

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING  
COMMITTEE OF THE JOINT BOARDS OF NURSING AND MEDICINE  
FORMAL HEARING  
February 13, 2013**

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine was convened at 9:20 A.M., in Board Room 2, Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia.

PRESIDING: Louise D. Hartz, Citizen Member, Vice President, Board of Nursing

COMMITTEE OF THE JOINT BOARDS OF NURSING AND MEDICINE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Claudette Dalton, MD, Board of Medicine  
Allison Gregory, RN, FNP-BC, Board of Nursing  
Louise D. Hartz, Citizen Member, Board of Nursing  
Robert Hickman, MD, Board of Medicine  
Jane R. Ingalls, RN, PhD, Board of Nursing  
William Traynham, LPN, CSAC, Board of Nursing  
Joyce A. Hahn, APRN, NEA-BC, PhD, Board of Nursing

STAFF PRESENT: Jay P. Douglas, RN, MSM, CSAC, Executive Director  
Gloria D. Mitchell, RN, MSN, MBA, Deputy Executive Director  
Darlene Graham, Senior Discipline Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT: Howard M. Casway, Senior Assistant Attorney General  
Anne Joseph, Deputy Director, Administrative Proceedings Division  
Tammie Smith, Reporter, Richmond Times Dispatch

CONSIDERATION OF AGENCY SUBORDINATE RECOMMENDATIONS:

**Tina Judge, RN, CNS, LNP 0001-143532; 0015-000587; 0024-164066**  
Ms. Judge appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Mr. Traynham moved that Dr. Dalton, Ms. Gregory, Ms. Hartz and Dr Hickman of the Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 9:27 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Judge. Additionally, Mr. Traynham moved that Ms. Douglas, Ms. Mitchell, Ms. Graham and Mr. Casway attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 9:33 A.M.

Ms. Gregory moved that the Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

Dr. Dalton moved to reject the recommended decision of the agency subordinate and to close the case regarding Tina Judge. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

FORMAL HEARING:

**Joey Pascarella, LNP 0024-167336**

Ms. Pascarella appeared, represented by attorney, Lisa Pruitt.

Olivia Exterovich, Adjudication Specialist, represented the Commonwealth. Mr. Casway was legal counsel for the Board. Beth Aliff, court reporter from Farnsworth and Taylor Reporting, recorded the proceedings.

Lynn Jackson; Dr. Anne Cockerham, RN, LNP, CNM, PhD; Dr. Felicia McDonald; and Meredith Seaccia, RN were present and testified.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Gregory moved that the quorum of the Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine and the panel of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 9:52 A.M. for the purpose of consideration of a proposed consent order regarding Ms. Pascarella. Additionally, Ms. Gregory moved that Ms. Douglas, Ms. Mitchell, Ms. Graham and Mr. Casway attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION:

The Committee reconvened in open session at 10:52 A.M.

Ms. Gregory moved that the Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine and the panel of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened.

The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION:

Ms. Gregory moved that the Committee of the Joint Boards of Nursing and Medicine accept the consent order to revoke the nurse practitioner license of Joey Pascarella. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

Dr. Ingalls moved the Board of Nursing accept the consent order to revoke the privilege to practice as a registered nurse in Virginia. The motion was seconded and carried. Ms. Gregory, Ms. Hartz, Dr. Ingalls, and Dr. Hahn were in favor of the motion. Mr. Traynham opposed the motion.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 11:37 A.M.

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Gloria D. Mitchell, RN, MSN, MBA  
Deputy Executive Director  
Board of Nursing

