## VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL May 20, 2024

A possible summary suspension meeting of the Virginia Board of Nursing was held May 20, 2024, at 11:29 A.M.

## The Board of Nursing members participating in the call were:

Cynthia Swineford, RN, MSN, CNE; Chair Delia Acuna, FNP-C
Carol Cartte, RN, BSN
Pamela Davis, LPN- via telephone
Margaret Friedenberg, Citizen Member
Ann Tucker Gleason, PhD, Citizen Member
Paul Hogan, Citizen Member- via telephone
Shantell Kinchen, LPN
Helen Parke, DNP, FNP-BC- via telephone
Robert Scott, RN

## Others participating in the meeting were:

Laura Booberg, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel
Claire Foley, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division
Christine Andreoli, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division
Sean Murphy, Assistant Attorney General
Amanda Padula-Wilson, Assistant Attorney General
David Robinson, Assistant Attorney General
Jay Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE; Executive Director
Christina Bargdill, BSN, MHS, RN; Deputy Executive Director
Robin Hills, DNP, RN, WHNP; Deputy Executive Director for Advanced Practice
Pat Dewey, RN, BSN, Discipline Case Manager
Francesca Iyengar, Discipline Case Manager
Huong Vu, Operations Manager

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Swineford. With 10 members of the Board of Nursing participating, a quorum was established.

Sean Murphy, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice of professional nursing by **Netsanet Medonnen Asres**, **RN** (0001-298388) may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

David Robinson, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice of professional nursing by **Helina Adusei**, **RN** (0001-298884) may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Amanda Padula-Wilson, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice of professional nursing by **Petty Nyanchama Onchonga**, **RN** (0001-297040) may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

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CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Kinchen moved that the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to \$2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia at 11:41 A.M., for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Netsanet Medonnen Asres, Helina Adusei and Petty Nyanchama Onchonga. Additionally, Ms. Kinchen moved that Ms. Douglas, Dr. Hills, Ms. Bargdill, Ms. Vu, and Ms. Booberg attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Board in its deliberations. The motion was seconded by Mr. Scott and carried unanimously.

Mr. Murphy, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Padula Wilson, Ms. Foley, Ms. Andreoli, Ms. Dewey and Ms. Iyengar left the meeting at 11:41 A.M.

**RECONVENTION:** The Board reconvened in open session at 11:54 A.M.

Ms. Kinchen moved that the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed, or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded by Ms. Acuna and carried unanimously.

Mr. Murphy, Mr. Robinson, Ms. Padula Wilson, Ms. Foley, Ms. Andreoli, Ms. Dewey and Ms. Iyengar rejoined the meeting at 11:54 A.M.

Mr. Scott moved to summarily suspend the license of **Netsanet Medonnen Asres** to practice as a registered nurse in the Commonwealth of Virginia pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for revocation of her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cartte and carried unanimously.

Dr. Gleason moved to summarily suspend the right to renew the license of **Helina Adusei** to practice as a registered nurse in the Commonwealth of Virginia pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order to revoke her right to renew her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded by Ms. Cartte and carried unanimously.

Ms. Cartte moved to summarily suspend the right to renew the license of **Petty Nyanchama Onchonga** to practice as a professional nurse in the Commonwealth of Virginia pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order to revoke her right to renew her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded by Ms. Acuna and carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:58 A.M.

Christina Bargdill, BSN, MHS, RN Deputy Executive Director