

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
February 6, 2012**

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing was convened at 9:00 A.M., on February 6, 2012 in Board Room 3, Suite 201, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: John M. Horn, LPN, Chairperson
Louise D. Hartz, Citizen Member
Kristina Wright, CMT (joined later)

STAFF PRESENT: Brenda Krohn, RN, MS, Deputy Executive Director

OTHERS PRESENT: Tammie Jones, Adjudication Specialist

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: **Fannie McCain, CNA 1401-119880**
Ms. McCain appeared, accompanied by attorney, Henry Green Bostwick II.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 9:30 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. McCain. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 9:41 A.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order of reprimand to Fannie McCain. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. McCain unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. McCain within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

Ms. Wright joined the meeting.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Andrew Mortimore, CMT 0019-009278

Mr. Mortimore appeared, accompanied by a friend, Rabbi David L. Goldstein.

Clyde Burton, source of the complaint, was also present and provided information to the Committee.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 10:09 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Mr. Mortimore. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 10:18 A.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order of reprimand to Andrew Mortimore. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Mr. Mortimore unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against him is received from Mr. Mortimore within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

Ms. Wright left the meeting.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Gladys Drew, RMA 0031-002694

Ms. Drew did not appear.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 10:31 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Drew. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 10:35 A.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to offer Gladys Drew a consent order for indefinite suspension of her medication aide registration for not less than one year in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

This Consent Order shall be effective upon endorsement of its findings, conclusions, and terms of consent by both Ms. Drew and the Board.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED:

Ginger Beatley, RN Reinstatement Applicant 0001-153474

Ms. Beatley appeared.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 11:04 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Beatley. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 11:15 A.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order to reinstate the license of Ginger Beatley to practice as a registered nurse and issue a valid in Virginia only license, and further place Ms. Beatley on probation for two years of employment as a registered nurse. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Beatley unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Beatley within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED:

Julie Mohr, LPN Reinstatement Applicant 0002-068035

Ms. Mohr appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 11:31 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Mohr. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 11:37 A.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order to reinstate the license of Julie Mohr to practice as a practical nurse and issue an unrestricted license. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Mohr unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Mohr within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: **Lisa Cash, LPN Reinstatement Applicant 0002-033940**
Ms. Cash appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 1:14 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Cash. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 1:19 P.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order to reinstate the license of Lisa Cash to practice as a practical nurse contingent upon Ms. Cash remaining in compliance with the terms of the Health Practitioners Monitoring Program.
The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Cash unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Cash within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Sandra Minton, LPN Reinstatement Applicant 0002-046054
Ms. Minton appeared, accompanied by attorney Mike Bragg, and attorney Emmitt Yeary.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 2:02 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Minton. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 2:08 P.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order of reprimand to Sandra Minton, require Ms. Minton to pay a \$500 monetary penalty to be the Board within sixty days and further, issue an order to reinstate the license of Sandra Minton to practice as a practical nurse and to issue an unrestricted license. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Minton unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Minton within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Kay Moran, RN Reinstatement Applicant 0001-143772
Ms. Moran appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 2:29 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Moran. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 2:35 P.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order to reinstate the license of Kay Moran to practice as a registered nurse and to issue an unrestricted license. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Moran unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Moran within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: **April Greene, RMA 0031-002709**
Ms. Greene did not appear.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 2:36 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Greene. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved that Ms. Krohn and Ms. Jones 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 2:45 P.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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. Hartz moved to issue an order of reprimand to April Greene. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Greene unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Greene within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned at 2:50 P.M.

Brenda Krohn, R.N., M.S.
Deputy Executive Director

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TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing was convened at 11:55 A.M. on February 6, 2012 in Board Room 3, Suite 201, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: John M. Horn, LPN, Chairperson
Louise D. Hartz, Citizen Member

STAFF PRESENT: Jane Elliott, RN, PhD, Discipline Staff

PRESENTED FOR CLOSURE/ADVICE:

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 11:55 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation regarding case disposition. Additionally, Ms. Hartz moved Dr. Elliott attend the closed meeting because her presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary, and her presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations.
The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 12:55 P.M.

Ms. Hartz moved that the Special Conference Committee 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.

Investigative reports regarding four registered nurses and seven practical nurses were reviewed.

ACTION: Mr. Horn moved to offer seven of the above individuals a prehearing consent order in lieu of further administrative proceedings. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

Mr. Horn moved that four of the above individuals should be scheduled for an informal conference. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT: The Committee adjourned at 11:45 A.M.

Jane Elliott, RN, PhD
Discipline Staff