

**PERMANENT VOLUNTARY SURRENDER
MARIE TERVIL
R254836**

Gary N. Hicks, MS, RN, CEN, CNE
President, Maryland Board of Nursing
4140 Patterson Avenue
Baltimore, Maryland 21215-2254

Re: **Marie Tervil, R254836**
Permanent Voluntary Surrender of Registered Nurse License

Dear Mr. Hicks,

I agree to permanently voluntarily surrender my license to practice as a registered nurse ("RN") in the State of Maryland, License Number **R254836**. By voluntarily surrendering my Maryland RN license, I understand that I may not engage in the practice as an RN, with or without compensation, as defined in the Maryland Nurse Practice Act ("the Act"), Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. §§ 8-101 *et seq.* (2021 Repl. Vol.) and the Board's regulations, Code of Maryland Regulations ("COMAR") 10.27.01 *et seq.* In other words, I understand that, as of the effective date of this Permanent Voluntary Surrender, I am in the same position as an unlicensed individual.

I understand that this Permanent Voluntary Surrender shall become a **PUBLIC RECORD** and shall become effective on the date of the Board's acceptance of the Permanent Voluntary Surrender. I understand and agree that this Permanent Voluntary Surrender may be released or published by the Board as a final decision and order, on the Board's website and as otherwise permitted, under the Public Information Act, Md. Code Ann., Gen. Prov. §§ 4-101 *et. seq.* (2019). I expressly consent to the publication of this Permanent Voluntary Surrender, including any and all information that is protected from disclosure under federal and state law.

On or about July 9, 2019, I submitted an online Maryland Application for Endorsement for RN ("RN Endorsement Application") to the Maryland Board of Nursing (the "Board") and indicated that I graduated from a basic nursing education program with an associate's degree located in Lauderdale Lakes, Florida (the "RN School") on October 28, 2017. On or about April 4, 2022, I submitted an online Maryland Application for Endorsement for RN ("Second RN Endorsement Application") and indicated that I graduated from a basic nursing education program with a baccalaureate in nursing located in Phoenix, Arizona (the "BSN School") on July 11, 2021. On both the RN Endorsement Application and the Second RN Endorsement Application I affirmed and agreed to the following statement, "I affirm that the contents of this document are accurate to the best of

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my knowledge” and that “providing false or misleading information may result in disciplinary action by the Board.”

When I registered to take the NCLEX-RN exam, I indicated that I attended the RN School and that I graduated in October 2017.

In my written response to the Board’s request for information, I stated I attended the RN School from September 2016 to October 2017 and attended the BSN School from March 23, 2020 to July 11, 2021. When asked if I “attend[ed] any clinicals in person as part of [her] nursing education program(s)” I checked “yes.” The next question asked me to “list all of the courses for which [I] received clinical experience.” I reported that I received clinical experience for “professional capstone and practicum” from the BSN School. I further reported that at my LPN School, I completed a gerontology clinical, advanced skill clinical, maternal newborn nursing clinic, mental health/illness clinical, and pediatric nursing clinical. I did not list any clinicals from the RN School.

My Official Transcript from the RN School indicates that I attended the RN School from September 2016 to October 2017, and completed clinicals.

During my interview with the Board’s investigator I stated that I completed the LPN to RN program at the RN School in just three months. I further stated that I went to Florida for classes for three days per month, for three months – I completed the LPN to RN program in nine days. I also admitted that I did not complete any clinicals during the RN program, I did “lab settings” in the classroom during the nine days mixed with lectures.

On March 28, 2023, the Board issued an Order for Summary Suspension of Registered Nurse License (“Order for Summary Suspension”), pursuant to Section 10-226 (c)(2) of the Administrative Procedure Act, which ordered the immediate suspension of my RN license.

On May 2, 2023, the Board issued a Notice of Agency Action - Charges Under the Maryland Nurse Practice Act (“Charges”), charging my RN license with violations under Health Occ. § 8-316 (a).

