

UNAPPROVED

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
October 22, 2013 - 9:00 AM**

**Department of Health Professions
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite #300
Henrico, Virginia 23233**

- CALL TO ORDER:** A Special Conference Committee of the Board of Physical Therapy was called to order at 9:39 a.m.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Michael Styron, PT, MBA, Chair
Dixie Bowman, PT
- DHP STAFF PRESENT:** Lisa Hahn, Executive Director
Kathy Petersen, Discipline Operations Manager
Mykl Egan, Adjudication Specialist
Lynne Helmick, Deputy Executive Director
Jan Willis, Administrative Proceedings Division
Anne Joseph, Administrative Proceedings Division
- RESPONDENT'S COUNCIL:** Gerald Canaan, II, Esq.
Meredith Brebner, Esq.
- OTHERS PRESENT:** Courtney C. Williams, Esq.
Patient A
Carolyn Blanch
Wayne Blanks
Mike Wilson
Kim Beasley
Sheryl Anderson
- MATTER:** **John V. Klemer, P.T.**
License No.: 2305-203485
Case No.: 15113
- DISCUSSION:** Mr. Klemer appeared before the Committee in accordance with the Notice of the Board dated September 16, 2013. Mr. Klemer was represented by Gerald Canaan, II and Meredith Brebner.

The Committee accepted additional evidence from Mr. Klemer and fully discussed the allegations, as outlined in the Notice of Informal Conference with Mr. Klemer.

RECESS: The Committee took a recess at 10:42 a.m.

RECONVENE: The Committee reconvened at 10:51 a.m.

CLOSED SESSION: Upon a motion by Ms. Bowman, and duly seconded by Mr. Styron, 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 John Klemer, P.T. Additionally, he moved that Ms. Hahn, Ms. Petersen and Mr. Egan attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its discussions. The Committee entered into closed session at 11:15 a.m.

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 at 12:36 p.m.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Bowman and duly seconded by Mr. Styron, the Committee moved to place Mr. Klemer on Probation for no less than 2 years. Mr. Klemer shall inform his current physical therapy employer and each future physical therapy employer that the Board has placed him on probation and shall provide each employer with a complete copy of his Order. Mr. Klemer must complete 16 hours of Continuing Education in addition to the required hours for renewal. Mr. Klemer is also subject to other Terms and Conditions as outlined in the final Board Order. The motion carried.

VOTE: The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT: The Committee adjourned at 12:42 p.m.

Michael Styron, PT, MBA, Chair

Lisa R. Hahn, Executive Director

Date

Date

