Professions Code section 4100, is required to be reported and maintained with the Board.

Respondent's address of record was and is:

803 Knights Circle Vallejo, CA 94591.

- 4. Service of the Petition to Revoke Probation was effective as a matter of law under the provisions of Government Code section 11505, subdivision (c) and/or Business & Professions Code section 124.
 - 5. Government Code section 11506 states, in pertinent part:
 - (c) The respondent shall be entitled to a hearing on the merits if the respondent files a notice of defense, and the notice shall be deemed a specific denial of all parts of the accusation not expressly admitted. Failure to file a notice of defense shall constitute a waiver of respondent's right to a hearing, but the agency in its discretion may nevertheless grant a hearing.
- 6. Respondent failed to file a Notice of Defense within 15 days after service upon him of the Petition to Revoke Probation, and therefore waived his right to a hearing on the merits of Petition to Revoke Probation No. 4247.
 - 7. California Government Code section 11520 states, in pertinent part:
 - (a) If the respondent either fails to file a notice of defense or to appear at the hearing, the agency may take action based upon the respondent's express admissions or upon other evidence and affidavits may be used as evidence without any notice to respondent.
- 8. Pursuant to its authority under Government Code section 11520, the Board finds Respondent is in default. The Board will take action without further hearing and, based on the relevant evidence contained in the Default Decision Evidence Packet in this matter, as well as taking official notice of all the investigatory reports, exhibits and statements contained therein on file at the Board's offices regarding the allegations contained in Petition to Revoke Probation No. 4247, finds that the charges and allegations in Petition to Revoke Probation No. 4247 are separately and severally found to be true and correct by clear and convincing evidence.

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1	9.	Taking official notice of its own internal records, pursuant to Business and			
2	Professions Code section 125.3, it is hereby determined that the reasonable costs for Investigation				
3	and Enforcement are \$1,680.00 as of August 13, 2012.				
4		DETERMINATION OF ISSUES			
5	1.	Based on the foregoing findings of fact, Respondent Cedric Gerard Jones has			
6	subjected his Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH 70464 to discipline.				
7	2.	The agency has jurisdiction to adjudicate this case by default.			
8	3.	The Board of Pharmacy is authorized to revoke Respondent's Pharmacy Technician			
9	License based upon the following violations alleged in the Petition to Revoke Probation which				
10	are supported by the evidence contained in the Default Decision Evidence Packet in this case:				
11	a.	Failure to report quarterly to the Board.			
12	b.	Failure to submit cost recovery payments.			
13	c.	Failure to submit proof of attendance in substance abuse program.			
14	d.	Failure to report and submit to random drug screening.			
15	e,	Failure to abstain from drug and alcohol use.			
16	f.	Failure to submit a community service program.			
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ORDER IT IS SO ORDERED that Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH 70464, heretofore issued to Respondent Cedric Gerard Jones, is revoked. Pursuant to Government Code section 11520, subdivisión (c), Respondent may serve a written motion requesting that the Decision be vacated and stating the grounds relied on within seven (7) days after service of the Decision on Respondent. The agency in its discretion may vacate the Decision and grant a hearing on a showing of good cause, as defined in the statute. This Decision shall become effective on October 15, 2012. It is so ORDERED ON September 14, 2012 **BOARD OF PHARMACY** DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA (. Wussi **Board President** DOJ Matter ID:SF2012401248

Exhibit A

Petition to Revoke Probation

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9		CONSUMER AFFAIRS CALIFORNIA				
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11	In the Matter of the Petition to Revoke Probation Against:	Case No. 4247				
12	CEDRIC GERARD JONES II					
13	803 Knights Circle Vallejo, CA 94591	PETITION TO REVOKE PROBATION				
14	Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH					
15	70464					
16	Respondent.					
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19	Complainant alleges:					
20	PAF	RTIES				
21	Virginia Herold (Complainant) bring	gs this Petition to Revoke Probation solely in her				
22	official capacity as the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy (Board), Department of					
23	Consumer Affairs.					
24	2. On or about June 2, 2008, the Board issued Original Pharmacy Technician License					
25	Number TCH 70464 to Cedric Gerard Jones II (Respondent). The License was in effect at all					
26	times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on October 31, 2013, unless renewed					
27	3. In a disciplinary action entitled "In the Matter of the Amended Accusation Against					
28	Cedric Gerard Jones II", Case No. 3610, the Board issued a Decision, effective June 22, 2011,					
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revoking Respondent's Pharmacy Technician License. Revocation was stayed and Respondent was placed on probation for a period of four (4) years with certain terms and conditions. A copy of that Decision is attached as Exhibit A and is incorporated by reference.

JURISDICTION

4. This Petition to Revoke Probation is brought before the Board under the authority of the following laws. All section references are to the Business and Professions Code (Code) unless otherwise indicated.

