

**APPROVED**

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE  
PERIMETER CENTER  
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300  
Henrico, VA 23233**

**DATE, TIME & PLACE:** On October 4, 2018; 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 chiropractic 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  
David Archer, M.D.  
James R. Arnold, D.P.M.  
Lori Conklin, M.D.  
Manjit S. Dhillon, M.D.  
Alvin Edwards, Ph.D.  
Jane Hickey, J.D.  
L. Blanton Marchese  
Jacob Miller, D.O.  
Karen Ransone, M.D.  
Brenda L. Stokes, M.D.  
David Taminger, M.D.  
Svinder Toor, M.D.  
N. Ray Tuck, Jr., D.C.  
Kenneth Walker, M.D.  
Martha Wingfield

**BOARD COUNSEL:** Erin Barrett, Assistant Attorney General

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

**PARTIES ON BEHALF OF COMMONWEALTH:** Julia Bennett, Assistant Attorney General  
Michael Parsons, Adjudication Specialist

**MATTER CONSIDERED:** Terry M. Pleskonko, D.C.; License No.: 0104-000537

The Board received information from AAG Julia Bennett in order to determine whether Dr. Pleskonko's ability to practice chiropractic 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. Taminger, and duly seconded by Dr. Edwards, the Board determined that Dr. Pleskonko'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 6:39 a.m.

*A formal hearing is scheduled for November 8, 2018, at 9:00 a.m. for a final determination regarding this pending matter.*

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

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**PARTIES ON BEHALF OF COMMONWEALTH:** Julia Bennett, Assistant Attorney General  
Lori Pound, Adjudication Specialist

**MATTER CONSIDERED:** Shannon M. Finch, M.D.; License No.: 0101-223610

The Board received information from AAG Julia Bennett in order to determine whether Dr. Finch'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. Edwards, and duly seconded by Dr. Taminger, the Board determined that Dr. Finch'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.


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