

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
FORMAL HEARINGS
Panel B
July 21, 2021**

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Virginia Board of Nursing was called to order at 1:06 P.M., on July 21, 2021 in Board Room 2, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Henrico, Virginia.

BOARD MEMBERS

PRESENT:

Marie Gerardo, MS, RN, ANP-BC; President
Ethlyn McQueen-Gibson, DNP, MSN, RN, BC; Second Vice-President
Yvette Dorsey, DNP, RN
Margaret Friedenberg, Citizen Member
Dixie McElfresh, LPN
Jennifer Phelps, BS, LPN, QMHP-A, CSAC

STAFF PRESENT:

Jay P. Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE; Executive Director
Lelia Claire Morris, RN, LNHA; Deputy Executive Director
Cathy Hanchey, Senior Licensing/Discipline Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT:

Charis Mitchell, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel
Julia Bennett, Deputy Director, Administrative Proceedings Division
Rebecca Ribley, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division
Candis Stoll, Board of Nursing Staff
Martha Miller, Regional Manager in Tidewater, Enforcement Division
Jeffery S. Kiser, Esq., Attorney for Antonia Murphy, RN

ESTABLISHMENT OF
A PANEL:

With six members of the Board present, a panel was established.

FORMAL HEARINGS:

Jamie M. Holmes, LPN **0002-091332**

Ms. Holmes appeared.

Grace Stewart, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division, represented the Commonwealth. Ms. Mitchell was legal counsel for the Board. Rachael Steck, court reporter with Veteran Reporters, recorded the proceedings.

Kelley Ashley, Senior Investigator, Enforcement Division, testified via phone. Antonia Murphy, RN was present and testified.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Phelps moved that the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia at 2:47 P.M., for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of **Jamie M. Holmes**. Additionally, Ms. Phelps moved that Ms. Douglas, Ms. Morris,

Ms. Hanchey, and Ms. Mitchell attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Board in its deliberations. The motion was seconded by Ms. McElfresh and carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Board reconvened in open session at 3:39 P.M.

Ms. Phelps moved that the Board of Nursing 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 by Ms. Friedenbergl and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Ms. McElfresh moved that the Board of Nursing reprimand Jamie M. Holmes and place her license to practice practical nursing in the Commonwealth of Virginia on probation with terms for not less than one year. The motion was seconded by Dr. McQueen-Gibson and carried unanimously.

This decision shall be effective upon entry by the Board of a written Order stating the findings, conclusion, and decision of this formal hearing panel.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned at 3:41 P.M.

Lelia Claire Morris, RN, LNHA
Deputy Executive Director