STATUTORY PROVISIONS

- 5. Section 4011 of the Code provides that the Board shall administer and enforce both the Pharmacy Law (Bus. & Prof. Code, § 4000 et seq.) and the Uniform Controlled Substances Act (Health & Safety Code, § 11000 et seq.).
- 6. Section 4300(a) of the Code provides that every license issued by the Board may be suspended or revoked.
- 7. Section 118(b) of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the suspension, expiration, surrender, or cancellation of a license shall not deprive the Board of jurisdiction to proceed with a disciplinary action during the period within which the license may be renewed, restored, reissued, or reinstated. Section 4402(e) of the Code provides that any non-pharmacist license issued by the Board may be canceled if not renewed within 60 days after expiration, and any license canceled in this fashion may not be reissued but will instead require a new application to seek reissuance.

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

8. In a disciplinary action entitled "In the Matter of the Amended Accusation Against Cedric Gerard Jones II", Case No. 3610, the Board issued a Decision, effective June 22, 2011, in which Respondent's Pharmacy Technician License was revoked. However, the revocation was stayed and Respondent's Pharmacy Technician License was placed on probation for four (4) years subject to certain Terms and Conditions as set forth in the Decision and Order. Those Terms and Conditions include the following: that Respondent report to the Board or its designee quarterly (Term and Condition 3); that Respondent reimburse the Board its costs of investigation and prosecution (Term and Condition 7); that Respondent attend a board-approved substance

the Board its costs of investigation and prosecution as required by Term and Condition 7 of his

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probation. Respondent has not made any payments to the Board since the beginning of his probation.

THIRD CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION

(Failure to Submit Proof of Attendance in Substance Abuse Program)

13. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 16 of that Order provided as follows:

Attend Substance Abuse Recovery Relapse Prevention and Support Groups. Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, respondent shall begin regular attendance at a recognized and established substance abuse recovery support group in California (e.g., Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, etc.) which has been approved by the board or its designee. Respondent must attend at least one group meeting per week unless otherwise directed by the board or its designee. Respondent shall continue regular attendance and submit signed and dated documentation confirming attendance with each quarterly report for the duration of probation. Failure to attend or submit documentation thereof shall be considered a violation of probation.

14. Respondent's probation is subject to revocation in that Respondent failed to submit proof of attendance at a Board-approved, recognized, and established substance abuse recovery support group in California as required by Term and Condition 16 of his probation.

FOURTH CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION

(Failure to Report and Submit to Random Drug Screening)

15. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 17 of that Order provided as follows:

Random Drug Screening. Respondent, at his own expense, shall participate in random testing, including but not limited to biological fluid testing (urine, blood), breathalyzer, hair follicle testing, or other drug screening program as directed by the board or its designee. Respondent may be required to participate in testing for the entire probation period and the frequency of testing will be determined by the board or its designee. At all times respondent shall fully cooperate with the board or its designee, and shall, when directed, submit to such tests and samples for the detection of alcohol, narcotics, hypnotics, dangerous drugs or other controlled substances as the board or its designee may direct. Failure to timely submit to testing as directed shall be considered a violation of probation. . . . Any confirmed positive test for alcohol or for any drug not lawfully prescribed by a licensed practitioner as part of a documented

1 2	medical treatment shall be considered a violation of probation and shall result in the automatic suspension of work by respondent. Respondent may not resume work as a pharmacy technician until notified by the board				
3	in writing.				
4	16. Respondent's probation is subject to revocation in that Respondent failed to				
5	comply with Term and Condition 17 of his probation by failing to report to the contracted lab				
6	services vendor for random drug screening on several dates and failing to submit to drug				
7	screening on several dates as scheduled.				
8	FIFTH CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION				
9	(Failure to Abstain from Drug and Alcohol Use)				
10	17. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation				
11	on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 20 of that Order provided as follows:				
12	Abstain from Drugs and Alcohol. Respondent shall completely abstain				
13	from the possession or use of alcohol, controlled substances, dangerous drugs and their associated paraphernalia except when the drugs are lawfully				
14	prescribed by a licensed practitioner as part of a documented medical treatment Any possession or use of alcohol, controlled substances, or				
15 16	their associated paraphernalia not supported by the documentation timely provided, and/or any physical proximity to persons using illicit substances, shall be considered a violation of probation.				
17	18. Respondent's probation is subject to revocation in that he failed to comply with				
18	Term and Condition 20 of his probation. Respondent tested positive for alcohol on July 25, 201				
19	September 15, 2011, March 22, 2012, and March 29, 2012, and he tested positive for cocaine on				
20	December 6, 2011, March 22, 2012, March 29, 2012, April 2, 2012, and April 18, 2012, through				
21	the Board's random drug screening program.				
22	SIXTH CAUSE TO REVOKE PROBATION				
	(Failure to Submit a Community Service Program)				
23	19. At all times after the effective date of the Decision and Order imposing probation				
24	on Respondent's License, Term and Condition 21 of that Order provided as follows:				
25 26	Community Services Program. Within sixty (60) days of the effective date				
27	of this decision, respondent shall submit to the board or its designee, for prior approval, a community service program in which respondent shall provide free services on a regular basis to a community or charitable facility or				
28	agency for at least forty (40) hours per year for the first three (3) years of probation. Within thirty (30) days of board approval thereof, respondent				

BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

Case No. 3610

CEDRIC GERARD JONES II 803 Knights Circle Vallejo, CA 94591

Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH 70464 Respondent.

