

VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL
August 30, 2023

A possible summary suspension telephone conference call of the Virginia Board of Nursing was held August 30, 2023, at 4:31 P.M.

The Board of Nursing members participating in the call were:

Cynthia Swineford, RN, MSN, CNE; **Chair**
Victoria Cox, DNP, RN
Pamela Davis, LPN
Yvette Dorsey, DNP, RN
Margaret Friedenberg, Citizen Member
Ann Tucker Gleason, PhD, Citizen Member
Paul Hogan, Citizen Member
Shantell Kinchen, LPN
Helen Parke, DNP, FNP-BC
Robert Scott, RN

Others participating in the meeting were:

Laura Booberg, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel
Avi Efreom, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division
Christine Andreoli, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division
Sean Murphy, Assistant Attorney General
David Robinson, Assistant Attorney General
Jay Douglas, MSM, RN, CSAC, FRE; Executive Director
Robin Hills, DNP, RN, WHNP; Deputy Executive Director for Advanced Practice
Christina Bargdill, BSN, MHS, RN; Deputy Executive Director
Breana Wilkins, Administrative Support Specialist
Huong Vu, Operations Manager

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Swineford. With ten members of the Board of Nursing participating, a quorum was established.

Sean Murphy, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice as a practical nurse by **Deborah Sue Damron, LPN (0002-102467)** may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

CLOSED MEETING: Dr. Gleason moved that the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia at 4:41 P.M., for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of **Deborah Sue Damron**. Additionally, Dr. Gleason moved that Ms. Douglas, Dr. Hills, Ms. Bargdill, Ms. Vu, Ms. Wilkins and Ms. Booberg attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Board in its deliberations. The motion was seconded by Dr. Parke and carried unanimously.

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Mr. Murphy, Ms. Andreoli and Mr. Eferon left the meeting at 4:42 P.M.

RECONVENTION: The Board reconvened in open session at 4:56 P.M.

Dr. Gleason moved that 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 by Ms. Friedenberg and carried unanimously.

Mr. Murphy, Ms. Andreoli and Mr. Eferon re-joined the meeting at 4:57 P.M.

Dr. Dorsey moved to summarily suspend the license of **Deborah Sue Damron** to practice as a practical nurse and to offer a consent order for revocation her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded by Ms. Friedenberg and carried unanimously.

Ms. Douglas, Mr. Murphy and Ms. Andreoli left the meeting at 5:00 P.M.

David Robinson, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice of professional nursing by **Michele Denise Prince Turner (0001-168712)** may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

CLOSED MEETING: Dr. Gleason moved that the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia at 5:18 P.M., for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of **Michele Denise Prince Turner**. Additionally, Dr. Gleason moved that Dr. Hills, Ms. Bargdill, Ms. Vu, Ms. Wilkins and Ms. Booberg attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting is deemed necessary and their presence will aid the Board in its deliberations. The motion was seconded by Dr. Parke and carried unanimously.

Mr. Robinson and Mr. Eferon left the meeting at 5:18 P.M.

RECONVENTION: The Board reconvened in open session at 5:27 P.M.

Dr. Gleason moved that 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 by Ms. Davis and carried unanimously.

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Mr. Robinson and Mr. Eferon re-joined the meeting at 5:28 P.M.

Dr. Gleason moved to summarily suspend the license of **Michele Denise Prince Turner** to practice professional nurse pending a formal administrative hearing. The motion was seconded by Dr. Dorsey and carried unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:30 P.M.

Christina Bargdill, BSN, MHS, RN;
Deputy Executive Director