

IN THE MATTER OF * BEFORE THE
EDMUND KINIKA OMODU * MARYLAND BOARD
LICENSE NO.: LP50171 * OF NURSING

**ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT OF LICENSED PRACTICAL
NURSE LICENSE TO INACTIVE STATUS**

I. PROCEDURAL BACKGROUND

On April 26, 2017, the Maryland Board of Nursing (the “Board”) issued a “Consent Order of Suspension of Licensed Practical Nursing License” (the “Consent Order”), which suspended the license of **Edmund Kinika Omodu** (the “Respondent”) to practice as a licensed practical nurse (“LPN”) in the State of Maryland, license number LP50171. The suspension of the Respondent’s LPN license was based on the Respondent’s discipline from the State of Florida Board of Nursing. The discipline in Florida was a result of the Respondent’s criminal conviction for Child Neglect, which is a crime involving moral turpitude.

II. CONSIDERATION OF REINSTATEMENT APPLICATION

On or about August 5, 2021, the Respondent submitted a request to the Board to reinstate his license to practice as an LPN in the State of Maryland to inactive status so he can take a Board-approved LPN refresher course. In support of his reinstatement request, the Respondent submitted a letter requesting reinstatement, a receipt for a criminal history records check, and an application for renewal.

The Board has reviewed and considered all information that the Respondent submitted in support of his application for reinstatement of his LPN license to inactive status, as well as all additional information in the Respondent’s file. Accordingly, upon consideration of the Respondent’s request, the Board will reinstate the Respondent’s LPN license and place his LPN

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license on inactive status for one (1) year for the Respondent to complete a Board-approved RN refresher course.

III. ORDER

Based upon the foregoing, it is hereby:

ORDERED that the license of the Respondent, Edmund Kinika Omodu, to practice licensed practical nursing in the State of Maryland, license number LP50171, is **REINSTATED** to **INACTIVE STATUS** for a period no longer than **ONE (1) YEAR** from the date of this Order for the limited purpose of completing a Board-approved LPN refresher course; and it is further

ORDERED that if the Respondent fails to submit written proof that he successfully completed a Board-approved LPN refresher course within **ONE (1) YEAR** from the date of this Order, this Order shall have no further force and effect, and the Respondent's LPN license will revert back to suspended status; and it is further

ORDERED that this Order is a **PUBLIC RECORD** pursuant to Maryland Code Ann., General Provisions §§ 4-101 *et seq.* (2019 Repl. Vol.).


Date

Karen E. B. Evans MSN, RN-BC
The Executive Director's Signature
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