## APPROVED

## **BOARD OF DENTISTRY**

## MINUTES SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE "A"

TIME AND PLACE: Special Conference Committee "A" convened on July 9, 2018 at

1:03 p.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Center, 9960 Mayland Drive,

Henrico, VA 23233.

**PRESIDING:** Tonya A. Parris-Wilkins, D.D.S.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Patricia B. Bonwell, R.D.H., PhD

Nathaniel C. Bryant, D.D.S.

STAFF PRESENT: Kelley W. Palmatier, Deputy Executive Director

Donna Lee, Discipline Case Manager

Lori L. Pound, J.D., Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM: All three members of the Committee were present.

Pye P. Kyu, D.D.S. Dr. Kyu appeared with counsel Rodney S. Dillman and Brett Case No.: 180437 Saunders to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the

Saunders to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated March 1, 2018. Timothy Finkler, D.D.S., appeared as an expert witness on behalf of Dr. Kyu. The Committee received statements from Dr. Kyu, Dr. Finkler, and Mr. Dillman

and discussed the allegations with them.

Closed Meeting: Dr. Bonwell 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 Pye P. Kyu. Additionally, Dr. Bonwell 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. Bonwell 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.: 180437

Ms. Palmatier reported that the Committee dismissed the

allegations against Dr. Kyu.

Dr. Bonwell moved to adopt the decision of the Committee. The

motion was seconded and passed.

Approval of Minutes:

Upon a motion by Dr. Bryant, the minutes from the Informal

Conference conducted on May 18, 2018 were approved.

**ADJOURNMENT:** 

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

Tonya A. Parris-Wilkins, D.D.S., Chair

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Date

Sandra K. Reen, Executive Director

October 2, 2018

Date