

APPROVED

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE
PERIMETER CENTER
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300
Richmond, Virginia 23233**

DATE, TIME & PLACE: On April 19, 2016, at 6:36 a.m., the Board convened by telephone conference call with a quorum of the Board present, and the Board President presiding as Chair, in order to consider whether a practitioner's ability to practice medicine constituted a substantial danger to public health and safety pursuant to Va. Code §54.1-2408.1.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kenneth Walker, M.D., Chair, President
Barbara Allison-Bryan, M.D.
Randolph J. Clements, D.P.M.
Lori Conklin, M.D.
Alvin Edwards, Ph.D.
Jane Hickey, J.D.
Maxine Lee, M.D.
Stuart Mackler, M.D.
Kevin O'Connor, M.D.
Wayne Reynolds, D.O.
David Taminger, M.D.
Svinder Toor, M.D.
N. Ray Tuck, Jr., D.C.

BOARD COUNSEL: Erin Barrett, Assistant Attorney General

STAFF PRESENT: William L. Harp, Executive Director
Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline
Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline

**PARTIES FOR THE
COMMONWEALTH:** Julia Bennett, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER CONSIDERED: David S. Witmer, M.D., License No.: 0101-049677

The Board received information from Adjudication Specialist Bennett in order to determine whether Dr. Witmer's ability to practice medicine constituted a substantial danger to public

health and safety. Ms. Bennett provided details of the case to the Board for its consideration.

DECISION:

On a motion by Dr. Mackler, and duly seconded by Dr. Edwards, the Board determined that Dr. Witmer's ability to practice constituted a substantial danger to the public health and safety and voted to summarily suspend his license simultaneous with the institution of proceedings for a formal administrative hearing pursuant to Section 54.1-2408.1 of the Code of Virginia.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

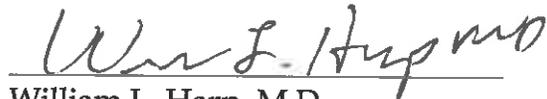
The Board adjourned at 6:40 a.m.

A formal hearing is scheduled for May 20, 2016, at 10:00 a.m. for a final determination regarding this pending matter.



Kenneth Walker, M.D., Chair
President

5-12-16
Date



William L. Harp, M.D.
Executive Director

5/12/16
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