WHEREAS, Nancy Korbel, R.N., (“Licensee”), is licenced to practice as a Registered Nurse in the State of South Dakota and holds license number R-030175; and

WHEREAS, on February 7, 2007, the South Dakota Board of Nursing, (“Board”), accepted a Voluntary Surrender Consent Order, signed by said Licensee on January 29, 2007, and said Voluntary Surrender Consent Order suspended the Licensee’s R.N. license for an indefinite period subject to a reinstatement request pursuant to SDCL § 36-9-57, as the Board in its discretion may determine; and

WHEREAS, the Licensee made a reinstatement request, in writing, dated July 27, 2007, and personally appeared before the Board on September 11, 2007, at which time the matter of Licensee’s reinstatement was presented to the Board. The Licensee presented documentation, including a report on her participation with HPAP, her evaluations, documentation of the outcome of her criminal proceedings and terms of probation, and letters of recommendation. Licensee also answered questions of the Board; and
WHEREAS, the Board has considered the Licensee’s request, the documents submitted, and Licensee’s own testimony and being fully advised in the premises;

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. That the Board has jurisdiction over the person of the Licensee and the subject matter of this Order.

2. That the Licensee’s license to practice as a Registered Nurse in the State of South Dakota shall be reinstated and placed on probationary status for sixty (60) months of active practice as a registered nurse or employment as a registered nurse. Probationary terms and monitoring conditions, as well as clearance to return to employment, shall be set by the Health Professionals Assistance Program (“HPAP”) and the Licensee shall fully comply with these terms and conditions. After verification from the HPAP that the Licensee has completed all monitoring terms during this probationary period, the Licensee may petition the Board for closure of the probation period. Licensee is not entitled to early closure of probation. The duration of terms of probation as set by the HPAP shall not be less than the initial term of sixty (60) months.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above Reinstatement Order was adopted by the South Dakota Board of Nursing on the 11th day of September, 2007, by a vote of _________ 10-0 _________.

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

Gloria Damgaard, Executive Director