DECISION AND ORDER

The attached Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is hereby adopted by the Board of Pharmacy, Department of Consumer Affairs, as its Decision in this matter.

This decision shall become effective on June 22, 2011.

It is so ORDERED on May 23, 2011.

BOARD OF PHARMACY DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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8	BEFORE THE				
9	BOARD OF PHARMACY DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS				
I.	STATE OF CALIFORNIA				
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1	In the Matter of the Amended Accusation Case No. 3610				
2	Against: OAH No. 2010071354				
3.	CEDRIC GERARD JONES II 803 Knights Circle STIPULATED SETTLEMENT AND				
4	Vallejo, CA 94591 DISCIPLINARY ORDER				
	Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH 70464				
5	Respondent.				
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8	IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to the above-				
9	entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:				
0	<u>PARTIES</u>				
1	1. Virginia Herold (Complainant) is the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy				
2.	(Board). She brought this action solely in ber official capacity and is represented in this matter by				
3	Kamala D. Harris, Attorney General of the State of California, and Nicholas Tsukamaki, Deputy				
.4	Attorney General,				
.5	2. Respondent Cedric Gerard Jones II (Respondent) is represented in this proceeding by				
6	attorney Frank Epstein, whose address is: 1517 Tennessee Street, Vallejo, CA 94590.				
7	3. On or about June 2, 2008, the Board issued Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH				
8	70464 to Respondent. The Pharmacy Technician License was in full force and effect at all times				

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27 28 relevant to the charges brought in Accusation No. 3610 and will expire on October 31, 2011, unless renewed.

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4. Amended Accusation No. 3610 was filed before the Board and is currently pending against Respondent. The Amended Accusation and all other statutorily required documents were properly served on Respondent on November 5, 2010. Respondent timely filed his Notice of Defense contesting the Amended Accusation. A copy of Amended Accusation No. 3610 is attached as exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference.

ADVISEMENT AND WAIVERS

- 5. Respondent has carefully read, fully discussed with counsel, and understands the charges and allegations in Amended Accusation No. 3610. Respondent has also carefully read, fully discussed with counsel, and understands the effects of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order.
- 6. Respondent is fully aware of his legal rights in this matter, including the right to a hearing on the charges and allegations in the Accusation; the right to be represented by counsel at his own expense; the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against him; the right to present evidence and to testify on his own behalf; the right to the issuance of subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents; the right to reconsideration and court review of an adverse decision; and all other rights accorded by the California Administrative Procedure Act and other applicable laws.
- 7. Respondent voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently waives and gives up each and every right set forth above.

CULPABILITY

- 8. Respondent admits the truth of each and every charge and allegation in Amended Accusation No. 3610.
- 9. Respondent agrees that his Pharmacy Technician License is subject to discipline and he agrees to be bound by the Board's probationary terms as set forth in the Disciplinary Order below.

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CONTINGENCY

- and agrees that counsel for Complainant and the staff of the Board may communicate directly with the Board regarding this stipulation and settlement without notice to or participation by Respondent or his counsel. By signing the stipulation, Respondent understands and agrees that he may not withdraw his agreement or seek to rescind the stipulation prior to the time the Board considers and acts upon it. If the Board fails to adopt this stipulation as its Decision and Order, the Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order shall be of no force or effect, except for this paragraph, it shall be inadmissible in any legal action between the parties, and the Board shall not be disqualified from forther action by having considered this matter.
- 11. The parties understand and agree that facsimile copies of this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order, including facsimile signatures thereto, shall have the same force and effect as the originals.
- 12. This Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is intended by the parties to be an integrated writing representing the complete, final, and exclusive embodiment of their agreement. It supersedes any and all prior or contemporaneous agreements, understandings, discussions, negotiations, and commitments, written or oral. This Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order may not be altered, amended, modified, supplemented, or otherwise changed except by a writing executed by an authorized representative of each of the parties.
- 13. In consideration of the foregoing admissions and stipulations, the parties agree that the Board may, without further notice or formal proceeding, issue and enter the following Disciplinary Order:

DISCIPLINARY ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH 70464 issued to Respondent Cedric Gerard Jones II (Respondent) is revoked. However, the revocation is stayed and Respondent is placed on probation for four (4) years on the following terms and conditions.

l. Certification Prior to Resuming Work

Respondent shall be automatically suspended from working as a pharmacy technician until

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27 28 he is certified as defined by Business and Professions Code section 4202(a)(4) and provides satisfactory proof of certification to the board. Respondent shall not resume working as a pharmacy technician until notified by the board. Failure to achieve certification within one (1) year shall be considered a violation of probation. Respondent shall not resume working as a pharmacy technician until notified by the board.

