State of New Hampshire New Hampshire Board of Nursing Concord, New Hampshire 03301

In the Matter of: Alexandra O. Towle (License #071215-21) Docket No. 2022-NUR-TOWLE-0130

PRELIMINARY AGREEMENT NOT TO PRACTICE

The New Hampshire Board of Nursing ("Board") first granted Alexandra O.Towle ("Ms. Towle" or "Respondent") a license to practice as a Registered Nurse ("RN") on February 20, 2015. Ms. Towle was issued license number 071215-21.

On or about February 4, 2022, Ms. Towle self-reported to the OPLC-Division of Enforcement, she engaged in diversion of Fentanyl from Cheshire Medical in Keene, NH. Upon further inquiry Ms. Towle admitted to Michael Porter, Investigation Bureau Chief, OPLC-Division of Enforcement, to diverting approximately 200 bags of Fentanyl in January 2022, approximately 100 bags of Fentanyl in December 2021, approximately 50 – 100 bags of Fentanyl in November 2021, and approximately 12 bags of Fentanyl in October 2021.

Ms. Towle admits she is no longer employed at Cheshire Medical Center and is currently not working.

Ms. Towle enters into a Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice with the Board as follows:

1. I, Alexandra O. Towle, voluntarily agree not to practice as a Registered Nurse, effective upon my signing this Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice.

- I admit to no violations of NH RSA 326-B or any administrative rules, ethical provisions, or any other laws, statutes, or regulations, adopted by the Board.
- Understanding that this Preliminary Agreement and the restrictions herein shall remain until further order of the Board. I hereby specifically waive any statute of limitations, or laches defense, which might be then available, including but not limited to, those based on RSA 332-G: 8 and RSA 332-G; 9.
- 4. I understand that this Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice shall remain in place until such time the ongoing investigation into this matter is completed and the adjudicatory process has been completed.
- 5. In the event that I apply for a renewal of my license while this agreement is in effect. I voluntarily agree to waive any statutory or administrative time deadlines regarding the Board's final action on any such license renewal application. I understand that by waiving such deadlines, the Board's final action on any such license renewal application will be automatically deferred until after the disposition of this Board matter and that my license will not expire while this Preliminary Agreement is in effect.
- I voluntarily enter into this Preliminary Agreement with the Board and state that no promises or representations have been made to me other than those terms and conditions expressly stated herein.
- I further understand that this document shall become a permanent part of my file and will be maintained by the Board as a public document upon execution by the Board as a Board Order.

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- 8. I have had the opportunity to seek and obtain the advice of an attorney of my choosing in connection with my decision to sign this Preliminary Agreement.
- 9. I am of sound mind and not under the influence of any substance that would impai my judgement at the time I sign this Preliminary Agreement Not to Practice.
- I understand that my failure to comply with the terms of this Preliminary Agreeme: Not to Practice shall constitute unprofessional conduct under RSA 326-B: 37 and n subject me to discipline under RSA 326-B: 37

FOR RESPON Date: Respondent (Alexand

FOR THE BOARD

This Preliminary Agreement is hereby accepted in accordance with the binding terms : conditions set forth above and shall issue as an Order of the Board upon execution by the Boa

Date: 2 9 2022

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Print Name⁴ Authorized Representative of the New Hampshire Board of Nursing