

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
TRAINING ROOM 1
HENRICO, VA
MAY 12, 2025**

CALL TO ORDER: A meeting of a Special Conference Committee (“Committee”) of the Virginia Board of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (“Board”) was convened on May 12, 2025, at 9:03 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 2nd Floor Conference Center, Board Room 1, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, Virginia 23233.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Laura Vencill, SLP, Chairperson
James Wells, RPh, Committee Member

STAFF PRESENT: Claire Foley, Deputy Executive Director
Heather Pote, Sr. Discipline Case Specialist
Christine Corey, Esq., Sr. Adjudication Specialist,
Administrative Proceedings Division

OTHERS PRESENT: Valerie Cheatham

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Jennifer Pastore, Speech-Language Pathologist
Case 233048**

DISCUSSION: Ms. Pastore appeared before the Committee in accordance with a Notice of Informal Conference dated April 11, 2025, to inquire into allegations that she may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the practice of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology in Virginia. Ms. Pastore was represented by counsel, Nathan Mortier, Esq. The Committee fully discussed the allegations contained in the Notice with Ms. Pastore.

CLOSED SESSION: Mr. Wells moved that the Committee convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Jennifer Pastore, Speech-Language Pathologist**. Additionally, Mr. Wells moved that Ms. Foley attend the closed meeting because her presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

RECONVENE:

Mr. Wells 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 carried unanimously.

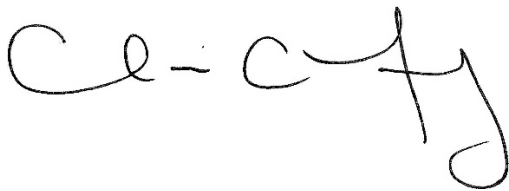
The Committee reconvened in open session pursuant to § 2.2-3712(D) of the Code.

DECISION:

Case No. 233048

Mr. Wells moved that the Committee dismiss the case against Ms. Pastore. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

The hearing concluded at 10:20 a.m.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'C. C. Foley', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Claire C. Foley, Deputy Executive Director