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IN RE: LAURIER A. PEPIN )  
 of Lewiston, Maine )  
 License #P009714 ) **CONSENT AGREEMENT FOR  
 VOLUNTARY SURRENDER  
 OF LICENSE**

**INTRODUCTION**

This document is a Consent Agreement regarding Laurier A. Pepin's license to practice practical nursing in the State of Maine. The parties enter into this Agreement pursuant to 10 M.R.S.A. Section 8003(5)(B) and 32 M.R.S.A. Section 2105-A(1-A)(B). The parties to this Consent Agreement are Laurier A. Pepin, Maine State Board of Nursing ("Board") and the Department of Attorney General, State of Maine. The parties reached this Agreement as a result of information submitted by Montello Manor by letter dated August 24, 1998 and the Division of Licensing and Certification, Department of Human Services, thru letter dated February 10, 1999.

**FACTS**

1. Laurier A. Pepin was terminated from his employment at Montello Manor on August 18, 1998 as a result of working while impaired by the use of intoxicating substances.
2. Laurier A. Pepin admits to habitual substance abuse.
3. Laurier A. Pepin's habitual substance abuse has resulted in his inability to perform nursing services in a manner that protects the health and safety of patients, and he is currently incompetent to engage in the practice of nursing for which he is licensed.
4. On August 18, 1999, Mr. Pepin voluntarily surrendered his nursing license to the Maine State Board of Nursing.

**AGREEMENT**

5. The Maine State Board of Nursing will accept Laurier A. Pepin's voluntary surrender of his license.
6. Laurier A. Pepin shall not work, in any capacity, in the health care field, including in a veterinarian's office, while his nursing license is surrendered. In addition, Mr. Pepin is not to seek employment where the handling or dispensing of drugs is part of the job responsibility.



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7. Laurier A. Pepin may petition the Board for reinstatement of his license. Mr. Pepin agrees and understands that his license will not be reinstated until and unless the Board, upon Mr. Pepin's written request, votes to reinstate Mr. Pepin's license.
8. Laurier A. Pepin understands that this document imposes discipline regarding his license to practice practical nursing in the State of Maine for violations under 32 M.R.S.A. Section 2105-A(2)(B), A(2)(E) and A(2)(F).
9. Laurier A. Pepin understands that he does not have to execute this Consent Agreement and that he has the right to consult with an attorney before entering into this Consent Agreement.
10. Laurier A. Pepin affirms that he executes this Consent Agreement of his own free will.
11. Modification of this Consent Agreement must be in writing and signed by all parties.
12. This Consent Agreement is not subject to review or appeal by the Licensee, but may be enforced by an action in the Superior Court.
13. This Consent Agreement becomes effective upon the date of the last necessary signature below.

DATED: 10/29/99

Laurier A. Pepin  
LAURIER A. PEPIN

**FOR THE MAINE STATE BOARD  
OF NURSING:**

DATED: Nov. 18, 1999

Myra Broadway  
MYRA A. BROADWAY, J.D., M.S., R.N.

**FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF  
ATTORNEY GENERAL:**

DATED: 11/22/99

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