During suspension, respondent shall not enter any pharmacy area or any portion of any other board licensed premises (wholesaler, veterinary food-animal drug retailer or any other distributor of drugs) any drug manufacturer, or any other location where dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances are maintained. Respondent shall not do any act involving drug selection, selection of stock, manufacturing, compounding or dispensing; nor shall respondent manage, administer, or assist any licensee of the board. Respondent shall not have access to or control the ordering, manufacturing or dispensing of dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances. Respondent shall not resume work until notified by the board.

Subject to the above restrictions, respondent may continue to own or hold an interest in any licensed premises by the board in which he holds an interest at the time this decision becomes effective unless otherwise specified in this order.

Failure to comply with this suspension shall be considered a violation of probation.

Obey All Laws

Respondent shall obey all state and federal laws and regulations.

Respondent shall report any of the following occurrences to the board, in writing, within seventy-two (72) hours of such occurrence:

- an arrest or issuance of a criminal complaint for violation of any provision of the

 Pharmacy Law, state and federal food and drug laws, or state and federal controlled
 substances laws
 - a plea of guilty or nolo contendre in any state or federal criminal proceeding to any oriminal complaint, information or indictment
 - □ a conviction of any crime
 - discipline, citation, or other administrative action filed by any state or federal agency

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27 28 which involves respondent's pharmacy technician license or which is related to the practice of pharmacy or the manufacturing, obtaining, handling, distributing, billing, or charging for any drug, device or controlled substance.

Failure to timely report any such occurrence shall be considered a violation of probation.

3. Report to the Board

Respondent shall report to the board quarterly, on a schedule as directed by the board or its designee. The report shall be made either in person or in writing, as directed. Among other requirements, respondent shall state in each report under penalty of perjury whether there has been compliance with all the terms and conditions of probation. Failure to submit timely reports in a form as directed shall be considered a violation of probation. Any period(s) of delinquency in submission of reports as directed may be added to the total period of probation. Moreover, if the final probation report is not made as directed, probation shall be automatically extended until such time as the final report is made and accepted by the board.

4. Interview with the Board

Upon receipt of reasonable prior notice, respondent shall appear in person for interviews with the board or its designee, at such intervals and locations as are determined by the board or its designee. Fallure to appear for any scheduled interview without prior notification to board staff, or failure to appear at two (2) or more scheduled interviews with the board or its designee during the period of probation, shall be considered a violation of probation.

5. Cooperate with Board Staff

Respondent shall cooperate with the board's inspection program and with the board's monitoring and investigation of respondent's compliance with the terms and conditions of his probation. Failure to cooperate shall be considered a violation of probation.

Notice to Employers'

During the period of probation, respondent shall notify all present and prospective employers of the decision in case number 3610 and the terms, conditions and restrictions imposed on respondent by the decision, as follows:

Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, and within fifteen (15) days of

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respondent undertaking any new employment, respondent shall cause his direct supervisor, pharmacist-in-charge (including each new pharmacist-in-charge employed during respondent's tenure of employment) and owner to report to the board in writing acknowledging that the listed individual(s) has/have read the decision in case number 3610 and the terms and conditions imposed thereby. It shall be respondent's responsibility to ensure that his employer(s) and/or supervisor(s) submit timely acknowledgement(s) to the board.

If respondent works for or is employed by or through a pharmacy employment service; respondent must notify his direct supervisor, pharmacist-in-charge and owner at every pharmacy of the terms and conditions of the decision in case number 3610 in advance of the respondent commencing work at each pharmacy. A record of this notification must be provided to the board upon request.

Furthermore, within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, and within fifteen (15) days of respondent undertaking any new employment by or through a pharmacy employment service, respondent shall cause his direct supervisor with the pharmacy employment service to report to the board in writing acknowledging that he has read the decision in case number 3610 and the terms and conditions imposed thereby. It shall be respondent's responsibility to ensure that his employer(s) and/or supervisor(s) submit timely acknowledgment(s) to the board.

Failure to timely notify present or prospective employer(s) or to cause that/those employer(s) to submit timely acknowledgements to the board shall be considered a violation of probation.

"Employment" within the meaning of this provision shall include any full-time, part-time, temporary or relief service or pharmacy management service as a pharmacy technician or in any position for which a pharmacy technician liceuse is a requirement or criterion for employment, whether the respondent is considered an employee, independent contractor or volunteer.

