

**APPROVED**

**BOARD OF DENTISTRY**

**MINUTES**

**SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE "B"**

**TIME AND PLACE:** Special Conference Committee "B" convened on October 27, 2017, at 9:07 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, VA 23233.

**FIRST CONFERENCE:** 9:07 a.m.

**PRESIDING:** Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Jamiah Dawson, D.D.S.  
Tammy C. Ridout, R.D.H.

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Carol R. Russek, J.D.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director  
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager  
Elena Callwood, Adjudication Specialist

**QUORUM:** With three members present, a quorum was established.

**Claude Camden, Jr., D.D.S.  
Case No.: 178696** Dr. Camden appeared without counsel to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated September 21, 2017. The Committee received statements from Dr. Camden and discussed the allegations with him.

**Closed Meeting:** Dr. Dawson moved that the Committee 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 Claude Camden, Jr. Additionally, Dr. Dawson moved that Ms. Palmatier and Ms. Lee attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Reconvene:** Dr. Dawson moved that the Committee 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 and passed.

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**DECISION:**  
**Case No.: 178696**

Ms. Palmatier reported that the Committee dismissed the allegations against Dr. Camden.

Ms. Ridout moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

**SECOND CONFERENCE:**

10:31 a.m.

**PRESIDING:**

Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Jamiah Dawson, D.D.S.  
Tammy C. Ridout, R.D.H.

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Carol R. Russek, J.D.

**STAFF PRESENT:**

Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director  
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager  
Elena Callwood, Adjudication Specialist

**QUORUM:**

With three members present, a quorum was established.

**Christopher Hooper, D.D.S.**  
**Case Nos.: 171508, 173472**

Dr. Hooper appeared with counsel, John Franklin, III, to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated August 18, 2017. The Committee received statement from Dr. Hooper and Mr. Franklin and discussed the allegations with them.

**Closed Meeting:**

Dr. Dawson moved that the Committee 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 Christopher Hooper. Additionally, Dr. Dawson moved that Ms. Palmatier and Ms. Lee attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Reconvene:**

Dr. Dawson moved that the Committee 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 and passed.

**DECISION:**  
**Case Nos.: 171508, 173472**

Ms. Palmatier reported that the Committee dismissed the allegations against Dr. Hooper.

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Ms. Ridout moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

**THIRD CONFERENCE:** 2:30 p.m.

**PRESIDING:** Augustus A. Petticolas, Jr., D.D.S.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Jamiah Dawson, D.D.S.  
Tammy C. Ridout, R.D.H.

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Carol R. Russek, J.D.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director  
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager  
Elena Callwood, Adjudication Specialist

**QUORUM:** With three members present, a quorum was established.

**Leonard M. Badger, D.D.S.  
Reinstatement Applicant  
Case No.: 178015** Dr. Badger appeared without counsel to discuss his Application for Reinstatement of his dental license to practice dentistry in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated October 11, 2017. The Committee received statement from Dr. Badger and discussed the allegations with him.

**Closed Meeting:** Dr. Dawson moved that the Committee 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 Leonard Badger. Additionally, Dr. Dawson moved that Ms. Palmatier attend the closed meeting because her presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and her presence will aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Reconvene:** Dr. Dawson moved that the Committee 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 and passed.

**DECISION:** Ms. Palmatier reported that the Committee granted Dr. Badger's Application for Reinstatement of his dental license, without restrictions, to practice dentistry in the Commonwealth of Virginia.  
**Case No.: 178015**

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Ms. Ridout moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Upon a motion by Dr. Dawson, the minutes from the Informal Conference conducted on September 8, 2017 were approved.


**Harold S. Seigel, D.D.S.**

The Committee received information from Ms. Palmatier regarding a request by Dr. Seigel for modification of Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law No. 3 of the Board Order entered September 13, 2017.

By consensus, the Committee agreed to deny Dr. Seigel's request for modification of Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law No. 3. of the Board Order entered September 13, 2017.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 3:10 p.m.

  
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~~Augustus A. Peticolas, Jr., D.D.S., Chair~~

  
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January 26, 2018  
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