

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Department of Health
Nursing Assistant Advisory Board



IN THE MATTER OF:
RENAE FRANKLIN
License Number NA28255
Case No. 170826

CONSENT ORDER

Pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 23-17.9-1 *et seq.* and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder, the Rhode Island Department of Health (hereinafter "RIDOH"), and the Nursing Assistant Advisory Board (hereinafter "Board") have investigated a complaint charging RENAE FRANKLIN, NA28255 (hereinafter "Respondent"), with conduct subject to disciplinary proceedings pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws § 23-17.9-8. After review and consideration by RIDOH and the Board with respect to the Respondent's conduct, the following are and shall constitute

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a Nursing Assistant licensed to practice in Rhode Island under Nursing Assistant License NA28255.
2. At all times relevant hereto, Respondent was employed by Ocean State Nursing Services, Inc. (hereinafter "Ocean State").
3. On or about March 24, 25, and 27, 2017, Respondent made unauthorized purchases with a credit card owned by a client in her care. These purchases were captured on surveillance video. The unauthorized purchases totaled five hundred ninety-eight dollars and eighty-six cents (\$598.86).
4. That the conduct described in paragraph three of this Consent Order constitutes conduct subject to disciplinary proceedings pursuant to R. I. Gen. Laws §23-17.9-8 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder.
5. That the Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of RIDOH.

6. Respondent has read this Consent Order and understands that this Consent Order shall become binding once signed by the Respondent and RIDOH.
7. That Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:
 - a. The right to an administrative hearing on this matter;
 - b. The right to represent himself or be represented by an attorney of Respondent's own choosing at said hearing;
 - c. The right to produce testimony, witnesses, and evidence on Respondent's behalf; at a hearing; and
 - d. Any and all rights of appeal.

ACCORDINGLY, AND BASED ON THE FOREGOING

RIDOH and the Respondent hereby agree to the following disposition of this complaint:

1. Respondent is hereby issued the sanction of a Revocation of her Nursing Assistant license, NA28255.
2. This Consent Order shall become a public record.

Signed this 2nd day of March, 2018.


RENAE FRANKLIN

Ratified by the RI Department of Health, Chief of Professional Boards and Licensing, on the 16th day of March 2018.


ELLEN BALASCO
Chief of Professional Boards and Licensing