

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
MINUTES**

January 14, 2019

Department of Health Professions
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive
Henrico, Virginia 23233

- CALL TO ORDER:** A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 12:02 p.m.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Elizabeth Locke, PT, PhD, Chair
Tracey Adler, PT, DPT
- DHP STAFF PRESENT:** Lynne Helmick, Deputy Executive Director
Angela Pearson, Discipline Manager
Jess Kelley, Adjudication Specialist
- OTHERS PRESENT:** Eric Battle
- MATTER:** **Natasha S. Hentz, PTA**
Case # 190771
- DISCUSSION:** Ms. Hentz appeared before the Committee in accordance with the Board's Notice of Informal Conference, dated December 20, 2018.
- The Committee fully discussed the allegations as referenced in the December 20, 2018, Notice of Informal Conference.
- CLOSED SESSION:** Upon a motion by Dr. Adler, and duly seconded by Dr. Locke, the Committee voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711.A (27) of the Code of Virginia, for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Natasha Hentz, PTA. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Helmick and Ms. Pearson attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its discussions.
- RECONVENE:** Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee re-convened in open session.
- DECISION:** Upon a motion by Dr. Adler and duly seconded by Dr. Locke, the Committee moved to grant Ms. Hentz a physical therapist assistant license under probationary status with terms.
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The motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 1:09 p.m.

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Corie Tillman Wolf, JD, Executive Director
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May 16, 2019
Date

May 17, 2019
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