

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING**  
**POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION CONFERENCE**  
**March 28, 2018**

A possible summary suspension meeting of the Virginia Board of Nursing was called to order at 8:30 A.M. March 28, 2018 in Board Room 2, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia 23233.

**The Board of Nursing members participating in the meeting were:**

Louise Hershkowitz, CRNA, MSHA; Chair  
Laura F. Cei, BS, LPN, CCRP  
Margaret J. Friedenber, Citizen Member  
Marie Gerardo, MS, RN, ANP-BC  
Joyce A. Hahn, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FNAP

Mark Monson, Citizen Member  
Jennifer Phelps, LPN, QMHPA  
Dustin S. Ross, DNP, MBA, RN, NE-BC  
Grace Thapa, BSN, RN

**Others participating in the meeting were:**

Charis Mitchell, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel  
James Schliessmann, Assistant Attorney General  
Jessica Kelly, Adjudication Specialist  
Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE; Executive Director  
Robin Hills, RN, DNP, WHNP; Deputy Executive Director for Advanced Practice  
Brenda Krohn, RN, MS; Deputy Executive Director  
Jane Elliott, Discipline Staff  
Huong Vu, Executive Assistant  
Darlene Graham, Senior Discipline Specialist

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Hershkowitz. With nine members of the Board of Nursing participating, a quorum was established.

James Schliessmann, Assistant Attorney General presented evidence that the continued practice of nursing by Robin Oyster Serro, RN 0001- 239426 may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

**CLOSED MEETING:** Mr. Monson moved that the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 8:37 A.M., for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Serro. Additionally, Mr. Monson moved that Ms. Douglas, Dr. Hills, Ms. Krohn, Dr. Elliott, Ms. Vu, Ms. Graham, and Ms. Mitchell attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Board in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

**RECONVENTION:** The Board reconvened in open session at 8:51 A.M.

Mr. Monson moved that 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.

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Ms. Thapa moved to summarily suspend the nursing license of Robin Oyster Serro pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 A.M.

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Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE  
Executive Director