

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING**  
**POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL**  
**June 27, 2019**

A possible summary suspension telephone conference call of the Virginia Board of Nursing was held June 27, 2019 at 4:31 P.M.

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

Louise Hershkowitz, CRNA, MSHA; Chair  
Laura F. Cei, BS, LPN, CCRP  
Margaret Friedenberg, Citizen Member  
Marie Gerardo, MS, RN, ANP-BC  
A Tucker Gleason, PhD, Citizen Member  
James Hermansen-Parker, MSN, RN, PCCN-K

Dixie L. McElfresh, LPN  
Trula Minton, MS, RN  
Mark Monson, Citizen Member  
Jennifer Phelps, BS, LPN, QMHPA, CSA  
Cynthia Swineford, RN, MSN, CNE

**Others participating in the meeting were:**

Charis Mitchell, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel  
Wayne Halbleib, Senior Assistant Attorney General/Chief  
Cynthia Gaines, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division  
Jodi Power, RN, JD; Senior Deputy Executive Director  
Robin Hills, RN, DNP, WHNP; Deputy Executive Director for Education  
Terri Clinger, DNP, RN, CPNP-PC; Deputy Executive Director for Advanced Practice  
Charlette Ridout, RN, MS, CNE; Deputy Executive Director  
Lelia Claire Morris, RN, LNHA; Discipline Case Manager  
Huong Vu, Executive Assistant

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Hershkowitz. With eleven members of the Board of Nursing participating, a quorum was established. A good faith effort to convene a meeting at the Board of Nursing offices within the week failed.

Wayne Halbleib, Senior Assistant Attorney General/Chief, presented evidence that the continued practice of massage therapy by **Christopher Sylvester McClure, LMT (0019-010089)** may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Ms. McElfresh moved to summarily suspend the massage therapy license of **Christopher Sylvester McClure** pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of his license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried with eight votes in favor of the motion. Dr. Gleason and Mr. Hermansen-Parker opposed the motion. Mr. Monson abstained.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:56 P.M.

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Jodi Power, RN, JD  
Senior Deputy Executive Director