THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1303 Session of 1993

INTRODUCED BY VANCE, LLOYD, E. Z. TAYLOR, DeWEESE, NICKOL, FLEAGLE, M. N. WRIGHT, COY, TIGUE, HERMAN, PETTIT, NYCE, ARMSTRONG, MILLER, STERN, HECKLER, L. I. COHEN, HENNESSEY, KENNEY, SEMMEL, TOMLINSON AND MAITLAND, APRIL 21, 1993

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, APRIL 21, 1993

AN ACT

- Amending the act of May 22, 1951 (P.L.317, No.69), entitled, as 2 amended, "An act relating to the practice of professional 3 nursing; providing for the licensing of nurses and for the revocation and suspension of such licenses, subject to 5 appeal, and for their reinstatement; providing for the 6 renewal of such licenses; regulating nursing in general; prescribing penalties and repealing certain laws, "further 7 providing for refusal, suspension or revocation of licenses. 9 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 10 hereby enacts as follows: 11 Section 1. Section 14(a) of the act of May 22, 1951 12 (P.L.317, No.69), known as The Professional Nursing Law, amended December 20, 1985 (P.L.409, No.109), is amended by adding a 13 clause to read: 14 15 Section 14. Refusal, Suspension or Revocation of Licenses .--The Board may refuse, suspend or revoke any license in any 16 17 case where the Board shall find that--
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- 19 (9) The licensee has been quilty of unprofessional conduct
- 20 or such conduct as to require a suspension or revocation in the

- 1 public interest.
- 3 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.