7. Reimbursement of Board Costs

As a condition precedent to successful completion of probation, respondent shall pay to the board its costs of investigation and prosecution in the amount of \$4,567.50. Respondent shall

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make said payments as follows: according to a payment plan approved by the board. There shall be no deviation from this schedule absent prior written approval by the board or its designee.

Failure to pay costs by the deadline(s) as directed shall be considered a violation of probation.

The filing of bankruptcy by respondent shall not relieve respondent of his responsibility to reimburse the board its costs of investigation and prosecution.

8. Probation Monitoring Costs

Respondent shall pay any costs associated with probation monitoring as determined by the board each and every year of probation. Such costs shall be payable to the board on a schedule as directed by the board or its designee. Failure to pay such costs by the deadline(s) as directed shall be considered a violation of probation.

9. Status of License

Respondent shall, at all times while on probation, maintain an active, current pharmacy technician license with the board, including any period during which suspension or probation is tolled. Failure to maintain an active, current license shall be considered a violation of probation.

If respondent's pharmacy technician license expires or is cancelled by operation of law or otherwise at any time during the period of probation, including any extensions thereof due to tolling or otherwise, upon renewal or reapplication respondent's license shall be subject to all terms and conditions of this probation not previously satisfied.

. 10. License Surrender While on Probation/Suspension

Following the effective date of this decision, should respondent cease work due to retirement or health, or be otherwise unable to satisfy the terms and conditions of probation, respondent may tender his pharmacy technician license to the board for surrender. The board or its designee shall have the discretion whether to grant the request for surrender or take any other action it deems appropriate and reasonable. Upon formal acceptance of the surrender of the license, respondent will no longer be subject to the terms and conditions of probation. This surrender constitutes a record of discipline and shall become a part of the respondent's license history with the board.

Upon acceptance of the surrender, respondent shall relinquish his pharmacy technician

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license to the board within ten (10) days of notification by the board that the surrender is accepted. Respondent may not reapply for any license, permit, or registration from the board for three (3) years from the effective date of the surrender. Respondent shall meet all requirements applicable to the license sought as of the date the application for that license is submitted to the board.

11. Notification of a Change in Name, Residence Address, Mailing Address or Employment

Respondent shall notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of any change of employment. Said notification shall include the reasons for leaving, the address of the new employer, the name of the supervisor and owner, and the work schedule if known. Respondent shall further notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of a change in name, residence address and mailing address, or phone number.

Failure to timely notify the board of any change in employer(s), name(s), address(es), or phone number(s) shall be considered a violation of probation.

12. Tolling of Probation

Except during periods of suspension, respondent shall, at all times while on probation, be employed as a pharmacy technician in California for a minimum of twenty (20) hours per calendar month. Any month during which this minimum is not met shall toll the period of probation, i.e., the period of probation shall be extended by one month for each month during which this minimum is not met. During any such period of tolling of probation, respondent must nonetheless comply with all terms and conditions of probation.

Should respondent, regardless of residency, for any reason (including vacation) cease working as a pharmacy technician for a minimum of twenty (20) hours per calendar month in California, respondent must notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of cessation of work and must further notify the board in writing within ten (10) days of the resumption of the work. Any failure to provide such notification(s) shall be considered a violation of probation.

It is a violation of probation for respondent's probation to remain tolled pursuant to the provisions of this condition for a total period, counting consecutive and non-consecutive months,

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exceeding thirty-six (36) months.

"Cessation of work" means calendar month during which respondent is not working for at least twenty (20) hours as a pharmacy technician, as defined in Business and Professions Gode section 4115. "Resumption of work" means any calendar month during which respondent is working as a pharmacy technician for at least twenty (20) hours as a pharmacy technician as defined by Business and Professions Code section 4115.

13. Violation of Probation

If a respondent has not complied with any term or condition of probation, the board shall have continuing jurisdiction over respondent, and probation shall automatically be extended, until all terms and conditions have been satisfied or the board has taken other action as deemed appropriate to treat the failure to comply as a violation of probation, to terminate probation, and to impose the penalty that was stayed.

If respondent violates probation in any respect, the board, after giving respondent notice and an opportunity to be heard, may revoke probation and carry out the disciplinary order that was stayed. Notice and opportunity to be heard are not required for those provisions stating that a violation thereof may lead to automatic termination of the stay and/or revocation of the license. If a petition to revoke probation or an accusation is filed against respondent during probation, the board shall have continuing jurisdiction, and the period of probation shall be automatically extended until the petition to revoke probation or accusation is heard and decided.

14. Completion of Probation

Upon written notice by the board indicating successful completion of probation, respondent's pharmacy technician license will be fully restored.

