

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES**

April 21, 2026

Department of Health Professions

Perimeter Center

9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201

- CALL TO ORDER:** A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 10:04 a.m.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Melissa Fox, PT, DPT
Srilekha Palle, PT, DPT
- DHP STAFF PRESENT:** Annette Kelley, Deputy Executive Director
Florence Venable, Discipline Operations Manager
Christine Corey, Senior Adjudication Specialist
- MATTER:** **John Cody Bradshaw, PTA Reinstatement Applicant
Case No.: 252826**
- DISCUSSION:** Mr. Bradshaw appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a notice of Informal conference dated March 25, 2026.
- Mr. Bradshaw was not represented by counsel.
- The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice with Mr. Bradshaw.
- CLOSED SESSION:** Upon a motion by Dr. Palle and duly seconded by Dr. Fox, 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 John Bradshaw, PTA Reinstatement Applicant. Additionally, Dr. Palle moved that Ms. Kelley attend the closed meeting because her presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its discussions.

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 Dr. Palle and duly seconded by Dr. Fox, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to **grant** Mr. Bradshaw's application for a Physical Therapist Assistant license with terms and, to place Mr. Bradshaw's license on probation for a period of not less than 2 years.

The vote was unanimous.

AJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 12:06 p.m.



Annette Kelley, Deputy Executive Director

April 30, 2026
Date