

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY
INFORMAL CONFERENCE
MARCH 28, 2012
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
HENRICO, VIRGINIA**

TIME & PLACE: The informal conference before a Special Conference Committee (SCC) was called to order at 10:02 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, 2nd Floor, Hearing Room 5, Henrico, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jonathan Noble, O.D.
Angela Tsai, O.D.

STAFF PRESENT: Leslie L. Knachel, M.P.H., Executive Director
Anne Joseph, Administrative Proceedings Division
Carol Stamey, Operations Manager
Tamara Farmer, Administrative Assistant

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Thanh T. Yang, O.D., 0618001579**
Case No.: 138625

DISCUSSION: Dr. Yang appeared before the SCC in accordance with a Notice of Informal Conference dated January 6, 2012. Dr. Yang was present and represented by Julia Krebs-Markrich, Esquire. The SCC fully discussed the allegations in the notice with Dr. Yang.

CLOSED SESSION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. Tsai, the SCC recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia (Code) for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Thanh T. Yang, O.D.** Additionally, it was moved that Ms. Joseph and Ms. Knachel attend the closed session because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the SCC in its deliberations.

OPEN SESSION: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the SCC reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Based on the investigative report and discussion of the case with Dr. Yang, the SCC moved to accept

Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and voted to issue an Order with a reprimand.

Ms. Krebs-Markrich requested that the SCC reconsider the Board's Conclusions of Law and substitute § 54.1-3215(17) of the Code for § 54.1-3215(3).

CLOSED SESSION:

On properly seconded motion by Dr. Tsai, the SCC recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia (Code) for the purpose of reconsideration of its previous decision in the matter regarding **Thanh T. Yang, O.D.** Additionally, it was moved that Ms. Joseph and Ms. Knachel attend the closed session because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the SCC in its deliberations.

OPEN SESSION:

Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the SCC reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

On properly seconded motion by Dr. Tsai, the SCC moved to vacate its previous decision.

On properly seconded motion, Dr. Tsai moved to uphold the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law as originally decided upon, to add an additional Conclusion of Law and to issue an Order with a reprimand.

ADJOURNMENT:

The conference adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Jonathan R. Noble, O.D.
Chair

Leslie L. Knachel, M.P.H.
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MEMBERS PRESENT: Jonathan Noble, O.D.
Angela Tsai, O.D.

STAFF PRESENT: Leslie L. Knachel, M.P.H., Executive Director
Anne Joseph, Administrative Proceedings Division
Carol Stamey, Operations Manager
Tamara Farmer, Administrative Assistant

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Allan G. Dosik, O.D., 0601000973**
Case No.: 142768

DISCUSSION: Dr. Dosik appeared before the SCC in accordance with a Notice of Informal Conference dated February 21, 2012. Dr. Dosik was present and not represented by counsel. The SCC fully discussed his application for reinstatement with Dr. Dosik.

CLOSED SESSION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. Tsai, the SCC recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia (Code) for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Allan G. Dosik, O.D.** Additionally, it was moved that Ms. Joseph and Ms. Knachel attend the closed session because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the SCC in its deliberations.

OPEN SESSION: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the SCC reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. Tsai, the Committee moved to reinstate the license of Allan R. Dosik, O.D. and place his license on

PROBATION with certain terms and conditions.

ADJOURNMENT:

The conference adjourned at 1:20 p.m.

Jonathan R. Noble, O.D.
Chair

Leslie L. Knachel, M.P.H.
Executive Director

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