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IN RE: LUCY C. KENNEDY, L.P.N.)
 of Plymouth, Maine) **CONSENT AGREEMENT**
 License #P010584) **FOR WARNING**

INTRODUCTION

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Lucy C. Kennedy's license to practice practical nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Consent Agreement pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105A(1A)(A), 10 M.R.S.A. § 8003(5)(A-1)(1) and § 8003(5)(B). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Lucy C. Kennedy ("Licensee"), Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Office of the Attorney General, State of Maine. An informal conference was held on June 5, 2002. The parties reached this Agreement on the basis of information submitted by Ross Manor in Bangor, Maine, by a letter dated December 6, 2001 and Ross Manor medication error/omission reports issued to the Licensee in the months of July, October, November and December.

FACTS

1. Lucy C. Kennedy has been a licensed practical nurse licensed by the Board to practice in Maine since 1991.
2. Lucy C. Kennedy agreed that she had a pattern of medication errors. A total of 10 medication errors were made, nine within a period of six weeks.
3. There is no documented patient harm.

AGREEMENT

4. Lucy C. Kennedy agrees and understands that her above-described conduct constitutes grounds for discipline under Title 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(2)(F) and (2)(H) and Chapter 4. 4.(1)(A)(6) and 4(3)(F). The Board finds that the factual basis of the complaint is true and is of sufficient gravity to issue Lucy C. Kennedy a **WARNING** pursuant to 32 M.R.S.A. § 2105-A(A-1)(A).
5. Lucy C. Kennedy understands that this Consent Agreement imposes discipline regarding her license to practice practical nursing in the State of Maine. Ms. Kennedy understands that she does not have to execute this Consent Agreement and that she has the right to consult with an attorney before entering into this Consent Agreement.



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6. Lucy C. Kennedy affirms that she executes this Consent Agreement of her own free will.
7. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all the parties.
8. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee, but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.
9. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

I, LUCY C. KENNEDY, L.P.N., 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: 7/8/02

Lucy Kennedy LPN
LUCY C. KENNEDY, L.P.N.

DATED: 6/28/02

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FOR THE MAINE STATE
BOARD OF NURSING

DATED: 7/10/02

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FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATED: 7/11/02

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