

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH :
HEALTH SERVICES REGULATION :
BOARD OF PHARMACY :

vs. :

Racha Al-Amir, RPh
(RPh 04788)

CONSENT ORDER

Pursuant to Rhode Island General Laws (1999 Reenactment) Section 5-19.1-21 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder, the Department of Health, Board of Pharmacy (hereinafter "Department") has investigated a complaint charging Racha Al-Amir, R.Ph., (hereinafter "Respondent") with a violation of Chapter 5-19.1 and the Rules and Regulations promulgated there under.

After consideration by the Department, the following constitutes the Findings of Fact with respect to the professional performance of the Respondent.

1. Respondent is a pharmacist licensed to practice pharmacy in the State of Rhode Island.
2. That on or about January 23, 2009, respondent left the Wal-Mart Pharmacy, 1776 Plainfield Pike, Cranston, RI unsecured and unsupervised for a period of time to run a personal errand.
3. That the conduct described in paragraph two (2) constitutes unprofessional conduct as defined in Section 5-19.1-21 and Section 24.1(11) of the Rules and Regulations promulgated thereunder.

The parties agree as follows:

1. Respondent is a pharmacist registered to practice pharmacy in the State of Rhode Island.
2. Respondent admits to the jurisdiction of the Department and hereby agrees to remain under jurisdiction of the Department.

3. Respondent has read this Consent Order and understands that it is a proposal of the Department and is subject to the final approval by the Department. This Consent Order and the contents thereof are not binding on Respondent until final approval by the Department.
4. Respondent hereby acknowledges and waives:
 - a) The right to appear personally or by counsel or both before the Department;
 - b) The right to produce witnesses and evidence in her behalf at a hearing;
 - c) The right to cross-examine witnesses;
 - d) The right to have subpoenas issued by the Department;
 - e) The right to further procedural steps except for those specifically contained herein;
 - f) Any and all rights of appeal of this Consent Order;
 - g) Any objection to the fact that this Consent Order will be presented to the Department for consideration and review;
 - h) Any objection to the fact that it will be necessary for the Department to become acquainted with all evidence pertaining to this matter in order to adequately review this Consent Order;
 - i) Any objection to the fact that potential bias against the Respondent may occur as a result of the presentation of this Consent Order to the Department.
5. This Consent Order shall become part of the public record of this proceeding once it is accepted by all parties.
6. Respondent admits the allegations contained above.
7. Respondent shall agree to a formal Reprimand as a sanction regarding this matter.
8. That this Consent Order shall constitute a final disposition of the matters and obviates the necessity for an administrative hearing.


Racha Al-Amir


Chairperson
Board of Pharmacy

Ratified as an Order of the Board of Pharmacy this 28 day of October 2009

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the within Consent Order was mailed by certified mail to Racha Al-Amir,
546 Central Ave., Pawtucket RI 02861 on this 28 day of October 2009
