

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING  
FORMAL HEARINGS  
PANEL B  
May 24, 2023**

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Virginia Board of Nursing was called to order at 11:02 A.M., on May 24, 2022, in Board Room 4, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia.

BOARD MEMBERS

PRESENT:

Cynthia M. Swineford, MSN, RN, CNE; First Vice-President  
Carol Cartte, RN, BSN  
Ann T. Gleason, PhD, Citizen Member  
James L. Hermansen-Parker, MSN, RN, PCCN-K  
Paul Hogan, Citizen Member  
Helen Parke, DNP, FNP-BC

STAFF PRESENT:

Lelia Claire Morris, RN, LNHA; Deputy Executive Director  
Christina Bargdill, BSN, MHS, RN; Deputy Executive Director  
Breana Wilkins, Administrative Support Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT:

M. Brent Saunders, Assistant Attorney General

ESTABLISHMENT  
OF A PANEL:

With six members of the Board present, a panel was established.

FORMAL HEARINGS:

**Tammy Lynn Wright, RN Reinstatement Applicant 0001-273693**

Ms. Wright appeared.

Rebecca Ribley, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division, represented the Commonwealth. Mr. Saunders was legal counsel for the Board. Coleen Gregory-Gettle, court reporter with County Court Reporters inc., recorded the proceedings.

Renee White, Senior Investigator, Enforcement Division, was present and testified.

CLOSED MEETING:

Dr. Gleason moved that the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia at 11:31 A.M., for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of **Tammy Lynn Wright**. Additionally, Dr. Gleason moved that Ms. Morris, Ms. Bargdill, Ms. Wilkins and Mr. Saunders, board counsel, 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 Dr. Parke and carried unanimously.

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

Dr. Gleason 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 Dr. Parke and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Mr. Hermansen-Parker moved that the Board of Nursing approve the application for reinstatement for the professional nursing license of **Tammy Lynn Wright** valid in the Commonwealth of Virginia only contingent upon successful completion of a Board approved refresher course. The motion was seconded by Dr. Parke and carried unanimously.

This decision shall be effective upon entry by the Board of a written Order stating the findings, conclusion, and decision of this formal hearing panel.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned at 11:55 A.M.

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Christina Bargdill, BSN, MHS, RN  
Deputy Executive Director