## APPROVED VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES SEPTEMBER 30, 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 9:09 a.m.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** 

L. Blanton Marchese, Chair

Milly Rambhia, M.D. James Arnold, D.P.M.

STAFF PRESENT:

Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline

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

OTHERS PRESENT:

Carol Rashid, NP

MATTER:

Haroon Rashid, M.D.

License No.: 0101-232149

Case Nos.: 181527; 180190

**DISCUSSION:** 

Dr. Rashid appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with an Amended Notice of the Board dated July 15, 2021. Dr. Rashid was represented by Ashley D. Calkins,

Esquire.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice

with Dr. Rashid.

**CLOSED SESSION:** 

Upon a motion by Dr. Arnold, and duly seconded by Dr. Rambhia, 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. Rashid. Additionally, he 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 Dr. Rambhia, and duly seconded by Dr. Arnold, the Committee made certain findings of fact and conclusions of law and voted to issue Dr. Rashid a reprimand and place his license on terms and conditions.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

**ADJOURNMENT:** 

The Committee adjourned at 1:22 p.m.

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

L. Blanton Marchese, Chair

President

10/05/2021

Date

William L. Harp, M.D.

**Executive Director** 

Date