

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING**  
**POSSIBLE SUMMARY SUSPENSION TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL**  
**December 19, 2019**

A possible summary suspension telephone conference call of the Virginia Board of Nursing was held December 19, 2019 at 4:35 P.M.

**The Board of Nursing members participating in the meeting were:**

Louise Hershkowitz, CRNA, MSHA; Chair	Brandon Jones, MSN, RN, CEN, NEA-BC
Yvette L. Dorsey, DNP, Rn	Dixie L. McElfresh, LPN
Margaret Friedenber, Citizen Member	Mark Monson, Citizen Member
A Tucker Gleason, PhD, Citizen Member	Felisa Smith, RN, MSA, MSN/Ed, CNE
James Hermansen-Parker, MSN, RN, PCCN-K	Cynthia Swineford, RN, MSN, CNE

**Others participating in the meeting were:**

James Rutkowski, Assistant Attorney General, Board Counsel  
Wayne Halbleib, Senior Assistant Attorney General/Chief  
James Schliessmann, Assistant Attorney General  
Sean Murphy, Assistant Attorney General  
Anne Joseph, Deputy Director, Administrative Proceedings Division  
David Kazzie, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division  
Tammie Jones, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division  
Holly Walker, Adjudication Specialist, Administrative Proceedings Division  
Charlette Ridout, RN, MS, CNE; Deputy Executive Director  
Jodi Power, RN, JD; Senior Deputy Executive Director  
Terri Clinger, DNP, RN, CPNP-PC; Deputy Executive Director for Advance Practice  
Patricia L. Dewey, RN, BSN; Discipline Case Manager  
Lelia Claire Morris, RN, LNHA; Discipline Case Manager  
Huong Vu, Executive Assistant

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Hershkowitz. With ten (10) members of the Board of Nursing participating, a quorum was established. A good faith effort to convene a meeting at the Board of Nursing offices within the week failed.

Sean Murphy, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice of nursing by **Penny Summer Carter, LPN (0002-046300)** may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Mr. Monson moved to summarily suspend the practical nurse license of **Penny Summer Carter** pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

Mr. Murphy and Ms. Walker left the meeting at 4:44 P.M.

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James Schliessmann, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice of nursing by **Angela Szramka, RN (0001-172234)** may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Mr. Monson moved to summarily suspend the registered nurse license of **Angela Szramka** pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

Ms. Jones left the meeting at 4:59 P.M.

James Schliessmann, Assistant Attorney General, presented evidence that the continued practice of nursing by **Nina Macklin Morrison, RN (0001-120558)** may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Mr. Monson moved to summarily suspend the registered nurse license of **Nina Macklin Morrison** pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for indefinite suspension of her license in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously.

Mr. Schliessmann and Mr. Kazzie left the meeting at 5:07 P.M.

Wayne Halbleib, Senior Assistant Attorney General/Chief, presented evidence that the continued practice of nurse aide by **Derleen Marie Alexander, CNA (1401-149685)** may present a substantial danger to the health and safety of the public.

Mr. Monson moved to summarily suspend the nurse aide certificate of **Derleen Marie Alexander** pending a formal administrative hearing and to offer a consent order for revocation of her certificate with a Finding of Abuse in lieu of a formal hearing. The motion was seconded and carried with nine (9) votes in favor. Dr. Gleason opposed the motion.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:39 P.M.

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Charlette N. Ridout, RN, MS, CNE  
Deputy Executive Director