

BEFORE THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF PHARMACY

In the Matter of:)
)
Robert Noel Pope) VOLUNTARY SURRENDER
License No. 07730) OF LICENSE FOR CAUSE

Robert Noel Pope was issued license number 07730 by the North Carolina Board of Pharmacy on July 21, 1981, such license being active until December 31, 2011.

Mr. Pope admits that while working as a licensed pharmacist with Kerr Drug Pharmacy Permit No. 06512, located on 140 NC Highway 102 West, Ayden, North Carolina, he committed acts that give the Board sufficient cause to revoke his license to practice pharmacy in North Carolina.

Considering that, Mr. Pope voluntarily surrenders his license to practice pharmacy in North Carolina. The surrender of the license is made voluntarily and without pressure, coercion, or the threat of force being made against him. As a result of the voluntary surrender, Mr. Pope shall not be present in any North Carolina pharmacy in any capacity other than as a customer/patient, with a valid prescription from a treating physician, unless and until the Board issues any further order.

Mr. Pope understands and accepts that, at any point in the future, he may petition for reinstatement by submitting a request to the Board of Pharmacy, in writing. Upon a request for reinstatement, the Board will determine within sixty (60) days when it will schedule a hearing on the request for reinstatement. That hearing will be scheduled at the Board's discretion. There is no presumption, guarantee or other implication intended within this document that the Board will reinstate the license.

The decision will be made by the Board based on consideration of all available evidence presented at a formal hearing before the Board. The license will not be returned until and unless the Board issues a reinstatement order after any formal hearing.

This the 31 day of March, 2011.

Robert N. Pope
Robert N. Pope

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on this the 31 day of March, 2011, I hand served a copy of the Voluntary Surrender upon Respondent Robert N. Pope License No. 07730.

Krystal Brashears
Krystal Brashears Investigator, NC Board of Pharmacy
Office of Investigations and Inspections

Robert N. Pope, License No. 07730, does not wish to surrender his Pharmacist License.

Robert N. Pope

Date