

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL - MINUTES**

February 3, 2022

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

CALL TO ORDER:

The Board of Physical Therapy convened by telephone conference call on February 3, 2022 at 9:32 a.m. to consider whether a practitioner's ability to practice as a Physical Therapist constituted a substantial danger to the public health and safety pursuant to Va. Code §54.1-2408.1. A quorum of the Board was present, with Dr. Allen Jones, President, presiding.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Dr. Allen R. Jones, Jr., PT, DPT
Dr. Mira H. Mariano, PT, PhD
Dr. Rebecca Duff, PTA, DHSc
Dr. Tracey Adler, PT, DPT, CMTPT
Dr. Elizabeth Locke, PT, PhD
Dr. Arkena L. Dailey, PT, DPT
Susan Szasz Palmer, MLS, Citizen Member

DHP STAFF PRESENT:

Corie Tillman Wolf, Executive Director
Kelley Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Angela Pearson, Senior Discipline Manager

**PARTIES ON BEHALF OF
THE COMMONWEALTH:**

Erin Weaver, Assistant Attorney General
Anne Joseph, Adjudication Consultant

BOARD COUNSEL:

James Rutkowski, Assistant Attorney General

MATTER:

Scott Jonathan Roberts
License #2030-5203258
Case Numbers 203438 & 210912

DISCUSSION:

The Board received information from Assistant Attorney General, Erin Weaver in order to determine whether Scott Jonathan Roberts ability to practice as a physical therapist constituted a substantial danger to public health and safety. Erin Weaver provided details of the case to the Board for its consideration.

CLOSED SESSION:

Upon a motion by Dr. Mira Mariano, and duly seconded by Dr. Tracey Adler, the Committee 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 Scott Jonathan Roberts, P.T. Additionally, she moved that Mr. James Rutkowski, Ms. Corie Tillman Wolf and Ms. Angela Pearson attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its discussions.

RECONVENE:

Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee re-convened in open session.

DECISION:

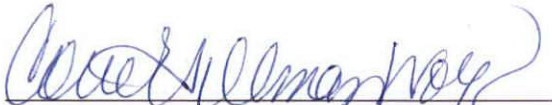
Upon a motion by Dr. Mira Mariano and duly seconded by Dr. Rebecca Duff, the Board determined that the continued practice of Scott Jonathan Roberts constitutes a substantial danger to the public health and safety. The board voted to summarily suspend his license to practice as a physical therapist, simultaneous with the institution of proceedings for a formal administrative hearing pursuant to §54.1-2408.1 of the Code of Virginia.

VOTE:

The vote was 6-0-1, with Dr. Dailey abstaining.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 10:18 a.m.


Corie Tillman Wolf, JD, Executive Director

February 15, 2022
Date

