

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF LONG TERM CARE ADMINISTRATORS
FORMAL ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING
MINUTES**

December 17, 2019

**Department of Health Professions
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive
Henrico, Virginia 23233**

CALL TO ORDER: The formal hearing of the Board was called to order at 1:40 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mitchell Davis, NHA, Board Chair
Martha Hunt, ALFA
Jenny Inker, ALFA
Ashley Jackson, NHA
Basil Acey, Citizen Member
Shervonne Banks, Citizen Member
Ali Faruk, Citizen Member

BOARD COUNSEL: Erin L. Barrett, Assistant Attorney General

DHP STAFF PRESENT: Kelley Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Sarah Georgen, Licensing and Operations Manager

COURT REPORTER: Able Forces Professional Services, Inc.

PARTIES ON BEHALF OF COMMONWEALTH: James Schliessmann, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Jessica Kelley, Adjudication Specialist

COMMONWEALTH'S WITNESSES: Robin Carroll, Senior Investigator, DHP
Michele (Wright) Pennings, DSS Licensing Inspector
Angel Hurd, Russell County Adult Protective Services

RESPONDENT'S WITNESS: Betty Beutler

OTHERS PRESENT: Trasean Boatwright
Betty Beutler
Corie Tillman Wolf
Leslie Knachel

Kelli Moss
Celia Wilson
Laura Paasch

MATTER:

Leasha Carol Pridemore Kiser, ALFA
License No. 1706-000406
Case No.'s: 187676 & 189963

**ESTABLISHMENT OF A
QUORUM:**

With seven (7) members present, a quorum was established.

DISCUSSION:

Ms. Kiser appeared before the Board in accordance with a Notice of Formal Hearing dated July 25, 2019. The Formal Hearing was continued and a letter was sent by first class and certified mail on September 3, 2019 notifying Ms. Kiser of the continuance. Ms. Kiser was not represented by counsel.

The Board received evidence and sworn testimony on behalf of the Commonwealth and Ms. Kiser regarding the allegations in the Notice.

CLOSED SESSION:

Upon a motion by Martha Hunt, and duly seconded by Ashley Jackson, 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 Leasha Carol Pridemore Kiser, ALFA. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Palmatier, Ms. Georgen and Ms. Barrett attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Board in its deliberations.

RECONVENE:

Mr. Davis certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Board reconvened in open session.

DECISION:

Upon a motion by Martha Hunt, and duly seconded by Shervonne Banks, the Board moved to Revoke the license of Leasha Carole Pridemore Kiser, ALFA to practice as an Assisted Living Administrator in Virginia. The motion carried.

VOTE:

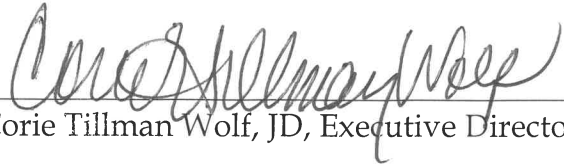
The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Board adjourned at 3:43 p.m.



Mitchell P. Davis, NHA, Chair



Corie Tillman Wolf, JD, Executive Director

9/15/2020

Date

September 15, 2020

Date

