BEFORE THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF:  CHRISTINA FRYE, RDH

CONSENT ORDER

On this day comes on for hearing the matter of Christina Frye, RDH. The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners appeared together by a quorum of its membership together with its attorney, William H. Trice, III. Christina Frye, RDH, appeared pro se. From the pleadings, admission of the parties, and agreement of the parties, the Board FINDS that:

I.

Christina Frye, RDH, is licensed as a registered dental hygienist in the State of Arkansas pursuant to the provisions of the Dental Practice Act.

II.

Christina Frye, RDH, has acknowledged that on or about 9 February 2012, she administered a local injection of anesthesia to a patient identified as JD. As of the 9th February, 2012, Christina Frye, RDH, had not been granted a permit to give local injections for anesthesia, thus violating ACA §17-82-103(c) and Article XVI of the Board.

WHEREFORE, it is CONSIDERED, ORDERED and ADJUDGED that:

A. Christina Frye, RDH has violated the Dental Practice Act, more specifically she administered local anesthesia but had failed to obtain a permit from the Board to do the same and thus violated ACA §17-82-103(c) and Article XVI of the Board.

B. As a result of the above violation of the Dental Practice Act, and the Rules and Regulations of the Board, the Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners issues a reprimand to Christina Frye, RDH.
C. As a further result of the above violation of the Dental Practice Act, Christina Frye, RDH, will pay a $500.00 fine to the Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners within 30 days from the date of this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS

DREWW. TOOLE, D.D.S. PRESIDENT

DATE 1/14/2013

AGREED AND APPROVED AS TO FORM:

William H. Trice, III,
Attorneys for the Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners

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