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Department of Health

STATE OF FLORIDA  
BOARD OF NURSING

By: Angela Sanders  
Deputy Agency Clerk

STEPHANEY CHRISTIE,

Petitioner,

vs.

DOAH Case No.: 15-7256

BOARD OF NURSING,

Respondent.

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DIVISION OF  
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HEARINGS

FINAL ORDER

THIS CAUSE came before the Board of Nursing pursuant to Sections 120.569 and 120.57(1), Florida Statutes, on June 2, 2016, in Jacksonville, Florida, for the purpose of considering the Administrative Law Judge's Recommended Order, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, in the above-styled cause. Petitioner was not present and was not represented by counsel. Respondent was represented by Lee Ann Gustafson, Esquire.

Upon review of the Recommended Order, Respondent's Exceptions to Recommended Order, the argument of the parties, and after a review of the complete record in this case, the Board makes the following findings and conclusions.

EXCEPTION

Respondent's exception to paragraph 21 of the Recommended Order is accepted.

Paragraph 21 of the Recommended Order is REJECTED.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. The findings of fact set forth in the Recommended Order are approved and adopted and incorporated herein by reference.

2. There is competent substantial evidence to support the findings of fact.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. The Board has jurisdiction of this matter pursuant to Section 120.57(1), Florida Statutes, and Chapter 464, Florida Statutes.

2. The conclusions of law set forth in the Recommended Order, with the exception of paragraph 21, are approved and adopted and incorporated herein by reference.

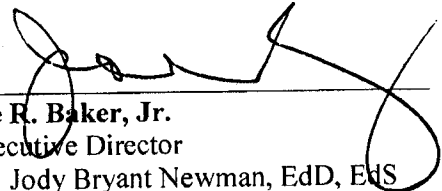
DISPOSITION

Upon a complete review of the record in this case, the Board determines that the disposition recommended by the Administrative Law Judge be ACCEPTED.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that Stephaney Christie's application for licensure as a certified nursing assistant by examination is granted.

DONE AND ORDERED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016.

BOARD OF NURSING

  
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**Joe R. Baker, Jr.**  
Executive Director  
for Jody Bryant Newman, EdD, EdS

**NOTICE OF RIGHT TO JUDICIAL REVIEW**

**A PARTY WHO IS ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY THIS FINAL ORDER IS ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW PURSUANT TO SECTION 120.68, FLORIDA STATUTES. REVIEW PROCEEDINGS ARE GOVERNED BY THE FLORIDA RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE. SUCH PROCEEDINGS ARE COMMENCED BY FILING ONE COPY OF A NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE AGENCY CLERK OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND A SECOND COPY, ACCOMPANIED BY FILING FEES PRESCRIBED BY LAW, WITH THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST DISTRICT, OR WITH THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL IN THE APPELLATE DISTRICT WHERE THE PARTY RESIDES. THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE FILED WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF RENDITION OF THE ORDER TO BE REVIEWED.**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I **HEREBY CERTIFY** that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Final Order has been provided by U.S. Mail to **Petitioner, Steponey Christie**, 4759 Via Palm Lakes, Apartment 301, West Palm Beach, Florida 33417, **The Honorable Mary Li Creasy**, Administrative Law Judge, Division of Administrative Hearings, The DeSoto Building, 1230 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3060; to **Lee Ann Gustafson, Esquire**, Department of Legal Affairs, by email at LeeAnn.Gustafson@myfloridalegal.com; and to **Nichole Geary, Esquire**, Office of General Counsel, Department of Health, by email at Nichole.geary@flhealth.gov.

THIS 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016.

  
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