

STATE OF INDIANA,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 v.)
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 BETH ANN VISCHÉ, L.P.N.,)
 License Number: 27032707)
)
 Respondent.)

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**HEALTH PROFESSIONS
BUREAU**

NOTICE OF PROPOSED DEFAULT

A disciplinary hearing was scheduled to be held on February 15, 2001, before the Indiana State Board of Nursing ("Board") in Room C of the Conference Center, Indiana Government Center South, 302 West Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, 46204 to determine whether to impose discipline on the nursing license of Beth Ann Vische, L.P.N. ("Respondent").

The State of Indiana was represented by Georgeanna Orlich, Deputy Attorney General. Respondent was not present and was not represented by counsel.

The Board, after taking official notice of its file in this matter and pursuant to Indiana Code § 4-21.5-3-24, by a vote of 7-0-0, issues a Notice of Proposed Default Order on the following grounds:

1. Respondent's address on file with the Bureau is 7825 Tecumseh, Walkerton, Indiana 46574.
2. Respondent is a duly licensed registered nurse in the State of Indiana having been issued license number 27032707.

3. On October 18, 2000, the State filed a Complaint against Respondent's license to practice nursing alleging Respondent's conviction of two Class D Felonies including Theft and Possession of a Legend Drug constitutes a violation of Indiana Code warranting disciplinary sanction.

4. On January 26, 2001, the Health Professions Bureau sent a notice to Respondent, by certified mail to her address at 7825 Tecumseh, Walkerton, Indiana 46574 of the date, time and location of the evidentiary hearing scheduled for February 15, 2001. Said notice was returned by the U.S. Postal Service signed by the Respondent.

5. On February 15, 2001, Respondent failed to appear in person or by counsel at the disciplinary hearing and the Board issued Notice of Proposed Default.

6. Pursuant to Indiana Code § 4-21.5-3-20, Respondent was provided adequate notice of the hearing date and failed to appear for the scheduled hearing on February 15, 2001.

For Respondent's failure to appear for her scheduled hearing date, the Board issues this Notice of Proposed Default.

In accordance with Indiana Code § 4-21.5-3-24, Respondent must file a written motion within seven days of service of this order requesting that the Board not enter a default order in this case and stating the reasons relied upon for her request. Failure of Respondent to file such a written motion within seven days shall result in the issuance of a default order. If Respondent timely files a motion, the Board shall consider said motion along with any other relevant facts in determining whether a default order should be entered. Should a default order be entered against Respondent, the Board may hold

further proceedings it deems appropriate to complete this case without the participation of Respondent.

SO ORDERED, this 20th day of February, 2001.

INDIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By: 

Beth Anne Compton
Executive Director
Health Professions Bureau

Copies to:

Beth Ann Vische, L.P.N.

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SENT CERTIFIED MAIL #: 7099 3400 0006 4114 4255

RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

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