

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING  
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE A  
February 2, 2023**

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing was convened at 9:30 A.M., on February 2, 2023 in Training Room 1, Suite 201, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Cynthia M. Swineford, RN, MSN, CNE, *Chairperson*  
Helen M. Parke, DNP, FNP-BC

STAFF PRESENT: Charlette Ridout, RN, MS, CNE, RN, Education Program Inspector

OTHERS PRESENT: Tammie Jones, Adjudication Consultant for Brandi Pryor, LPN  
Rebecca Ribley, Adjudication Specialist for Benjamin Clark, RN  
Melissa Armstrong, Adjudication Specialist for Baratu G. Jalloh, LPN

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SCHEDULED: **Brandi Pryor, LPN 0002-079280**  
Ms. Pryor did not appear, her attorney Nathan Mortier appeared on her behalf.

CLOSED MEETING: Dr. Park moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 10:03 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Pryor. Additionally, Dr. Park moved that Ms. Ridout and Ms. Jones 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 carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 10:20 A.M.

Dr. Park moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing 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.

ACTION: Dr. Park referred the matter regarding Brandi Pryor to a Formal Hearing of the Board of Nursing or a panel thereof.

The Committee recessed at 10:45 A.M.  
The Committee reconvened at 1:00 P.M.

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SCHEDULED: **Benjamin Clark, RN 0001-288020**  
Mr. Clark did not appear.

CLOSED MEETING: Dr. Park moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 1:01 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Mr. Clark. Additionally, Dr. Park moved that Ms. Ridout and Ms. Ribley 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 carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 1:53 P.M.

Dr. Park moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing 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.

ACTION: Dr. Park moved to offer Benjamin Clark a Consent Order for the Indefinite Suspension of his professional nursing license and privilege to practice, in lieu of a Formal Hearing. The basis of this decision will be set forth in a Consent Order which will be mailed to Benjamin Clark at his address of record with the Board. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

This Consent Order shall be effective upon endorsement of its findings, conclusions, and terms of consent by both Mr. Clark and the Board.

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SCHEDULED: Baratu G. Jalloh, LPN **0002-192888**  
Chair ruled that adequate notice was given.

CLOSED MEETING: Dr. Park moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to Section 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 2:57 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Jalloh. Additionally, Dr. Park moved that Ms. Ridout and Ms. Armstrong 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 carried unanimously.

RECONVENTION: The Committee reconvened in open session at 2:57 P.M.

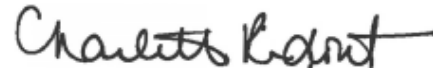
Dr. Park moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing certify that it heard, discussed or considered only public business matters lawfully exempted from open meeting requirements under the Virginia Freedom of Information Act and only such public business matters as were identified in the motion by which the closed meeting was convened. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

ACTION: Dr. Park moved to issue an Order of Reprimand to Baratu G. Jalloh and require Ms. Jalloh within 90 days of entry of the Order to provide proof of completion of

3 hours each for the following Courses in the subject areas of: *“Proper Documentation”*, *“Medication Error/Proper Handling & Documentation of Medication”* *“Ethics & Professionalism in Nursing”*. The basis of this decision will be set forth in an Order which will be mailed to Baratu G. Jalloh at her address of record with the Board. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

An Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Jalloh unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Jalloh within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

ADJOURNMENT: The Board adjourned at 2:58 P.M.



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Charlette Ridout, RN, MS, CNE  
RN Probable Cause Reviewer  
Education Program Inspector