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8 **BEFORE THE**  
9 **BOARD OF PHARMACY**  
10 **DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS**  
11 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

11 In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. 6125

12 **SHANNAN NOEL DORRIS**  
13 1440 Primrose Street  
Upland, CA 91786

**A C C U S A T I O N**

14 Pharmacy Technician Registration  
15 No. TCH 122148

16 Respondent.

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18 Complainant alleges:

19 **PARTIES**

- 20 1. Virginia Herold (Complainant) brings this Accusation solely in her official capacity as  
21 the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs (Board).  
22 2. On or about March 27, 2012, the Board issued Pharmacy Technician Registration No.  
23 TCH 122148 to Shannan Noel Dorris (Respondent). The Pharmacy Technician Registration was  
24 in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on July 31,  
25 2019, unless renewed.

26 **JURISDICTION**

- 27 3. This Accusation is brought before the Board under the authority of the following laws.  
28 All section references are to the Business and Professions Code unless otherwise indicated.



1 substances or of a violation of the statutes of this state regulating controlled substances or  
2 dangerous drugs shall be conclusive evidence of unprofessional conduct. In all other cases, the  
3 record of conviction shall be conclusive evidence only of the fact that the conviction occurred. The  
4 board may inquire into the circumstances surrounding the commission of the crime, in order to fix  
5 the degree of discipline or, in the case of a conviction not involving controlled substances or  
6 dangerous drugs, to determine if the conviction is of an offense substantially related to the  
7 qualifications, functions, and duties of a licensee under this chapter. A plea or verdict of guilty or a  
8 conviction following a plea of nolo contendere is deemed to be a conviction within the meaning of  
9 this provision. The board may take action when the time for appeal has elapsed, or the judgment of  
10 conviction has been affirmed on appeal or when an order granting probation is made suspending  
11 the imposition of sentence, irrespective of a subsequent order under Section 1203.4 of the Penal  
12 Code allowing the person to withdraw his or her plea of guilty and to enter a plea of not guilty, or  
13 setting aside the verdict of guilty, or dismissing the accusation, information, or indictment.”

#### 14 REGULATORY PROVISIONS

15 8. California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 1770, states:

16 "For the purpose of denial, suspension, or revocation of a personal or facility license  
17 pursuant to Division 1.5 (commencing with Section 475) of the Business and Professions Code, a  
18 crime or act shall be considered substantially related to the qualifications, functions or duties of a  
19 licensee or registrant if to a substantial degree it evidences present or potential unfitness of a  
20 licensee or registrant to perform the functions authorized by his license or registration in a manner  
21 consistent with the public health, safety, or welfare."

#### 22 COST RECOVERY

23 9. Section 125.3 provides, in pertinent part, that the Board may request the  
24 administrative law judge to direct a licentiate found to have committed a violation or violations of  
25 the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and  
26 enforcement of the case, with failure of the licentiate to comply subjecting the license to not being  
27 renewed or reinstated. If a case settles, recovery of investigation and enforcement costs may be  
28 included in a stipulated settlement.



1 asked if she had consumed any alcohol or drugs prior to the accident, Respondent stated she was  
2 currently using a Fentanyl patch and denied any other drugs use. Respondent submitted to a series  
3 of field sobriety tests which she was unable to complete as indicated. Respondent later admitted to  
4 taking 4 pills, 4 mg each, of Dilaudid, and 2 mg of Xanax earlier that morning. During the  
5 booking procedure Respondent provide a sample of blood that tested positive for Alprazolam,  
6 Fentanyl, Hydromorphone, Cyclobenzaprine, Cyclobenzaprine metabolite, Trazodone, and  
7 Trazodone metabolite.

8 **SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE**

9 **(Dangerous Use of Dangerous Drug and/or Controlled Substance)**

10 12. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 4301, subdivision (h), on the  
11 grounds of unprofessional conduct, in that, on or about March 26, 2016, Respondent used a  
12 dangerous drug and/or controlled substance to an extent or in a manner dangerous or injurious to  
13 herself, any person, or the public. Complainant refers to, and by this reference incorporates, the  
14 allegations set forth above in paragraph 11, subparagraph (b), as though fully set forth herein.

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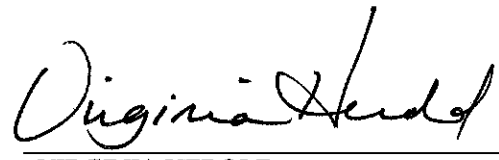
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PRAYER

WHEREFORE, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged, and that following the hearing, the Board of Pharmacy issue a decision:

1. Revoking or suspending Pharmacy Technician Registration Number TCH 122148, issued to Shannan Noel Dorris;
2. Ordering Shannan Noel Dorris to pay the Board of Pharmacy the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 125.3; and,
3. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

DATED: 8/7/17



VIRGINIA HEROLD  
Executive Officer  
Board of Pharmacy  
Department of Consumer Affairs  
State of California  
*Complainant*

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