STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHARMACY

IN THE MATTER OF)	
)	CONSENT ORDER MODIFYING
TIANA J. WITCHER)	JANUARY 19, 2016 FINAL ORDER
(License #11664))	REINSTATING LICENSE WITH
)	CONDITIONS
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THIS MATTER came to be considered at a prehearing conference (hereinafter, "Conference") before a member of the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy (hereinafter, the "Board") pursuant to 21 N.C.A.C. 46.2008. The Conference was scheduled for March 20, 2017, and, after appropriate notice, was heard on that day by Board Member Robert Graves at the Board's office at 6015 Farrington Road, Suite 201, Chapel Hill, North Carolina, upon the request of Tiana J. Witcher ("Petitioner"). Petitioner was present at the Conference and represented by James A. Wilson. The Board's Executive Director, Jay Campbell, represented the Board.

The Board hereby enters the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Petitioner holds North Carolina license to practice pharmacy number 11664.
- 2. On or about December 12, 2008, Petitioner voluntarily entered a substance abuse program administered by North Carolina Pharmacist Recovery Network ("NCPRN").
- 3. On April 20, 2010, the Board entered a Final Order suspending Petitioner's license indefinitely for non-compliance with her NCPRN contract that led to the contract's termination. The April 20, 2010 Final Order is incorporated into this Order by reference.

- 4. On January 19, 2016, the Board entered a Final Order reinstating Petitioner's license with conditions. The January 19, 2016 Final Order details the facts and circumstances leading to that reinstatement, as well as the conditions imposed on Petitioner's license to practice pharmacy. It is incorporated into this Order by reference.
- On May 4, 2016, the Texas Board of Pharmacy vacated its November 1, 2011 order imposing certain conditions on Petitioner's license to practice pharmacy in Texas. As a result, that license to practice pharmacy is now unencumbered.
- 6. The North Carolina Physicians Health Program ("NCPHP") has notified the Board that it advocates for Petitioner's safety to practice pharmacy, serve as a pharmacist-manager, and serve as a preceptor of pharmacy students without further monitoring. Accordingly, as set forth in the terms of the January 19, 2016 Final Order, NCPHP has exercised its professional discretion to shorten Petitioner's NCPHP contract. TXPRN has informed NCPHP that it intends to do likewise.
- 7. In January 2017, Petitioner, through counsel, requested that the Board relieve her of the obligations of her Order Reinstating License with Conditions.

CONCLUSION OF LAW

Because the Texas Board of Pharmacy has vacated its previous order and NCPHP has ended Petitioner's monitoring contract, and because compliance with these was the principal condition imposed by this Board's order reinstating Petitioner's license, it is appropriate to relieve Petitioner of this Board's order and restore her license to unrestricted status.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the conditions imposed on Petitioner's license to practice pharmacy by the January 20, 2016 Final Order are lifted.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHARMACY

Bv:

Jack W. Campbell IV Executive Director Tiana J. Witcher, the holder of license number 11664, has full knowledge that she has the right to a formal hearing, at which she would have the right to be represented at her expense by counsel, in this matter. The undersigned freely, knowingly and voluntarily waives such right by entering into this Consent Order.

The undersigned understands and agrees that by entering into this Consent Order, she certifies that she has read the foregoing Consent Order and that she voluntarily consents to the terms and conditions set forth therein and relinquishes any right to judicial review of Board actions which may be taken concerning this matter.

The undersigned understands and agrees that this Consent Order will not become effective unless and until approved by the Board.

The undersigned understands that she has the right to have counsel of her choice review and advise her with respect to her rights and this Consent Order, and represents that she enters this Consent Order after consultation with her counsel or after knowingly and voluntarily choosing not to consult with counsel.

CONSENTED TO BY:

Date 3-20-(7

Tiana J. Witcher

(License No. 11664)

STATE OF Morta Carolina

Dorham COUNTY

I, the undersigned Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the following person(s) personally appeared before me this day, and each acknowledged the due execution of the foregoing document:

Tiana J. Witcher

Date: 3/20/17

Cody R. Parken

Notary Public Park

My commission expires: 10/14/17