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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
HEALTH SERVICES REGULATION

vs.

MELISSA CARDOZA, PH200349

ORDER

This matter is before the Department of Health (hereinafter "Department") and the Board of Pharmacy upon allegations of unprofessional conduct relating to the diversion of controlled substances. That on or about the time frame of July of 2010 to December of 2010, the Respondent, while employed at CVS/Pharmacy #1042 located at 835 Newport Ave., Pawtucket, RI and CVS/Pharmacy #0689 located at 2790 Post Rd., Warwick, RI, admitted to diverting 8,000 (eight-thousand) tablets of a various strength Hydrocodone/APAP preparations, a schedule III controlled substance.

Based on the foregoing, the Department hereby enters the following:

1. That this Order shall become part of the public record of this proceeding.
2. That the Department is hereby revoking Respondent's license as a Pharmacy Technician II.

Ordered this 23rd day of February 2011.

Patrick S. Kelly, Pharm.D., R.Ph.
Chief/Compliance and Regulatory
Rhode Island Board of Pharmacy