

IN THE MATTER OF
KAREY PHILLIPS
PHARMACY TECHNICIAN
REGISTRATION NO. T15073

* BEFORE THE
* MARYLAND STATE BOARD
* OF PHARMACY
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CONSENT ORDER

BACKGROUND

On or about June 20, 2014, Karey Phillips applied to the Maryland State Board of Pharmacy (the "Board") for registration as a pharmacy technician. In accordance with Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. § 12-6B-02(c), Ms. Phillips submitted to a Maryland Criminal Justice Information System ("CJIS") background check. The CJIS report revealed Ms. Phillips has a criminal history.

In accordance with the Maryland Pharmacy Act, Md. Code Ann., Health Occ. § 12-6B-01 *et seq.*, the Board has offered Ms. Phillips the opportunity to voluntarily agree to the terms set forth in this Consent Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On or about June 20, 2014, Ms. Phillips applied to the Board for registration as a pharmacy technician.
2. On her application, Ms. Phillips answered "yes" to the question "Have you committed a criminal act for which you pled guilty or nolo contendere, or for which you were convicted or received probation before judgment?" Ms. Phillips also answered "yes" to the question "Have you committed an offense involving alcohol or controlled substances to which you pled guilty or nolo contendere, or

for which you were convicted or received probation before judgment?"

3. Ms. Phillips provided an explanation of her criminal background along with her application. She admitted that she received a DUI in 1999, and she also admitted to another later arrest that she did not explain in detail.
4. The CJIS report stated that Ms. Phillips was arrested in 2009 and received probation before judgment on the charge of theft less than \$100, and that she was also arrested in 2011 and received a six-month suspended sentence and one year probation on the charge of theft less than \$1,000.
5. Upon request from the Board, Ms. Phillips provided further details regarding her 2009 and 2011 arrests, explaining that both involved shoplifting from a big-box store. Ms. Phillips also described steps she has taken to address the issue and prevent it from happening again.
6. The Board issued Ms. Phillips a registration to practice as a pharmacy technician on August 21, 2014.

ORDER

Based on an affirmative vote of the Board, it is this 3rd day of October, 2014, hereby:

ORDERED that upon the first renewal of her pharmacy technician registration, Ms. Phillips shall submit to a State criminal history records check; and be it further,

ORDERED that in the event Ms. Phillips' criminal history records check indicates further criminal activity, the Board may impose further disciplinary action against Ms. Phillips' registration, including suspension or revocation, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing; and be it further,

ORDERED that Ms. Phillips shall be responsible for all costs associated with this Consent Order; and be it further,

ORDERED that this is a formal order of the Maryland Board of Pharmacy and as such is a public document pursuant to Md. Code Ann., State Gov't § 10-617(h).

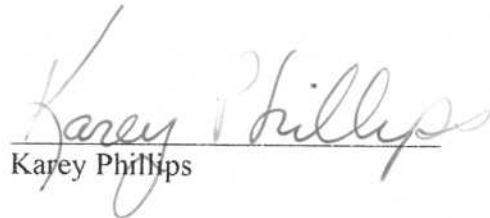
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for Lenna Israbian-Jamgochian
Lenna Israbian-Jamgochian, P.D.
President
Maryland Board of Pharmacy

CONSENT

1. By signing this Consent, I hereby affirm the findings of fact contained herein and agree to be bound by the foregoing Consent Order and its conditions.
2. I understand and agree that in the event the criminal history records check performed upon renewal of my registration indicates further criminal activity, the Board may take disciplinary action against me, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing.
3. By signing this Consent, I submit to the foregoing Consent Order as a resolution of this matter.
4. I acknowledge that this is a formal order of the Board and as such is a public document.
5. By signing this Consent, I waive any rights I may have had to contest the findings and determinations contained in this Consent Order.
6. I acknowledge the legal authority and the jurisdiction of the Board to enter and enforce this Consent Order.
7. I sign this Consent Order freely and voluntarily, aware of my right to consult with counsel. I fully understand the language, meaning, and effect of this Consent Order.

9-3-14
Date


Karey Phillips

STATE OF MARYLAND
COUNTY/CITY OF Anne Arundel:

I hereby certify that on this 3rd day of September, 2014, before me, a Notary Public of the State of Maryland and County/City aforesaid, personally appeared KAREY PHILLIPS, and made an oath in due form that the foregoing Consent was her voluntary act and deed.

Kelly Ricker

Notary Public

My commission expires:

