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VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES MARCH 11, 2020

Department of Health Professions
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201
Henrico, VA

CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 9:02 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:
James Arnold, D.P.M., Chair
David Giammittorio, M.D.
Kenneth Walker, M.D.

STAFF PRESENT:
William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director of the Board
Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline
Lori Pound, Adjudication Specialist?

MATTER: **Matthew Hopson, D.P.M.** **License No.: 0103-301012**
Case No.: 177069

DISCUSSION: Dr. Hopson appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated December 30, 2019. Dr. Hopson was represented by Carlyle Wimbish, II, Esquire.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice with Dr. Hopson.

CLOSED SESSION: Upon a motion by Dr. Giammittorio, and duly seconded by Dr. Walker, 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 Dr. Hopson. Additionally, he moved that Dr. Harp and Ms. Wood attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee 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 Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Dr. Walker, and duly seconded by Dr. Giammittorio, the Committee made certain findings of fact and conclusions of law and voted to dismiss the matter.

VOTE: The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT: The Committee adjourned at 10:12 a.m.

James Arnold, D.P.M., Chair

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

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CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 11:10 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:
David Giammittorio, M.D., Chair
James Arnold, D.P.M.
Kenneth Walker, M.D.

STAFF PRESENT:
William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director of the Board
Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline
Shevaun Roukous, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER: **Roozbeh Badii, M.D. License No.: 0101-250611**
Case Nos.: 179601, 180831, 182362

DISCUSSION: Dr. Badii appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated August 20, 2019. Dr. Badii was not represented by counsel.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice with Dr. Badii.

CLOSED SESSION: Upon a motion by Dr. Walker, and duly seconded by Dr. Arnold, 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 Dr. Badii. Additionally, he moved that Dr. Harp and Ms. Wood attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee 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 Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Dr. Arnold, and duly seconded by Dr. Walker, the Committee voted to refer this matter to a formal hearing since the suspension or revocation of Dr. Badii's license may be justified which is not within the authority of the Committee pursuant to §54.1-2400(10) of the Code of Virginia.

VOTE: The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT: The Committee adjourned at 1:16 p.m.

A formal hearing will be scheduled for a future date for a final determination.

David Giammittorio, M.D., Chair

Date

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

Date