On or about May 15, 2023, I filed a timely request for hearing on the summary suspension and pending charges.

In lieu of proceeding to an evidentiary hearing on the Charges and Summary Suspension, I agree to the **PERMANENT VOLUNTARY SURRENDER** of my RN license. I understand that if an evidentiary hearing were to be held, the Board would have sufficient evidence to prove by a preponderance of evidence the Investigative Findings in the Order for Summary Suspension and the Allegations of Fact in the Charges and the following violations under Health Occ. § 8-316 (a): (30) (“Violates regulations adopted by

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the Board or an order from the Board”) with underlying violations of COMAR 10.27.01.10.A (“An applicant licensed to practice registered nursing or practical nursing in another state, territory, or country is eligible for licensure without examination if the applicant:”) (3) (“Submits the following verifications directly to the Board from the appropriate authority:”) (a) (“That at the time that applicant graduated from the nursing education program, it was approved as a registered nursing or licensed practical nursing education program in that state, territory, or country;”) and (b) (“That the applicant meet the educational qualifications of this State at the time of the applicant's graduation from the nursing education program”).¹

I further understand that the Board would have sufficient evidence to conclude as a matter of law that I violated the Act and to sanction my RN license accordingly pursuant to Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. §§ 8-316 and COMAR 10.27.26.

I understand in executing this Permanent Voluntary Surrender, I am waiving the right, now and in the future, to any evidentiary hearing at which I would have the right to counsel, to confront witnesses, to give testimony, to call witnesses on my own behalf, and to contest the facts summarized in this Permanent Voluntary Surrender, and at which I would have the right to all other substantive and procedural protections provided by law, including the right to appeal.

In executing this agreement to permanently surrender my RN license, I agree that I will never be eligible for reinstatement of my RN license, license number **R254836**, in the State of Maryland. I agree and understand that if I ever decide to re-apply for licensure as an RN in Maryland, I will approach the Board in the same posture as an unlicensed individual applying for initial RN licensure. I understand that it will be my burden, as an applicant for licensure, to demonstrate that I meet all the Board’s requirements for issuance of an initial license that exists at the time I apply and that I am fit for RN licensure in Maryland.

I agree and understand that, in considering whether to grant any future application for licensure, the Board may review my entire Board file, including any information that the Board receives after execution of this document, and require me to undergo medical, psychological, and/or psychiatric evaluations and drug and alcohol testing to determine my fitness to receive a license. I understand that the Board is not required to grant me a new RN license.

I acknowledge that I may not rescind this Permanent Voluntary Surrender in part or in its entirety for any reason whatsoever. I fully understand the nature and effect of both the Board’s actions and this Permanent Voluntary Surrender. Finally, I wish to make clear

¹ In its discretion, the Board dismissed the other charges against my RN cited in the March 28, 2023 Charges.

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that I have had an opportunity to discuss this matter with legal counsel and that I willingly, knowingly, and voluntarily sign this Permanent Voluntary Surrender.

Sincerely,

Marie Tervil
Marie Tervil


7/21/23
Date

NOTARIZATION

STATE OF Maryland

COUNTY OF Prince George

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 21 day of July, 2023, before me, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland of the County afore-said, personally appeared Marie Tervil and declared and affirmed under penalties of perjury that signing the foregoing **Permanent Voluntary Surrender** was the voluntary act and deed of Marie Tervil.

 **CLAUDIA MINAYA
NOTARY PUBLIC
Prince George's County
MARYLAND**

C. Minaya
Notary Public

My commission expires:

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 08/18/25

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ACCEPTANCE

ON BEHALF OF THE MARYLAND BOARD OF NURSING, on this 22 day of August, 2023, MARIE TERVIL'S PERMANENT VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of her Registered Nurse license, License Number R254836, in the State of Maryland, is hereby accepted.

Gary N. Hicks, MS, RN, CEN, CNE
The Board President's Signature
Appears on the Original Document

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