

APPROVED

BOARD OF DENTISTRY

MINUTES

SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE "A"

- TIME AND PLACE:** Special Conference Committee "A" convened on October 24, 2022 at 9:08 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center, Board Room 1, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, VA 23233.
- PRESIDING:** Sultan E. Chaudhry, D.D.S.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Sidra Butt, D.D.S.
Emelia McLennan, R.D.H.
- STAFF PRESENT:** Jamie C. Sacksteder, Executive Director
Sally Ragsdale, Executive Assistant
Lori L. Pound, J.D., Adjudication Consultant
- QUORUM:** With all three members present a quorum was established.
- Hossein Ahmadian, D.D.S.
Case No.: 207234** Dr. Ahmadian appeared with counsel, Michael L. Goodman and Nora T. Ciancio, to discuss the allegations set forth in a Notice of the Board dated May 10, 2022. Ashley Whalen, Owner of Prosperity Management Services, LLC, appeared on behalf of Dr. Ahmadian. The Committee received statements from Dr. Ahmadian, Ms. Whalen, and Mr. Goodman and discussed the allegations with them.
- Closed Meeting:** Dr. Butt 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 Hossein Ahmadian. Additionally, Dr. Butt moved that Ms. Sacksteder and Ms. Ragsdale 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. Butt 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:
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The Committee voted unanimously to dismiss the allegations against Dr. Ahmadian.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:


Upon a motion by Dr. Butt, the minutes from the Informal Conference conducted on June 27, 2022 and September 12, 2022 were approved.

ADJOURNMENT:

With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 10:25 a.m.



Sultan E. Chaudhry, D.D.S., Chair



Jamie C. Sacksteder, Executive Director

Date

4/14/23

Date

4/17/23