

VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL
December 19, 2018

A possible summary suspension telephone conference call of the Virginia Board of Nursing was held December 19, 2018 at 12:04 P.M.

The Board of Nursing members participating in the meeting were:

Louise Hershkowitz, CRNA, MSHA; Chair
Laura F. Cei, BS, LPN, CCRP
Marie Gerardo, MS, RN, ANP-BC
A Tucker Gleason, PhD, Citizen Member

Joyce Hahn, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FNAP, FAAN
Mark Monson, Citizen Member
Jennifer Phelps, BS, LPN, QMHPA
Meenakshi Shah, BA, RN

Others participating in the meeting were:

Charis Mitchell, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel
Julia Bennett, Assistant Attorney General
James Schliessmann, Assistant Attorney General
Cynthia Gaines, Adjudication Specialist
Lana Jagadish, Adjudication Specialist
Grace Stewart, Adjudication Specialist
Jodi Power, RN, JD; Senior Deputy Executive Director
Robin Hills, RN, DNP, WHNP; Deputy Executive Director for Advanced Practice
Charlette Ridout, RN, MS, CNE; Deputy Executive Director
Patricia Dewey, RN, BSN; Discipline Case Manager
Sylvia Tamayo-Suijk, Discipline Team Coordinator

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Hershkowitz. With eight members of the Board of Nursing 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.

Julia Bennett, Assistant Attorney General presented evidence that the continued practice of massage therapy by Bradford Lynn McRae, LMT 0019-015168 may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Ms. Gerardo moved to summarily suspend the nursing license of Bradford Lynn McRae pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for revocation of his license, in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

James Schliessmann, Assistant Attorney General presented evidence that the continued practice as a certified nurse aide by Christopher Harvey, CNA 1401-188923 may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Virginia Board of Nursing
Possible Summary Suspension Telephone Conference Call
December 19, 2018

Mr. Monson moved to summarily suspend the nursing license of Christopher Harvey pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of his certificate for not less than two years, in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried with seven votes yes and one vote no (Ms. Phelps voted no).

Julia Bennett, Assistant Attorney General presented evidence that the continued practice of nursing by Timothy Michael O'Donnell, RN 0001-250363 may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Ms. Gerardo moved to summarily suspend the nursing license of Timothy Michael O'Donnell pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of his license until such time as he can demonstrate that he is capable of resuming the safe and competent practice of nursing in Virginia, in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:35 P.M.

Jodi Power, RN, JD
Senior Deputy Executive Director