15.. No Ownership of Licensed Premises

Respondent shall not own, have any legal or beneficial interest in, or serve as a manager, administrator, member, officer, director, trustee, associate, or partner of any business, firm, partnership, or corporation currently or hereinafter licensed by the board. Respondent shall sell or transfer any legal or beneficial interest in any entity licensed by the board within ninety (90)

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days following the effective date of this decision and shall immediately thereafter provide written proof thereof to the board. Failure to timely divest any legal or beneficial interest(s) or provide documentation thereof shall be considered a violation of probation.

16. Attend Substance Abuse Recovery Relapse Prevention and Support Groups

Within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this decision, respondent shall begin regular attendance at a recognized and established substance abuse recovery support group in California, (e.g., Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, etc.) which has been approved by the board or its designee. Respondent must attend at least one group meeting per week unless otherwise directed by the board or its designee. Respondent shall continue regular attendance and submit signed and dated documentation confirming attendance with each quarterly report for the duration of probation. Failure to attend or submit documentation thereof shall be considered a violation of probation.

17. Random Drug Screening

Respondent, at his own expense, shall participate in random testing, including but not limited to biological fluid testing (urine, blood), breathalyzer, hair follicle testing, or other drug scieening program as directed by the board or its designee. Respondent may be required to participate in testing for the entire probation period and the frequency of testing will be determined by the board or its designee. At all times respondent shall fully cooperate with the board or its designee, and shall, when directed, submit to such tests and samples for the detection of alcohol, narcotics, hypnotics, dangerous drugs or other controlled substances as the board or its designee may direct. Failure to timely submit to testing as directed shall be considered a violation of probation. Upon request of the board or its designee, respondent shall provide documentation from a licensed practitioner that the prescription for a detected drug was legitimately issued and is a necessary part of the treatment of the respondent. Failure to timely provide such documentation shall be considered a violation of probation. Any confirmed positive test for alcohol or for any drug not lawfully prescribed by a licensed practitioner as part of a documented medical treatment shall be considered a violation of probation and shall result in the automatic suspension of work by respondent. Respondent may not resume work as a pharmacy technician until notified by the

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board in writing.

During suspension, respondent shall not enter any pharmacy area or any portion of or any other board licensed premises (wholesaler, veterinary food-animal drug retailer or any other distributor of drugs) any drug manufacturer, or any other location where dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances are maintained. Respondent shall not do any act involving drug selection, selection of stock, manufacturing, compounding or dispensing; nor shall respondent manage, administer, or assist any licensee of the board. Respondent shall not have access to or control the ordering, manufacturing or dispensing of dangerous drugs and devices or controlled substances. Respondent shall not resume work until notified by the board.

Respondent shall not direct, control or perform any aspect of the practice of pharmacy. Subject to the above restrictions, respondent may continue to own or hold an interest in any licensed premises in which he holds an interest at the time this decision becomes effective unless otherwise specified in this order.

Failure to comply with this suspension shall be considered a violation of probation.

18. Work Site Monitor

Within ten (10) days of the effective date of this decision, respondent shall identify a work site monitor, for prior approval by the board, who shall be responsible for supervising respondent during working hours. Respondent shall be responsible for ensuring that the work site monitor reports in writing to the board quarterly. Should the designated work site monitor determine at any time during the probationary period that respondent has not maintained sobriety, he shall notify the board immediately, either orally or in writing as directed. Should respondent change employment, a new work site monitor must be designated, for prior approval by the board, within ten (10) days of commencing new employment. Failure to identify an acceptable initial or replacement work site monitor, or to ensure quarterly reports are submitted to the board, shall be considered a violation of probation.

19. Notification of Departure

Frior to leaving the probationary geographic area designated by the board or its designee for a period greater than twenty-four (24) hours, respondent shall notify the board verbally and in

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writing of the dates of departure and return. Failure to comply with this provision shall be considered a violation of probation.

20. Abstain from Drugs and Alcohol Use

Respondent shall completely abstain from the possession or use of alcohol, controlled substances, dangerous drugs and their associated paraphernalia except when the drugs are lawfully prescribed by a licensed practitioner as part of a documented medical treatment. Upon request of the board or its designee, respondent shall provide documentation from the licensed practitioner that the prescription for the drug was legitimately issued and is a necessary part of the treatment of the respondent. Failure to timely provide such documentation shall be considered a violation of probation. Respondent shall ensure that he is not in the same physical location as individuals who are using illicit substances even if respondent is not personally ingesting the drugs. Any possession or use of alcohol, controlled substances, or their associated paraphernalia not supported by the documentation timely provided, and/or any physical proximity to persons using illicit substances, shall be considered a violation of probation.

