VIRGINIA BOARD OF COUNSELING SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE (VIRTUAL) INFORMAL CONFERENCES – APRIL 9, 2021

- CALL TO ORDER: Consistent with Amendment 28 to HB29 and the applicable provisions of § 2.2-3708.2 of the Freedom of Information Act, the Committee convened a virtual meeting of a Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") on April 9, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. via WebEx.
- MEMBERS PRESENT: Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson Maria Stransky, LPC, CSAC
- **STAFF PRESENT:** Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director, Board of Counseling Christy Evans, Discipline and Compliance Case Manager, Board of Counseling Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division

RESPONDENT: Brandi Chamberlin, Applicant for licensure as a Resident in Marriage and Family Therapy Case No.: 207075

- **DISCUSSION:** Ms. Chamberlin appeared via video before the Committee, without legal counsel, and fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice dated March 11, 2021.
- **CLOSED MEETING:** Upon a motion by Ms. Stransky, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee voted to convene in 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 Brandi Chamberlin, Applicant for licensure as a Resident in Marriage and Family Therapy. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Lang and Ms. Evans attend the closed meeting because their presence 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 of Virginia*, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Stransky, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to deny Ms. Chamberlin's application. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 10:33 a.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on the respondent, unless the respondent makes a written request to the Board within such time for a formal hearing on the allegations made. If service of the Order is made by mail, three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.

Danielle Hunt

Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson Special Conference Committee of the Board of Counseling

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Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director Virginia Board of Counseling

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VIRGINIA BOARD OF COUNSELING SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE (VIRTUAL) INFORMAL CONFERENCES – APRIL 9, 2021

- CALL TO ORDER: Consistent with Amendment 28 to HB29 and the applicable provisions of § 2.2-3708.2 of the Freedom of Information Act, the Committee convened a virtual meeting of a Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") on April 9, 2021 at 12:31 p.m. via WebEx.
- MEMBERS PRESENT: Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson Maria Stransky, LPC, CSAC
- **STAFF PRESENT:** Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director, Board of Counseling Christy Evans, Discipline and Compliance Case Manager, Board of Counseling Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division

 RESPONDENT:
 Nusrath Sultana, Applicant for licensure as a Resident in Counseling

 Case No.:
 207069

 Witness(es):
 Riju Raj Roy

 Sadaf Ahsan, MD

- **DISCUSSION:** Ms. Sultana appeared via video before the Committee, without legal counsel, and fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice dated March 11, 2021.
- **CLOSED MEETING:** Upon a motion by Ms. Stransky, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee voted to convene in 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 Nusrath Sultana, Applicant for licensure as a Resident in Counseling. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Lang and Ms. Evans attend the closed meeting because their presence 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 of Virginia*, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Stransky, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to deny Ms. Sultana's application for licensure as a Resident in Counseling. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 1:14 p.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on the respondent, unless the respondent makes a written request to the Board within such time for a formal hearing on the allegations made. If service of the Order is made by mail, three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.

Danielle Hunt

Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson Special Conference Committee of the Board of Counseling

Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director Virginia Board of Counseling

04/12/2021 Date

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Date

VIRGINIA BOARD OF COUNSELING SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE (VIRTUAL) INFORMAL CONFERENCES – APRIL 9, 2021

- CALL TO ORDER: Consistent with Amendment 28 to HB29 and the applicable provisions of § 2.2-3708.2 of the Freedom of Information Act, the Committee convened a virtual meeting of a Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") on April 9, 2021 at 1:29 p.m. via WebEx.
- MEMBERS PRESENT: Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson Maria Stransky, LPC, CSAC
- **STAFF PRESENT:** Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director, Board of Counseling Christy Evans, Discipline and Compliance Case Manager, Board of Counseling Jess Kelley, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division

 RESPONDENT:
 Jacklyn Cargill, Applicant for Licensure as a Resident in Counseling

 Case No.:
 208449

 Witness(es):
 Chanelle Henderson

 Bethany Lackey

- **DISCUSSION:** Ms. Cargill appeared via video before the Committee, without legal counsel, and fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice dated March 15, 2021.
- **CLOSED MEETING:** Upon a motion by Ms. Stransky, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee voted to convene in 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 Jacklyn Cargill, Applicant for Licensure as a Resident in Counseling. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Lang and Ms. Evans attend the closed meeting because their presence 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 of Virginia*, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.
- **DECISION:** Upon a motion by Ms. Stransky, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to deny Ms. Cargill's application for licensure as a Resident in Counseling. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on the respondent, unless the respondent makes a written request to the Board within such time for a formal hearing on the allegations made. If service of the Order is made by mail, three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.

Danielle Hunt

Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson Special Conference Committee of the Board of Counseling

Jennifer Lang

Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director Virginia Board of Counseling

04/13/2021 Date

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