

**APPROVED**

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE  
PERIMETER CENTER  
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300  
Richmond, Virginia 23233**

**DATE, TIME & PLACE:** On August 31, 2023, at 6:30 a.m., the Board convened by telephone conference call with a quorum of the Board present, and the Board President presiding as Chair, in order to consider whether a practitioner's ability to practice as a surgical assistant constituted a substantial danger to public health and safety pursuant to Va. Code §54.1-2408.1.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Randy Clements, D.P.M., Chair, President  
Peter Apel, M.D.  
David Archer, M.D.  
Manjit S. Dhillon, M.D.  
Alvin Edwards, Ph.D.  
Hazem Elariny, M.D.  
Madge Ellis, M.D.  
Jane Hickey, J.D.  
Oliver Kim, J.D.  
Krishna Madiraju, M.D.  
L. Blanton Marchese  
Jacob Miller, D.O.  
Karen Ransone, M.D.  
Jennifer Rathmann, D.C.  
Ryan Williams, M.D.

**BOARD COUNSEL:** M. Brent Saunders, Sr. Asst. Attorney General

**STAFF PRESENT:** Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline  
Jennie F. Wood, Case Manager, Discipline

**PARTIES FOR THE COMMONWEALTH:** Mandy Wilson Assistant Attorney General  
Anne Joseph, Adjudication Consultant

**MATTER CONSIDERED:** Gamal Alshobari, LSA., License No.: 0136000118

The Board received information from AAG Mandy Wilson in order to determine whether Mr. Alshobari's ability to practice as a surgical assistant constituted a substantial danger to public health and safety. Ms. Wilson provided details of the case to the Board for its consideration.

**DECISION:**

On a motion by Dr. Williams, and duly seconded by Dr. Edwards, the Board determined that Mr. Alshobari's ability to practice constituted a substantial danger to the public health and safety and voted to summarily suspend his license simultaneous with the institution of proceedings for a formal administrative hearing pursuant to Section 54.1-2408.1 of the Code of Virginia.

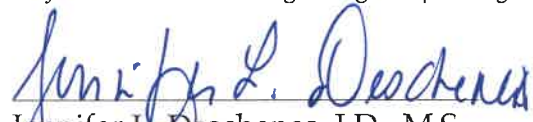
**VOTE:**

The vote was unanimous.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The Board adjourned at 6:38 a.m.

*A formal hearing is scheduled for October 20, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. for a final determination regarding this pending matter.*

  
Jennifer L. Deschenes, J.D., M.S.  
Deputy Executive Director

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**PARTIES FOR THE COMMONWEALTH:** Mandy Wilson Assistant Attorney General  
Lori Pound, Adjudication Consultant

**MATTER CONSIDERED:** Jonathan Owen, D.C., License No.: 0104557830

The Board received information from AAG Mandy Wilson in order to determine whether Dr. Owen's ability to practice chiropractic constituted a substantial danger to public health and safety. Ms. Wilson provided details of the case to the Board for its consideration.

**DECISION:**

On a motion by Dr. Apel, and duly seconded by Dr. Edwards, the Board determined that Dr. Owen's ability to practice constituted a substantial danger to the public health and safety and voted to summarily suspend his license simultaneous with the institution of proceedings for a formal administrative hearing pursuant to Section 54.1-2408.1 of the Code of Virginia.

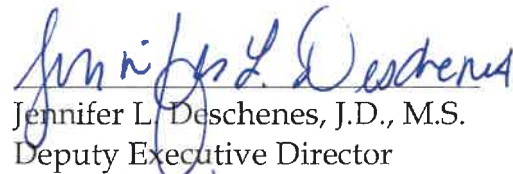
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