

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF COUNSELING
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE
INFORMAL CONFERENCE MINUTES – July 19, 2019**

CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") convened on July 19, 2019 at 9:39 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, Board Room 3.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
Danielle Hunt, LPC

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director, Board of Counseling
Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division

RESPONDENT: Mary Evans, LPC Applicant
Case No.: 185823

PRELIMINARY MATTERS: Ms. Tatum addressed an amendment to the Notice, removing 1(a) from the Statement of Allegations.

DISCUSSION: Ms. Evans appeared in person before the Committee, without legal counsel, and fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice dated March 13, 2019, and the Amended Notice dated May 1, 2019.

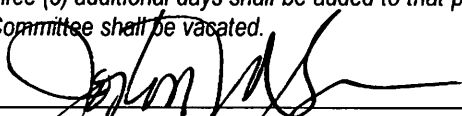
CLOSED MEETING: Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee voted to convene in a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Mary Evans, LPC Applicant. Additionally, she moved that Jennifer Lang attend the closed meeting because her presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

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

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to deny Ms. Evans' application for licensure as a professional counselor by endorsement. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 9:55 a.m.

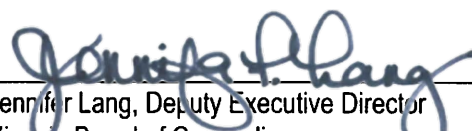
As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on the respondent, unless the respondent makes a written request to the Board within such time for a formal hearing on the allegations made. If service of the Order is made by mail, three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.



Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
Special Conference Committee of the Board of Counseling

7.30.2019

Date



Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
Virginia Board of Counseling

07/30/2019

Date

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CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") convened on July 19, 2019 at 10:12 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, Board Room 3.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
Danielle Hunt, LPC

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director, Board of Counseling
Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division

RESPONDENT: Lindsey Chase, Resident in Counseling
Case No.: 192587
Registration #: 0704005609

DISCUSSION: Ms. Chase appeared in person before the Committee, without legal counsel, and fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice dated April 15, 2019.

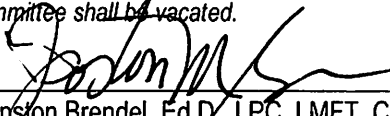
CLOSED MEETING: Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee voted to convene in a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Lindsey Chase, Resident in Counseling. Additionally, she moved that Jennifer Lang attend the closed meeting because her presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

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

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to impose no sanctions on Ms. Chase's registration to practice as a Resident in Counseling. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on the respondent, unless the respondent makes a written request to the Board within such time for a formal hearing on the allegations made. If service of the Order is made by mail, three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.



Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
Special Conference Committee of the Board of Counseling

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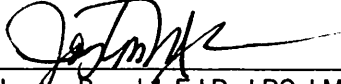
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- CALL TO ORDER:** A Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") convened on July 19, 2019 at 11:42 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, Board Room 3.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
Danielle Hunt, LPC
- STAFF PRESENT:** Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director, Board of Counseling
Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division
- RESPONDENT:** Famika Robertson, LSATP Applicant
Case No.: 192382
Attorney: Barbara Queen, Esquire
- DISCUSSION:** Ms. Robertson appeared in person before the Committee, with legal counsel, and fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice dated March 28, 2019, and the Amended Notice dated May 1, 2019.
- CLOSED MEETING:** Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee voted to convene in 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 Famika Robertson, LSATP Applicant. Additionally, she moved that Jennifer Lang attend the closed meeting because her presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations.
- RECONVENE:** Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of § 2.2-3712 of the *Code of Virginia*, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.
- DECISION:** Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to deny Ms. Robertson's application for licensure as a substance abuse treatment by endorsement. The motion carried.
- ADJOURN:** With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 12:26 p.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on the respondent, unless the respondent makes a written request to the Board within such time for a formal hearing on the allegations made. If service of the Order is made by mail, three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.



Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
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Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
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CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") convened on July 19, 2019 at 12:40 p.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, Board Room 3.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
Danielle Hunt, LPC

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director, Board of Counseling
Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division

RESPONDENT: Barbara Purdy, LPC
Case No.: 186823
License #: 0701004984

DISCUSSION: Ms. Purdy appeared in person before the Committee, without legal counsel, and fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice dated April 1, 2019, and the Amended Notice dated April 29, 2019.

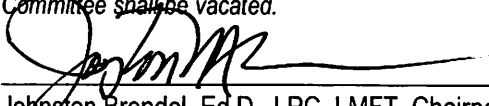
CLOSED MEETING: Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee voted to convene in a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Barbara Purdy, LPC. Additionally, she moved that Jennifer Lang attend the closed meeting because her presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

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

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Hunt, and duly seconded by Dr. Brendel, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to dismiss the case. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 1:05 p.m.

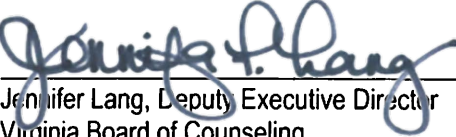
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Johnston Brendel, Ed.D., LPC, LMFT, Chairperson
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Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
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