

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
December 6, 2016**

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing was convened at 9:00 A.M., on December 6, 2016 in Training Room 2, Suite 201, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Louise Hershkowitz, CRNA, MSHA, Chairperson
Dustin Ross, DNP, MBA, RN
Kristina Page, CMT
Stephanie Quinby, CMT (joined later)

STAFF PRESENT: Brenda Krohn, RN, MS, Deputy Executive Director

OTHERS PRESENT: Carla Boyd, Adjudication Specialist

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: **Merosha Conley, C.M.T. Applicant**
Ms. Conley appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 9:33 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Conley. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 9:43 A.M.

Ms. Page moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Ms. Page moved to issue an order to deny Merosha Conley's application for certification as a massage therapist by endorsement.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Conley unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Conley within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: **Jerry McLean, Jr., C.M.T. 0019-013642**
Mr. McLean appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 10:39 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Mr. McLean. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 10:54A.M.

Ms. Page moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Ms. Page moved to refer the matter regarding Jerry McLean, Jr. to a Formal Hearing of the Board of Nursing or a panel thereof.
The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: **Patricia Mary Lisl Croft-Glamcevski, C.M.T. Applicant**
Ms. Croft-Glamcevski appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 11:16 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Croft-Glamcevski. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 11:23 A.M.

Ms. Page moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Ms. Page moved to issue an order to approve Patricia Mary Lisl Croft-Glamcevski's application for certification as a massage therapist by endorsement.
The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Croft-Glamcevski unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Croft-Glamcevski within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED:

Courtney Szuszka, C.M.T. Applicant

Ms. Szuszka appeared.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 11:37 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Szuszka. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION:

The Committee reconvened in open session at 11:52 A.M.

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION:

Mr. Ross moved to issue an order to deny Courtney Szuszka's application for certification as a massage therapist by endorsement.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Szuszka unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Szuszka within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED:

Tram Linh Nguyen, C.M.T. 0019-009556

Ms. Nguyen did not appear.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 12:00 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Nguyen. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 12:10 P.M.

Ms. Page moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened.
The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Ms. Page moved to offer Tram Linh Nguyen a Consent Order for the Indefinite Suspension of her certificate, in lieu of a Formal Hearing.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

This Consent Order shall be effective upon endorsement of its findings, conclusions, and terms of consent by both Ms. Nguyen and the Board.

Ms. Page left the meeting at 12:18pm.

Ms. Quinby joined the meeting at 1:05pm.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Jean Marie Franko (a.k.a. Jean Marie Logalbo), C.M.T. Applicant

Ms. Franko appeared, accompanied by Rebecca Bower-Lanier and her husband.

CLOSED MEETING: Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 1:28 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Franko. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations.
The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 1:54 P.M.

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened.
The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Mr. Ross moved to issue an order to deny Jean Marie Franko's application for certification as a massage therapist by endorsement.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

The action was later amended to issue an order to approve Jean Marie Franko's application for certification as a massage therapist by endorsement contingent upon successful completion of the MBLEX exam.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Franko unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Franko within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

Ms. Quinby left the meeting at 2:00pm.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED:

Ashton Kennedy, C.N.A. Reinstatement Applicant 1401-163711

Ms. Kennedy appeared, accompanied by a friend.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 2:29 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Kennedy. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION:

The Committee reconvened in open session at 2:42 P.M.

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION:

Mr. Ross moved to issue an order to deny Ashton Kennedy's application for reinstatement as a Certified Nurse Aide.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Kennedy unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Kennedy within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED:

Emily Jean Mitchell, R.M.A. Applicant

Ms. Mitchell appeared, accompanied by her mother.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 3:03 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Mitchell. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms.

Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 3:16 P.M.

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Mr. Ross moved to issue an order to approve Emily Jean Mitchell's application to take the medication aide examination and issue an unrestricted registration upon successful completion of the state exam.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Mitchell unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Mitchell within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

William Coyner, R.N. Applicant
Mr. Coyner appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 3:48 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Mr. Coyner. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 4:02 P.M.

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Mr. Ross moved to issue an order to deny William Coyner's application for licensure as a registered nurse by endorsement.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Mr. Coyner unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against him is received from Mr. Coyner within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED:

Heather Heneisen, C.N.A. Applicant

Ms. Heneisen appeared.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 4:19 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Heneisen. Additionally, Mr. Ross moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Boyd attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION:

The Committee reconvened in open session at 4:23 P.M.

Mr. Ross moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION:

Mr. Ross moved to issue an order to deny Heather Heneisen's application for certification as a nurse aide by endorsement

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Heneisen unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Heneisen within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Board adjourned at 4:25 P.M.

Brenda Krohn, R.N., M.S.
Deputy Executive Director