21. Community Services Program

Within sixty (60) days of the effective date of this decision, respondent shall submit to the board or its designee, for prior approval, a community service program in which respondent shall provide free services on a regular basis to a community or charitable facility or agency for at least forty (40) hours per year for the first three (3) of probation. Within thirty (30) days of board approval thereof, respondent shall submit documentation to the board demonstrating commencement of the community service program. A record of this notification must be provided to the board upon request. Respondent shall report on progress with the community service program in the quarterly reports. Failure to timely submit, commence, or comply with the program shall be considered a violation of probation.

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ACCEPTANCE

I have carefully read the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order and have fully discussed it with my attorney, Frank Epstein. I understand the stipulation and the effect it will have on my Pharmacy Technician License. I enter into this Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently, and agree to be bound by the Decision and Order of the Board of Pharmacy.

DATED: 3-29-2011

CEDRIC GERARD JONES II Respondent

I have read and fully discussed with Respondent Cedric Gerard Jones II the terms and conditions and other matters contained in the above Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order.

I approve its form and content.

DATED:

9-2011

Frank Epstein

Attorney for Respondent

ENDORSEMENT

The foregoing Stipulated Settlement and Disciplinary Order is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Board of Pharmacy of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

Dated: March 30, 2011

Respectfully submitted.

KAMALA D. HARRIS Attorney General of California FRANK H. PACOE

Supervising Deputy Attorney General...

NICHOLAS TSUKAMAKI Deputy Attorney General Attorneys for Complainant

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Exhibit A

Accusation No. 3610

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8	BEFORE THE BOARD OF PHARMACY				
9	DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS STATE OF CALIFORNIA				
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11	In the Matter of the Accusation Against: Case No. 3610				
12	CEDRIC GERARD JONES, II 803 Knights Circle				
13	Vallejo, CA 94591 Pharmacy Technician License No. TCH AMENDED ACCUSATION				
14	70464				
15	Respondent.				
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18	Complainant alleges:				
19	PARTIES				
20	1. Virginia Herold ("Complainant") brings this Accusation solely in her official capacity				
21	as the Executive Officer of the Board of Pharmacy ("Board"), Department of Consumer Affairs.				
22	2. On or about June 2, 2008, the Board issued Pharmacy Technician License Number				
23	TCH 70464 to Cedric Gerard Jones, II ("Respondent"). The Pharmacy Technician License was				
24	in full force and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on				
25	October 31, 2011, unless renewed.				
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JURISDICTION

- 3. This Accusation is brought before the Board under the authority of the following laws. All section references are to the Business and Professions Code ("Code") unless otherwise indicated.
- 4. Section 4011 of the Code provides that the Board shall administer and enforce both the Pharmacy Law (Bus. & Prof. Code § 4000 et seq.) and the Uniform Controlled Substances Act (Health & Safety Code § 11000 et seq.).
- 5. Section 4300(a) of the Code provides that every license issued by the Board may be suspended or revoked.
- 6. Section 118(b) of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the suspension, expiration, surrender, or cancellation of a license shall not deprive the Board of jurisdiction to proceed with a disciplinary action during the period within which the license may be renewed, restored, reissued or reinstated.

STATUTORY AND REGULATORY PROVISIONS

7. Section 4301 of the Code states:

"The board shall take action against any holder of a license who is guilty of unprofessional conduct or whose license has been procured by fraud or misrepresentation or issued by mistake. Unprofessional conduct shall include, but is not limited to, any of the following:

- "(h) The administering to oneself, of any controlled substance, or the use of any dangerous drug or of alcoholic beverages to the extent or in a manner as to be dangerous or injurious to oneself, to a person holding a license under this chapter, or to any other person or to the public, or to the extent that the use impairs the ability of the person to conduct with safety to the public the practice authorized by the license.
- "(k) The conviction of more than one misdemeanor or any felony involving the use, consumption, or self-administration of any dangerous drug or alcoholic beverage, or any combination of those substances.

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- "(1) The conviction of a crime substantially related to the qualifications, functions, and duties of a licensee under this chapter. The record of conviction of a violation of Chapter 13 (commencing with Section 801) of Title 21 of the United States Code regulating controlled substances or of a violation of the statutes of this state regulating controlled substances or dangerous drugs shall be conclusive evidence of unprofessional conduct. . . A plea or verdict of guilty or a conviction following a plea of nolo contendere is deemed to be a conviction within the meaning of this provision."
- 8. Section 490 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that a board may suspend or revoke a license on the ground that the licensee has been convicted of a crime substantially related to the qualifications, functions, or duties of the business or profession for which the license was issued.
 - 9. California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 1770, states:

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

10. Section 125.3 of the Code provides, in pertinent part, that the Board may request the administrative law judge to direct a licentiate found to have committed a violation or violations of the licensing act to pay a sum not to exceed the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of the case.

