APPROVED VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES SEPTEMBER 25, 2024

Department of Health Professions Perimeter Center 9960 Mayland Drive. Suite 201 Henrico, VA

CALL TO ORDER:

A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to

order at 9:49 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Thomas Corry, Chair

Elliott Lucas, M.D.

STAFF PRESENT:

Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline

Tamika Hines, Case Manager, Discipline

Scott Pearl, Adjudication Specialist

MATTER:

Victor M. Paredes, M.D.

License No.: 0101-029693

Case No.: 227641

DISCUSSION:

Dr. Paredes appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated August 8, 2024. Dr. Paredes was represented by Nora Ciancio, Esquire.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice

with Dr. Paredes.

CLOSED SESSION:

Upon a motion by Dr. Lucas, and duly seconded by Mr. Corry, the Committee voted to convene 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 Dr. Paredes. Additionally, he moved that Ms. Deschenes and Ms. Hines attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and 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, the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its

decision.

DECISION:

Upon a motion by Dr. Lucas, and duly seconded by Mr. Corry, the Committee voted to refer this matter to a formal hearing

which will be held pursuant to §2.2-4020 and §2.2-4021.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

A formal hearing will be scheduled for a future date for a final determination.

nnifer L. Deschenes, J.D., M.S.
Deputy Executive Director

9/22/24

Date