SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSURE PROCEEDINGS

RE: BAILEY CUMMINGS, RN

License No. R047467,

Licensee.

WHEREAS, Bailey Cummings (Licensee), is licensed to practice as a registered nurse in the State of South Dakota and holds license number R047467;

WHEREAS, the Board entered an order for Probation with Mandated Participation in the Health Professionals Assistance Program (HPAP) in September 2018, in part based on a similar order for probation from the State of Wyoming;

WHEREAS, the State of Wyoming has discharged Licensee from probation, and Licensee has requested that the South Dakota Board of Nursing enter an Order releasing him from his probation but continuing his mandated participation in HPAP;

WHEREAS, HPAP program personnel support Licensee’s request; and

WHEREAS, the Board considered Licensee’s request during its April 16, 2020 meeting and, by a vote of [1] to [0], granted the request to close Licensee’s probation but continue its order mandating Licensee participate in the Health Professionals Assistance Program (HPAP).

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. The Board has jurisdiction over the person of the Licensee and the subject matter of this Order.
2. The terms and conditions imposed on Licensee’s license are removed and any probation is hereby officially closed.

3. Licensee shall hereafter have an unencumbered License.

4. The Order mandating Licensee’s participation in the Health Professionals Assistance Program (HPAP) is continued until further Order.

Dated this 18th day of April, 2020.

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

[Signature]

Gloria Damgaard, RN, MS
Executive Director