VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL March 16, 2017

A telephone conference call meeting of the Virginia Board of Nursing was held on March 16, 2017 at 12:00 P.M. The Board members participating in the meeting were:

Louise Hershkowitz, CRNA, MSHA; Chair Guia Caliwagan, RN, MAN, EdS Regina Gilliam, LPN Jeanne Holmes, Citizen Member Kelly S. McDonough, DNP, RN Trula Minton, MS, RN Mark Monson, Citizen Member Dustin Ross, DNP, MBA, RN, NE-BC William Traynham, LPN, CSAC

Others participating in the meeting were:

Charis Mitchell, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel Wayne Halbleib, Assistant Attorney General Jodi P. Power, RN, JD; Deputy Executive Director Brenda Krohn, RN, MS; Deputy Executive Director Carla Boyd, Adjudication Specialist

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Hershkowitz. With nine members of the Board participating, a quorum was established. A poll of those participating showed that a good faith effort to convene a regular meeting within the week was not possible.

Wayne Halbleib, Assistant Attorney General presented evidence that the continued practice of massage therapy by William Eric Eberhardt, LTM 0019- 005404 may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Mr. Traynham moved to summarily suspend the right to renew the massage therapy license of William Eric Eberhardt pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of the right to renew his massage therapy license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:50 P.M.

Brenda Krohn, RN, MS Deputy Executive Director