BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHARMACY

In the Matter of:

Kathleen J. Burns
(Technician Registration No. 27008)

VOLUNTARY SURRENDER
OF TECHNICIAN
REGISTRATION FOR CAUSE

Kathleen J. Burns was issued Technician registration number 27008 by the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy on November 2, 2009.

Ms. Burns admits that while employed at WakeMed Raleigh Campus Pharmacy located on 3000 New Bern Avenue, Raleigh, North Carolina, she has committed acts that give the North Carolina Board Pharmacy sufficient cause to revoke her technician registration. Considering that, Ms. Burns voluntarily surrenders her registration as a Pharmacy Technician in North Carolina.

Ms. Burns waives any further findings with respect to this matter. The surrender of the registration is made voluntarily and without pressure, coercion, or the threat of force being made against her.

Ms. Burns understands and accepts that she is not to be present in a pharmacy setting unless she has a valid prescription from a treating physician. Ms. Burns also understands and accepts that she is not to work as a pharmacy technician in the state of North Carolina unless the registration is reinstated by the Board following a formal hearing.

Ms. Burns understands and accepts that, at any point in the future, she may petition for reinstatement by submitting a request to the Board of Pharmacy, in writing. Upon a request for reinstatement, the Board will determine within sixty (60) days when it will schedule a hearing on
the request for reinstatement. There is no presumption, guarantee or other implication intended within this document that the Board will reinstate the registration. The decision will be made by the Board based on consideration of all available evidence presented at a formal hearing before the Board. The registration will not be returned until and unless the Board issues a reinstatement order after any formal hearing.

This the 15th day of February, 2010.

Kathleen J. Burnis
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on the 15th day of February 2010, a copy of this foregoing Voluntary Surrender, Registration No. 27008, was served upon Respondent Kathleen J. Burns.

Krystal Brushears
Investigator, NC Board of Pharmacy
Office of Investigations and Inspections