

**BEFORE THE OREGON
STATE BOARD OF NURSING**

In the Matter of) **STIPULATED ORDER FOR**
Kara Scoville, CNA) **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER**
)
Certificate No. 200312267CNA) **Reference No. 16-01182**

The Oregon State Board of Nursing (Board) is the state agency responsible for licensing, regulating and disciplining certain health care providers, including Certified Nursing Assistants. Kara Scoville (CNA) was issued a Nursing Assistant Certificate by the Board on July 30, 2003.

On or about January 26, 2016, the Board received information alleging Certified Nursing Assistant Kara Scoville was caught on camera taking money from a locker that did not belong to her at her workplace. CNA acknowledged that it was not her locker and not her money. The Board opened an investigation.

By the above actions, CNA is subject to discipline pursuant to ORS 678.442(2)(d)(f) and OAR 851-063-0090(8)(j), which read as follows:

ORS 678.442 Certification of nursing assistants; rules. (1) The Oregon State Board of Nursing shall establish standards for certifying and shall certify as a nursing assistant any person who:

(2) In the manner prescribed in ORS chapter 183, the board may revoke or suspend a certificate issued under this section or may reprimand a nursing assistant for the following reasons:

- (d) Violation of any provisions of ORS 678.010 to 678.448 or rules adopted thereunder.
- (f) Conduct unbecoming a nursing assistant in the performance of duties.

OAR 851-063-0090 Conduct Unbecoming a Nursing Assistant. A CNA, regardless of job location, responsibilities, or use of the title "CNA," whose behavior fails to conform to the legal standard and accepted standards of the nursing assistant profession, or who may adversely affect the health, safety or welfare of the public, may be found guilty of conduct unbecoming a nursing assistant. Such conduct includes but is not limited to:

(8) Conduct related to other federal or state statutes/rule violations:

- (j) Unauthorized removal or attempted removal of any drugs, supplies, property, or money from any person or setting;

CNA wishes to cooperate with the Board in this matter and voluntarily surrender her Nursing Assistant certificate.

Therefore, the following will be proposed to the Oregon State Board of Nursing and is agreed to by CNA:

That the voluntary surrender of the Nursing Assistant certificate of Kara Scoville be accepted. If, after a minimum of three years, Ms. Scoville wishes to reinstate her Nursing Assistant certificate, she may submit an application to the Board to request reinstatement.

CNA agrees that she will not practice as a Nursing Assistant from the date she signs this Order.

CNA understands that this Order will be submitted to the Board of Nursing for its approval and is subject to the Board's confirmation.

CNA understands that by signing this Stipulated Order, she waives the right to an administrative hearing under ORS 183.310 to 183.540, and to any judicial review or appeal thereof. CNA acknowledges that no promises, representations, duress or coercion have been used to induce her to sign this Order.

CNA understands that this Order is a document of public record.

CNA has read this Stipulated Order, understands this Order completely, and freely signs this Stipulated Order for Voluntary Surrender.

Kara Scoville, CNA

Date

ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED:

BOARD OF NURSING FOR THE STATE OF OREGON

Bonnie Kostelecky, MS, MPA, RN
Board President

Date