FIRST CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Unprofessional Conduct: Using Alcohol in a Dangerous Manner)

11. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 4301(h) of the Code in that he used alcohol in a manner dangerous or injurious to himself and the public. The circumstances of this use are as follows:

- a. On or about June 19, 2003, Respondent was arrested on Tabor Avenue in Fairfield, California, for driving under the influence of alcohol. Respondent failed field sobriety tests and his blood alcohol level was determined to be 0.094%.
- b. On or about June 4, 2004, Respondent was arrested on I-80 westbound west of Webster Street in Yolo County, California, for driving under the influence of alcohol.

 Respondent failed field sobriety tests and his blood alcohol level was determined to be 0.081%.
- c. On or about November 21, 2004, Respondent was arrested on Davis Street near Hickory Lane in Vacaville, California, for driving under the influence of alcohol. Respondent failed field sobriety tests and his blood alcohol level was determined to be 0.129%.
- d. On or about May 28, 2008, Respondent was arrested on I-80 eastbound east of Lynch Road in Solano County, California, for driving under the influence of alcohol. Respondent failed field sobriety tests and his blood alcohol level was determined to be 0.179%.

SECOND CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Unprofessional Conduct: Conviction of More than One Misdemeanor or any Felony Involving Use of Alcohol)

- 12. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 4301(k) of the Code based on the following convictions:
- a. On or about July 10, 2003, in a criminal proceeding entitled *The People of the State of California v. Cedric Gerard Jones, II*, in Solano County Superior Court, Case Number FCR208731, Respondent was convicted by his plea of nolo contendere of violating Vehicle Code section 23103.5 (acceptance of guilty or nolo contendere plea to violation of Vehicle Code section 23103 in place of charge for violation of section 23152), a misdemeanor. Respondent was sentenced to three years of probation and ordered to pay fines in the amount of \$500.00. The circumstances of the conviction are set forth above in Paragraph 11.a.
- b. On or about March 23, 2005, in a criminal proceeding entitled *The People of the State of California v. Cedric Gerard Jones, II*, in Solano County Superior Court, Case Number FCR221191, Respondent was convicted by his plea of nolo contendere of violating Vehicle Code section 23452(a) (driving under the influence of any alcoholic beverage or drug) with one prior

conviction, a misdemeanor. Respondent was sentenced to three years of probation and ordered to pay fines in the amount of \$1,464.00. The circumstances of the conviction are set forth above in Paragraph 11.c.

- c. On or about June 27, 2006, in a criminal proceeding entitled *The People of the State of California v. Cedric Gerard Jones, II*, in Yolo County Superior Court, Case Number 04-4273, Respondent was convicted by his plea of nolo contendere of violating Vehicle Code sections 23103/23103.5 (acceptance of guilty or nolo contendere plea to violation of Vehicle Code section 23103 in place of charge for violation of section 23152), a misdemeanor. Respondent was sentenced to twelve months of probation and ordered to pay fines in the amount of \$1,543.00. The circumstances of the conviction are set forth above in Paragraph 11.b.
- d. On or about October 17, 2008, in a criminal proceeding entitled *The People of the State of California v. Cedric Gerard Jones, II*, in Solano County Superior Court, Case Number FCR255868, Respondent was convicted by his plea of nolo contendere of violating Vehicle Code section 23152(b) (driving with blood alcohol level of 0.08% or above) with three prior convictions, a felony. Respondent was sentenced to three years of probation and ordered to pay fines in the amount of \$2,534.00. The circumstances of the conviction are set forth above in Paragraph 11.d.

THIRD CAUSE FOR DISCIPLINE

(Unprofessional Conduct: Criminal Conviction)

13. Respondent is subject to disciplinary action under section 4301(I) and/or section 490 of the Code, by reference to California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 1770, based on the convictions set forth above in Paragraphs 12.a., 12.b., 12.c., and 12.d.

Respondent is further subject to disciplinary action under section 4301(l) and/or section 490 of the Code, by reference to California Code of Regulations, title 16, section 1770, in that on or about November 4, 2008, in a criminal proceeding entitled *The People of the State of California* v. Cedric Gerard Jones, II, in Napa County Superior Court, Case Number CR142717, Respondent pleaded guilty to violating Vehicle Code section 14601.5(a) (driving with a suspended license) with one prior conviction, a misdemeanor. Respondent was sentenced to two

years of probation and ordered to pay fines in the amount of \$1,720.00. The circumstances of the conviction were that on or about September 10, 2008, Respondent was stopped by a police officer on Shennandoah Drive in American Canyon, California, for expired registration. The officer contacted Respondent, ran a DMV database check of his license, and discovered that it was suspended.

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 License Number TCH 70464 issued to Cedric Gerard Jones, II;
- 2. Ordering Cedric Gerard Jones, II to pay the Board the reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case pursuant to section 125.3 of the Code;
 - 3. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

DATED: 11/2/10

VIRGINIA HEROLD Executive Officer

Board of Pharmacy

Department of Consumer Affairs

State of California Complainant

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