December 11, 2000

Patti Picard, RN School Nurse/Special Services 25 East Levert Drive Luling, LA 70070

Dear Ms. Picard:

Pursuant to your request regarding the scope of practice of a registered nurse in the school setting delegating to an LPN the instillation of Oxybutynin into the bladder, your request was studied by the Nursing Practice Committee on October 24, 2000. The Committee presented its recommendation to the Board of Nursing on December 6, 2000 and, after due deliberation, the Board adopted the following opinion:

In reference to agenda item 6.3, that it is within the scope of authorized practice for the registered nurse to delegate to a licensed practical nurse Oxybutynin bladder instillation provided that there is documented knowledge, skills, and abilities.

If you have any questions regarding this communication, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Barbara L. Morvant, MN, RN Executive Director

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