

APPROVED

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

MINUTES

SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE "C"

- TIME AND PLACE:** Special Conference Committee "C" convened on March 8, 2019 at 11:02 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, VA 23233.
- PRESIDING:** James D. Watkins, D.D.S.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sandra J. Catchings, D.D.S.
Tammy C. Ridout, R.D.H.
- STAFF PRESENT:** Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Lori L. Pound, Adjudication Specialist
- QUORUM:** All three members of the Committee were present.
- Uzma S. Ansari, D.M.D.
Case No.: 184990** Dr. Ansari appeared with counsel, Douglas Penner, to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated December 6, 2018. Christopher Hooper, D.D.S., also appeared on behalf of Dr. Ansari. The Committee received statements from Dr. Ansari, Mr. Penner, and Dr. Hooper and discussed the allegations with them.
- Closed Meeting:** Ms. Ridout 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 Uzma S. Ansari. Additionally, Ms. Ridout 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:** Ms. Ridout 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.: 184990

The sanction reported by Ms. Palmatier was that within 6 months from the date of entry of the Order, Dr. Ansari shall successfully complete a 7 credit hour continuing education course in the subject of recordkeeping and risk management.

Dr. Catchings moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The motion was seconded and passed.

PRESIDING:

James D. Watkins, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sandra J. Catchings, D.D.S.
Tammy C. Ridout, R.D.H.

STAFF PRESENT:

Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director
Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager
Lori L. Pound, Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM:

All three members of the Committee were present.

Mona Bhaskar, D.D.S.
Case No.: 188640

Dr. Bhaskar appeared without counsel to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated December 6, 2018. The Committee received statements from Dr. Bhaskar and discussed the allegations with her.

Closed Meeting:

Ms. Ridout 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 Mona Bhaskar. Additionally, Ms. Ridout 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:

Ms. Ridout 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 No.: 188640

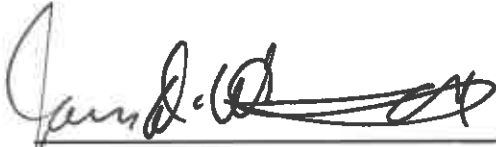
The sanctions reported by Ms. Palmatier were that Dr. Bhaskar shall be reprimanded and pay a \$500.00 monetary penalty.

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

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Approval of Minutes: Upon a motion by Ms. Ridout, the minutes from the Informal Conference conducted on July 27, 2018 were approved.

ADJOURNMENT: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 1:50 p.m.



James D. Watkins, D.D.S., Chair

Date

5-31-19



Sandra K. Reen, Executive Director

Date

May 31, 2019