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SANDRA A BLAIS  
25 Quaker Drive  
Apt. 606  
WEST WARWICK RI 02893

In the Matter of C15-1260

Dear SANDRA A BLAIS:

The Rhode Island Department of Health (hereinafter "Department") has received your signature as agreement with the terms of the enclosed Consent Order, which has now been signed by the [Department or Board] and hereby constitutes an action of the Department.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Arlene Hartwell".

Arlene Hartwell  
Board Manager  
Center for Professional Boards and Commissions

Enclosure

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

Department of Health  
Office of Health Professional Regulation

vs.

Complaint No.: C15-1260  
Licensee No.: NA00348SANDRA A BLAIS

### CONSENT ORDER

Pursuant to 23-17.9 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated there under, the Rhode Island Department of Health (hereinafter the "Department"), and the Nursing Assistant Advisory Board (hereinafter the "Board"), has investigated a complaint charging SANDRA A BLAIS, NA00348 (hereinafter the "Respondent") with a violation of RIGL §23-17.9.

After review and consideration by the Department and the Board with respect to the allegations of unprofessional conduct of the Respondent, the following are and shall constitute

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### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent is a Nursing Assistant licensed to practice in the State of Rhode Island under Nursing Assistant License Number, NA00348.
2. At all times relevant hereto, Respondent was employed by Nursing Placement, 334 East Avenue, Pawtucket, RI.
3. That on or about 11/02/2015 Respondent Stole jewelry and cash from a client in her care.
4. That the conduct described in paragraph three (3) herein constitutes unprofessional conduct pursuant to 23-17.9 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated there under.
5. That the Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of the Department and hereby agrees to remain under the jurisdiction of the Department.
6. That the Respondent has read this Consent Order and understands this Consent Order shall become binding once signed by the Respondent and the Department and/or Board.
7. That the Respondent understands the purpose of this Consent Order is solely to resolve the complaint of unprofessional conduct alleged against the Respondent.
8. That the Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:

- a. The right to have an Administrative Hearing on this matter;
- b. The right to represent himself/herself or be represented by an Attorney of Respondent's own choosing at said hearing;
- c. The right to present testimony, evidence and witnesses on Respondent's behalf;
- d. The right to cross-examine witnesses presented by the Department;
- e. The right to further procedural steps except for those specifically contained herein;
- f. The right to take an appeal from the terms of this Consent Order.

ACCORDINGLY AND BASED ON THE FOREGOING

The Rhode Island Department of Health and the Respondent hereby agree to the following disposition of this complaint:

1. That Respondent is hereby issued the sanction of a suspension of her nursing assistant licenses for a period of 3 years.
2. That this Order shall become part of a public record of this proceeding.

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*Sandra A. Blais cna NA00348*

SANDRA A BLAIS  
NA00348

*Sarah*

Sarah Harrigan, Chief of the Center for  
Professional Boards and Commissions

Date: 6/24/2016

Date: 6/29/16

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