

(FINAL/APPROVED)

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHARMACY SPECIAL
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Tuesday, June 5, 2018
Commonwealth Conference Center
Second Floor
Board Room 2

Department of Health Professions
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive
Henrico, Virginia 23233

CALL TO ORDER: A meeting of a Special Conference Committee of the Board of Pharmacy was called to order at 09:36 a.m.

PRESIDING: Rafael Saenz, Committee Chair

MEMBERS PRESENT: Melvin Boone, Committee Member

STAFF PRESENT: Ellen B. Shinaberry, Deputy Executive Director
Anne G. Joseph, Deputy Executive Director
Mykl D. Egan, DHP Adjudication Specialist

CHERI I. LUSTER
License No. 0202-204285
Cheri Luster appeared with Margaret Hardy, her attorney, to discuss allegations that she may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the practice of pharmacy as stated in the April 16, 2018.

Closed Meeting: Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to Virginia Code § 2.2-3711(A)(27) for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Cheri Luster. Additionally, he moved that Ellen Shinaberry and Anne Joseph attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

Reconvene: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed meeting met the requirements of Virginia Code § 2.2-3712, the Committee reconvened in open meeting and announced the decision.

Decision: Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to issue an Order to reprimand Ms. Luster and to impose a monetary penalty.

SHAKEMA POULSON
License No. 0202-207153

Shakema Poulson appeared with John Erbach and Howard Estes, her attorneys, to discuss allegations that she may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the practice of pharmacy as stated in the April 17, 2018 Notice.

Closed Meeting:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to Virginia Code § 2.2-3711(A)(27) for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Shakema Poulson. Additionally, he moved that Ellen Shinabery and Anne Joseph attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

Reconvene:

Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed meeting met the requirements of Virginia Code § 2.2-3712, the Committee reconvened in open meeting and announced the decision.

Decision:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to dismiss this matter.

GIHAN W. SERAKA
License No. 0202-204419

Gihan Serak appeared to discuss allegations that she may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the practice of pharmacy as stated in the April 23, 2018 Notice.

Closed Meeting:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to Virginia Code § 2.2-3711(A)(27) for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Gihan Seraka. Additionally, he moved that Ellen Shinaberry and Anne Joseph attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

Reconvene:

Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed meeting met the requirements of Virginia Code § 2.2-3712, the Committee reconvened in open meeting and announced the decision.

Decision:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by

Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to issue an Order placing Ms. Seraka on probation with terms and conditions.

KC PHARMACY
Permit No. 0201-004087

Gihan Seraka, the PIC, appeared on behalf of KC Pharmacy to discuss allegations that it may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the conduct of pharmacy as stated in the April 23, 2018 Notice.

Closed Meeting:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to convene a closed meeting pursuant to Virginia Code § 2.2-3711(A)(27) for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of KC Pharmacy. Additionally, he moved that Ellen Shinaberry and Anne Joseph attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

Reconvene:

Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed meeting met the requirements of Virginia Code § 2.2-3712, the Committee reconvened in open meeting and announced the decision.

Decision:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Saenz, the Committee unanimously voted to issue an Order to impose a monetary penalty.

ADJOURN:

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

Rafael Saenz, Chair

Ellen B. Shinaberry
Deputy Executive Director

Date

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