

UNAPPROVED DRAFT
BOARD OF DENTISTRY
MINUTES
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE "B"

TIME AND PLACE: Special Conference Committee "B" convened on July 15, 2011, at 9:05 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, VA 23233.

FIRST CONFERENCE: 9:05 a.m.

PRESIDING: Robert B. Hall, Jr., DDS

MEMBERS PRESENT: Herbert R. Boyd, III, DDS

MEMBER ABSENT: Myra Howard

STAFF PRESENT: Alan Heaberlin, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Gail W. Ross, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM With two members present, a quorum was established.

James Coleman, DDS
Case Nos.: 123494,
123823 Dr. Coleman appeared without counsel to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated May 17, 2011. The Committee received statements from Dr. Coleman and discussed the allegations with him.

Closed Meeting: Dr. Boyd moved that the Committee convene in a closed session. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene: Dr. Boyd moved to certify that only matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under Virginia law were heard, discussed or considered by the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

DECISION: Dr. Hall reported that the Committee dismissed the allegations
Case Nos.: 123494,
123823 against Dr. Coleman.

Dr. Boyd moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

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**SECOND
CONFERENCE:** 10:00 a.m.

PRESIDING: Robert B. Hall, Jr., D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Herbert R. Boyd, III, D.D.S.

MEMBER ABSENT: Myra Howard

STAFF PRESENT: Alan Heaberlin, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Gail Ross, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM: With two members present, a quorum was established.

**Kathryn A. Biery, DDS
Case No.: 137851** Dr. Biery appeared with counsel, C. Richard Cranwell, to discuss her petition for modification of the Order of the Board entered September 13, 2007, set forth in a Notice of the Board dated May 18, 2011. The Committee received statements from Dr. Biery and Mr. Cranwell and discussed the petition with them.

Closed Meeting: Dr. Boyd moved that the Committee convene in a closed session. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene: Dr. Boyd moved to certify that only matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under Virginia law were heard, discussed or considered by the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

DECISION: Dr. Hall reported that the Committee granted Dr. Biery’s petition for modification of the Order of the Board entered September 13, 2007, terminated Dr. Biery’s probation and reinstated her license to a full and unrestricted status.

Dr. Boyd moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

THIRD CONFERENCE: 2:00 p.m.

PRESIDING: Robert B. Hall, Jr., D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Herbert R. Boyd, III, D.D.S.

MEMBER ABSENT: Myra Howard

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STAFF PRESENT: Alan Heaberlin, Deputy Executive Director
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QUORUM: With two members present, a quorum was established.

**Marvette Thomas, DDS
Case No.: 133549** Dr. Thomas appeared with counsel, Kenneth C. Hirtz, to discuss the allegation set forth in a Notice of the Board dated April 11, 2011. The Committee received statements from Dr. Thomas and Mr. Hirtz and discussed the allegation with them.

Closed Meeting: Dr. Boyd moved that the Committee convene in a closed session. The motion was seconded and passed.

Reconvene: Dr. Boyd moved to certify that only matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under Virginia law were heard, discussed or considered by the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

**DECISION:
Case No.: 133549** Ms. Ross reported that the Committee found Dr. Thomas failed to completely fill and obturate the canals of tooth #19 during root canal therapy on Patient A, as evidenced by a post-treatment radiograph taken on the same date of treatment.

The sanctions reported by Ms. Ross were that within 6 months from the date of entry of the Order, Dr. Thomas shall complete not less than 3 hours of continuing education in endodontics, 3 hours of continuing education in risk management, and be assessed a \$1,000 monetary penalty.

Dr. Boyd moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

**FOURTH
CONFERENCE:
Ailin Shan, DDS
Case No.: 135185** The informal conference scheduled for Ailin Shan, D.D.S., at 3:00 p.m., was continued by the Board at the request of Dr. Shan. The matter will be rescheduled for a future date.

ADJOURNMENT: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 2:58 p.m.

Robert B. Hall, Jr., DDS, Chair

Sandra K. Reen, Executive Director

Date

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