

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
INFORMAL CONFERENCES
December 1, 2011**

TIME AND PLACE: The informal conferences held before an Agency Subordinate of the Board of Nursing were convened at 9:00 A.M., on December 1, 2011 in Hearing Room 5, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Richmond, Virginia.

**AGENCY
SUBORDINATE:** Janet B. Younger, RN, PNP, PhD

STAFF PRESENT: Gloria D. Mitchell, RN, MSN, MBA, Deputy Executive Director

OTHERS PRESENT: James Rutkowski, Adjudication Specialist

**CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:** **Candace McNeil, LPN 0002-069483**
Ms. McNeil appeared.

Ms. McNeil was informed 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. McNeil unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. McNeil 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:** **Christina Brown, RN 0001-166398**
Ms. Brown appeared.

Ms. Brown was informed 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. Brown unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Brown 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
CONTINUED:** **Negatha McPeak, RN 0001-227782**
Ms. McPeak did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Mr. Rutkowski, Dr. Younger ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. McPeak.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. McPeak 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 be a Final Order.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Rebecca Hamilton, LPN 0002-056341

Ms. Hamilton did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Mr. Rutkowski, Dr. Younger ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Hamilton.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Hamilton 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 be a Final Order.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Audrey Jones, LPN 0002-032365

Ms. Jones did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Mr. Rutkowski, Dr. Younger ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Jones.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Jones 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 be a Final Order.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Barbara Brody, RN 0001-120199

Ms. Brody appeared.

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

Meredith Ragan, RN 0001-057075; LNP 0024-164106; Authorization to Prescribe 0017-137568

Ms. Ragan appeared, accompanied by Gerald Canaan, II and Dr. W. Stanley Jennings, Jr.

Iris Hayes and Dawn Scott were also present.

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

Beverly Ballard, RN 0001-197677

Ms. Ballard did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Mr. Rutkowski, Dr. Younger ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Ballard.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Ballard 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 be a Final Order.

ADJOURNMENT:

The conferences were concluded at 3:30 P.M.

Gloria D. Mitchell, RN, MSN, MBA,
Deputy Executive Director