APPROVED VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES SEPTEMBER 22, 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 9:15 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Khalique Zahir, M.D., Chair

Manjit Dhillon, M.D. Jane Hickey, Esquire

STAFF PRESENT:

William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director of the Board

Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline Melanie Pagano, Adjudication Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT:

John Alspaugh, M.D. (expert on behalf of the Board)

Jim Shearer, M.D. Gregory Laurence, M.D.

MATTER:

Gregory Alan Alouf, M.D. License No.: 0101-230957

Case No.: 191177

DISCUSSION:

Dr. Alouf appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated June 21, 2021. Dr. Alouf was represented by Cathy Reynolds, Esquire and Jeff

Segal, M.D., J.D.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice

with Dr. Alouf.

CLOSED SESSION:

Upon a motion by Ms. Hickey, and duly seconded by Dr. Dhillon, 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. Alouf. Additionally, she 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 Ms. Hickey, and duly seconded by Dr. Dhillon, the Committee made certain findings of fact and conclusions of law and voted to issue Dr. Alouf a reprimand and place his license on probation with terms and conditions.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

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

A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to

order at 2:37 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Manjit Dhillon, M.D., Chair

Khalique Zahir, M.D. Jane Hickey, Esquire

STAFF PRESENT:

Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline

Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline Melanie Pagano, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER:

Ira Clifford Newman, M.D.

License No.: 0101-057155

Case No.: 202316

DISCUSSION:

Dr. Newman appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated May 27, 2021. Dr. Newman was represented by Nicholas Balland, Esquire and

Jeffrey Jankovich, Esquire.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice

with Dr. Newman.

CLOSED SESSION:

RECONVENE:

Upon a motion by Ms. Hickey, and duly seconded by Dr. Zahir, 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. Newman. 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.

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. Zahir, the Committee made certain findings of fact and conclusions of law and voted to issue Dr. Newman a reprimand and place his license on terms and conditions.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 4:06 p.m.

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

Manjit Dhillon, M.D., Chair

Date

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

Date