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**VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE
FORMAL HEARING MINUTES**

February 19-20, 2015	Department of Health Professions	Henrico, Virginia
	Perimeter Center	
	9960 Mayland Drive, Suite #300	

CALL TO ORDER: A panel of the Board was called to order at 1:45 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kevin O'Connor, M.D., Chair
Lori Conklin, M.D.
Frazier Frantz, M.D.
Syed Ali, M.D.
Barbara Allison-Bryan, M.D.
Lorri Kleine, J.D.

BOARD COUNSEL: Erin Barrett, AAG

STAFF PRESENT: Barbara Matusiak, M.D., Medical Review Coordinator
Jennie Wood, Discipline Case Manager

COURT REPORTER: Denise Holt, Crane Snead & Associates, Inc.

PARTIES ON BEHALF OF COMMONWEALTH: James Schleissmann, Sr. AAG
LaTonya Hucks, Adjudication Specialist

COMMONWEALTH WITNESSES: Sharron Squires, Sr. Investigator (DHP)
William A. Petri, Jr., M.D. (expert witness)
Janet Lewis, M.D. (expert witness)

MATTER SCHEDULED: Leila Zackrison, M.D. License No.: 0101-045689
Case No.: 139030

DISCUSSION: Dr. Zackrison appeared before the Board in person in accordance with the Board's Notice of Formal Hearing dated August 11, 2014. Dr. Zackrison was represented by Jacques G. Simon, Esquire, Jason C. Hicks, Esquire and Gregg Skall, Esquire.

The Board received evidence and sworn testimony from witnesses called by the parties and from Dr. Zackrison regarding the allegations in the Notice. Objections on various

issues were made by both parties and rulings were made by the Chair.

RECESS: The Board recessed at 9:12 p.m. for the evening and the Chair announced that the hearing regarding Dr. Zackrison would reconvene on Friday, February 20, 2015, at 8:30 a.m.

RECONVENE: The Board reconvened at 8:37 a.m. on Friday, February 20, 2015.

COURT REPORTER: Terry Potter, Crane Snead & Associates, Inc.

DISCUSSION: Dr. Zackrison continued with her presentation.

RESPONDENT WITNESSES: Richard I. Horowitz, M.D. (expert witness)

DISCUSSION: Sworn testimony was taken, objections on various issues were made by both parties and rulings were made by the Chair.

CLOSED SESSION: Upon a motion by Dr. Allison-Bryan, and duly seconded by Dr. Ali, the Board voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711.A (27) of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Dr. Zackrison. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Barrett and Ms. Wood attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Board in its deliberations.

RECONVENE: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Board re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Dr. Ali, and duly seconded by Dr. Allison-Bryan, the Board made certain findings of fact and conclusions of law and voted to issue Dr. Zackrison a reprimand and place her license on probation with certain terms and conditions.

VOTE: The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned at 5:29 p.m.

The decision shall be effective upon the entry by the Board of a written Order stating the findings, conclusions, and decisions of this formal hearing panel.



Kevin O'Connor, M.D., Chair

3-11-15

Date



William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director

3/11/15

Date