APPROVED VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES AUGUST 11, 2021

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 9:06 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Khalique Zahir, M.D., Chair

Milly Rambhia, M.D. Jane Hickey, J.D.

STAFF PRESENT:

Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline

Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline Victoria Hinton, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER:

Michael T. Liu, M.D.

License No.: 0101-256068

Case No.: 196556

DISCUSSION:

Dr. Liu appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated June 23, 2021. Dr. Liu was represented by Michael L. Goodman, Esquire and

Nora Ciancio, Esquire

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice

with Dr. Liu.

CLOSED SESSION:

Upon a motion by Dr. Rambhia, and duly seconded by Ms. Hickey, 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. Liu. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Deschenes 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 Ms. Hickey, and duly seconded by Dr.

Rambhia, the Committee voted to exonerate Dr. Liu.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 10:31 a.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on Dr. Liu, unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against him is received from Dr. Liu, within such time. 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.

Khalique Zahir, M.D., Chair

Date

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

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Date

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CALL TO ORDER:

A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at

2:15 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Jane Hickey, J.D., Chair Khalique Zahir, M.D. Rebecca Keith. RT

STAFF PRESENT:

Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline

Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline Carolann McNicol, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER:

Eric Lee King, Licensed Radiologic Technologist

PRELIMINARY MATTER:

The Chair noted that the time was 2:15 p.m. and Mr. King was noticed to appear before the Committee at 2:00 p.m. and was not

present.

Ms. McNicol advised that the Notice had been sent to Dr. King's address of record with the Board by overnight and First class mail.

RULING:

Based on the information provided by Ms. McNicol, the Chair determined that proper notice had been provided to Mr. King, therefore, the informal conference would proceed in his absence.

DISCUSSION:

Mr. King did not appear before the Committee in accordance with the Board's Notice of Informal Conference dated June 24, 2021, nor was he represented at the conference by legal counsel.

The Committee fully considered the evidence before it and received information from Ms. McNicol regarding the allegations in the Notice.

ADJOURNMENT:

Upon learning the respondent was deceased, the Committee

adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Jane Hickey, J.D., Chair

Date .

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

Date