VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE June 15, 2016

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing was

convened at 9:20 A.M., on June 15, 2016 in Board Room 1, Suite 201,

Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeanne Holmes, Citizen Member, Chairperson

Joseph Schibner, IV, C.M.T., L.Ac

STAFF PRESENT: Brenda Krohn, R.N., M.S., Deputy Executive Director

OTHERS PRESENT: Tammie Jones, Adjudication Specialist

Ashley Rivera, Summer Intern

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: Yun Yun Li, C.M.T. 00019-012458

Ms. Li appeared, accompanied by her attorney David A. Powers, III and her employer Mr. Kim Winfrey, who assisted Ms. Li with translation of questions.

CLOSED MEETING: Mr. Schibner 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 9:49 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Li. Additionally, Mr. Schibner 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 10:22 A.M.

Mr. Schibner 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: Mr. Schibner moved to offer Yun Yun Li a Consent Order for indefinite

suspension of her massage therapist certificate 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. Li and the Board.

CONFERENCES

SCHEDULED: Soon Ja Kim, C.M.T. 0019-003046

Ms. Kim did not appear.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Schibner 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 10:30 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Kim. Additionally, Mr. Schibner 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 10:40 A.M.

Mr. Schibner 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:

Mr. Schibner moved to offer Soon Ja Kim a Consent Order for indefinite suspension of her massage therapist certificate 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. Kim and the Board.

CONFERENCES SCHEDULED:

Elizabeth Fitzpatrick, C.M.T. 0019-003663

Ms. Fitzpatrick did not appear.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Schibner 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 10:40 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Fitzpatrick. Additionally, Mr. Schibner 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 10:50 A.M.

Mr. Schibner 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:

Mr. Schibner moved to close the case regarding Elizabeth Fitzpatrick and impose no sanction due to insufficient evidence to warrant disciplinary action by the Board of Nursing. 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. Fitzpatrick unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Fitzpatrick 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:

You Fu Yu, C.M.T. 0019-010397

Mr. Yu appeared, accompanied by his attorney Shoaming Jerry Cheng.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Schibner 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 11:46 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Mr. Yu. Additionally, Mr. Schibner 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 12:05 P.M.

Mr. Schibner 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:

Mr. Schibner moved to offer You Fu Yu a Consent Order for indefinite suspension of his massage therapist certificate for not less than 1 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 Mr. Yu and the Board.

CONFERENCES SCHEDULED:

Shuhong Zhang, C.M.T. 0019-013559

Ms. Zhang appeared, accompanied by her attorney Shaming Jerry Cheng along with her husband and Ms. Kwan, an interpreter.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Schibner 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 1:28 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Zhang. Additionally, Mr. Schibner 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 1:32 P.M.

Mr. Schibner 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:

Mr. Schibner moved to close the case regarding Shuhong Zhang and impose no sanction due to insufficient evidence of a violation of the laws and regulations.

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. Zhang unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Zhang 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:

Angelene D. Ramadoo, C.M.T. Applicant

Ms. Ramadoo appeared.

CLOSED MEETING:

Mr. Schibner 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 1:44 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Ramadoo. Additionally, Mr. Schibner 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 1:50 P.M.

Mr. Schibner 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:

Mr. Schibner moved to issue an order to approve Angelene Ramadoo's application for certification as a massage therapist in Virginia.

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. Ramadoo unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Ramadoo 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.

Mr. Schibner left the meeting.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned at 1:52 P.M.

Brenda Krohn, R.N., M.S.

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

VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING AGENCY SUBORDINATE INFORMAL CONFERENCE June 15, 2016

TIME AND PLACE: The informal conferences held before an Agency Subordinate of the Board of

Nursing were convened at 2:00P.M., on June 15, 2016 in Board Room 1, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico,

Virginia.

AGENCY

SUBORDINATE: Jeanne Holmes, Board Member

STAFF PRESENT: Brenda Krohn, R.N., M.S., Deputy Executive Director

OTHERS PRESENT: Tammie Jones, Adjudication Specialist

Ashley Rivera, Summer Intern

CONFERENCES SCHEDULED:

Victoria Lenz, C.N.A. Reinstatement Applicant 1401-047551

Ms. Lenz appeared.

Ms. Lenz was informed that a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, 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. Lenz unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Lenz 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:

Michelle Y. Howell, C.N.A. Applicant, R.M.A. Applicant

Ms. Howell appeared, accompanied by her co-worker Sarah Lucado.

Ms. Howell was informed that a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, 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. Howell unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Howell 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:

Amber Hendricks, RN Reinstatement Applicant 0001-198247

Ms. Hendricks appeared.

Ms. Hendricks was informed that a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, 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. Hendricks unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Hendricks 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 conferences were concluded at 3:30 P.M.

Brenda Krohn, R.N., M.S.

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