

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF OPTOMETRY
FORMAL HEARING MINUTES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
BOARD ROOM 4
HENRICO, VA
June 12, 2017**

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting of the Virginia Board of Optometry (Board) was called to order at 8:00 a.m., on June 12, 2017, at the Department of Health Professions (DHP), Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, 2nd Floor, Board Room 4, Henrico, Virginia.

PRESIDING OFFICER: Steven A. Linas, O.D., Chairperson

MEMBERS PRESENT: Devon Cabot, Citizen Member
Helene Clayton-Jeter, O.D.
Fred E. Goldberg, O.D.

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Lisa G. Wallace-Davis, O.D.
Clifford A. Roffis, O.D.

QUORUM: With four members of the Board present, a quorum was established.

STAFF PRESENT: Leslie L. Knachel, Executive Director
Amanda E. M. Blount, Deputy Executive Director
Terri H. Behr, Discipline/Compliance Specialist

BOARD COUNSEL: Charis A. Mitchell, Assistant Attorney General

COURT REPORTER: Juan Ortega, Crane-Snead & Associates, Inc.

PARTIES ON BEHALF OF THE COMMONWEALTH: James E. Schliessmann, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Emily E. Tatum, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Diana Thao Tran, O.D.**
License No.: 0618-001343
Case Nos.: 154934, 155012, 158304, 160741, 163385, 168725, 170737 & 172595

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The first day of this hearing took place on June 5, 2017, wherein the panel received testimony from various witness for the Commonwealth, an expert witness called by Dr. Tran, and Dr. Tran. By agreement of all parties, the hearing was recessed and subsequently scheduled, by mutual agreement, to reconvene on June 12, 2017. Dr. Tran appeared with counsel, Robert Harrison Gibbs, Jr., Esquire. The Board received additional evidence and testimony from Dr. Tran and discussed the allegations contained in the Notice.

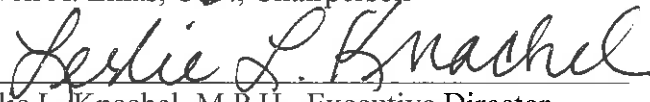
By agreement of all parties, the hearing was recessed and would be scheduled to reconvene on another day for the Board's deliberation and to announce the Board's decision.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Formal Hearing adjourned at 2:00 p.m.



Steven A. Linas, O.D., Chairperson



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