# MINUTES OF THE INDIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

on Thursday, September 5, 2024 at 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

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## **Administrative Law Judge:**

Angela Morris, MSN, RN

# **Advisory Counsel:**

Jill Haddad Clarence Leatherbury

#### **PLA Staff**:

Audrea Racine Catherine Briney Toni Herron Rebecca Tinsley Nick Hart Elizabeth Walker

#### **Court Reporter:**

Meredith Sargent

# I. Probation Withdrawals (8:30 a.m.)

1. In the Matter of the License of Taylor Knox, 27080243A Administrative Cause No. 2022 NB 0150

DAG: None

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN, Alyssa Hamilton with ISNAP

Exhibit(s): None

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

2. In the Matter of the License of Tiffany Roberts, 28209707A Administrative Cause No. 2018 NB 0031

DAG: None

Respondent: present with counsel Lorie Brown

Witness(es): Respondent, Alyssa Hamilton with ISNAP

Exhibit(s): Respondent's Exhibit D (CE certificates), Respondent's Exhibit A (Letter from Respondent's supervisor), Respondent's Exhibit B (Letter from Respondent's sponsor), Respondent's Exhibit C (Drug screen)

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

3. In the Matter of the License of Tracy Hearn, 28166702A

Administrative Cause No. 2011 NB 0354

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent

Exhibit(s): State's Exhibit 1 (PLA affidavit), State's Exhibit 2 (ISNAP email), Respondent's Exhibits

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The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

4. In the Matter of the License of Terry Riley, 27037752A

Administrative Cause No. 2021 NB 0052

DAG: None

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN

Exhibit(s): None

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

5. In the Matter of the License of John Gross, 27080798A

Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0146

DAG: None

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN

Exhibit(s): None

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

6. In the Matter of the License of Sarah Tallo, 28236030A

Administrative Cause No. 2021 NB 0048

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present with counsel Lorie Brown

Witness(es): Respondent, Alyssa Hamilton with ISNAP

Exhibit(s): Respondent's Exhibit D and E (Healthy Living Plan and ISNAP successful discharge letter),

Respondent's Exhibit F (CEs) Respondent's Exhibit A (Letter from Respondent's supervisor),

Respondent's Exhibit B (Letter from Respondent's psychiatrist), Respondent's Exhibit C (Letter from

Respondent's therapist), State's Exhibits 1&2

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

7. In the Matter of the License of Beth Parsons, 28124164A

Administrative Cause No. 2016 NB 0265

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present and not comfortable proceeding without counsel

Respondent requested a continuance to obtain counsel. The ALJ granted that request.

8. In the Matter of the License of Kristin Wagoner, 28226622A

Administrative Cause No. 2019 NB 0205

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN

Exhibit(s): Respondent's Exhibit A&B (Criminal probation successful discharge letters), State's Exhibit 1 (PLA affidavit), State's Exhibit B (ISNAP email), State's Exhibit C (Criminal probation successful discharge letter)

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

#### Probation Withdrawals and Reinstatements (10:30 a.m.)

9. In the Matter of the License of Jamie Lantz, 28150480A

Administrative Cause No. 2018 NB 0330

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present with counsel Kevin Willis

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN, Toni Herron with ISBN, Alyssa Hamilton with

ISNAP, Tracy Traut with ISNAP

Exhibit(s): Respondent's Exhibits B, C, D, E, State's Exhibit 1 (PLA affidavit)

The ALJ recommended denial of probation withdrawal.

10. In the Matter of the License of Casey Elliott, 28193475A

Administrative Cause No. 2018 NB 0206

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN, Alyssa Hamilton with ISNAP

Exhibit(s): Respondent's Exhibit A (Quarterly report), Respondent's Exhibit B (Refresher course

information), State's Exhibits 1-3

The ALJ recommended reinstatement of Respondent's license on indefinite probation for no less than 3 years and must complete RMA prior to petitioning. Must be in full RMA compliance for no less than 6 months prior to seeking nursing employment. Keep the board apprised of her info/employer info, maintain full RMA compliance. Signed board orders, quarterly reports. 1 year of active nursing practice prior to petitioning for probation withdrawal. Self-reports if not working. Report relapses and convictions to Board within 3 days. Compliance with all statutes and rules related to nursing. No home health, hospice, no unsupervised practice. No supervisory positions for first year of working.

11. In the Matter of the License of Casey Guzman, 27067143A Administrative Cause No. 2020 NB 0195

Respondent failed to appear. Reschedule.

12. In the Matter of the License of Jessie Riggle, 28280516A

Administrative Cause No. 2023 NB 0004

DAG: None

Respondent: present with counsel Adriana Zeljkovic

Witness(es): Respondent

# Exhibit(s): Respondent's Exhibit A

The ALJ recommended probation withdrawal.

13. In the Matter of the License of Kenna Birch, 28116601A

Administrative Cause No. 2011 NB 0436

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel.

Witness(es): Audrea Racine with ISBN, Alyssa Hamilton with ISNAP

Exhibit(s): Respondent's Exhibit A (Reference Letter), Respondent's Exhibit B (Refresher lab),

Respondent's Exhibit C (Refresher skills component), Respondent's Exhibit D (Letter from sponsor),

State's Exhibits 1-4

The ALJ recommended denial of reinstatement. Must maintain RMA compliance, successfully complete NCLEX refresher course with predictor or greenlight, and take and pass NCLEX.

14. In the Matter of the License of Melinda Wood, 28152038A

Administrative Cause No. 2018 NB 0070

DAG: Autumn Murphy

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN

Exhibit(s): State's Exhibit 1 (PLA affidavit)

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.

15. In the Matter of the License of Rashanna Williams, 28224548A

Administrative Cause No. 2021 NB 0230

DAG: None

Respondent: present and comfortable proceeding without counsel

Witness(es): Respondent, Audrea Racine with ISBN

Exhibit(s): None

The ALJ recommended withdrawal of probation.