

APPROVED

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

DATE, TIME & PLACE: On August 2, 2017, at 6:30 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: Kevin O'Connor, M.D., Chair, President
Syed Ali, M.D.
Barbara Allison-Bryan, M.D.
David Archer, M.D.
Randolph J. Clements, D.P.M.
Alvin Edwards, Ph.D.
David C. Giammittorio, M.D.
Jane Hickey, J.D.
Isaac Koziol, M.D.
Maxine Lee, M.D.
Wayne Reynolds, D.O.
Svinder Toor, M.D.
N. Ray Tuck, Jr., D.C.
Kenneth Walker, M.D.

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: James Schliessmann, Sr. Assistant Attorney General
Melanie Pagano, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER CONSIDERED: Claudine N. DuPont, D.P.M., License No.: 0103-300971

The Board received information from Sr. AAG Schliessmann in order to determine whether Dr. DuPont's ability to practice medicine constituted a substantial danger to public health and safety. Mr. Schliessmann provided details of the case to the Board for its consideration.

DECISION:

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

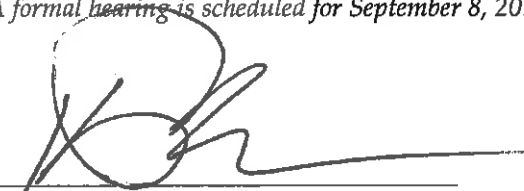
VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Board adjourned at 6:41 a.m.

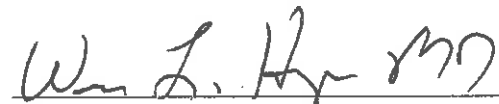
A formal hearing is scheduled for September 8, 2017, at 10:00 a.m. for a final determination regarding this pending matter.



Kevin O'Connor, M.D., Chair
President

8-4-17

Date



William L. Harp, M.D.
Executive Director

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