



SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

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Trisha A. Parkhurst
925 Nebraska Ave. SW
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Dear Ms. Parkhurst:

The South Dakota Board of Nursing considered your request to apply for licensure by examination as a registered nurse at the April 1, 2011, Board meeting held in Sioux Falls, SD. You were required to personally appear before the Board to make this request due to your prior criminal history.

The Board made a decision to deny your application for licensure by examination pursuant to SDCL 36-9-49 and 36-9-31. This will also mean that the Board will not make you eligible to take the licensing exam as you are not eligible for licensure in South Dakota. I understand that you were told that you could take the examination even though you did not qualify for a license. The Board has since revised their motion to deny in total your request to be licensed by examination. I apologize for any confusion that this may have caused for you.

If I can provide additional information or assistance, please contact me at the Board office.

Sincerely,

Gloria Damgaard, RN;MS
Executive Director