

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE D
INFORMAL CONFERENCES
February 10, 2020**

TIME AND PLACE: The meeting of the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing was convened at 9:15 A.M., on February 10, 2020 in Training Room 2, Suite 201, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Henrico, Virginia.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Ann Tucker Gleason, Ph.D., Citizen Member, Chairperson
Felisa A. Smith, R.N., M.S.A., M.S.N./Ed, C.N.E.

STAFF PRESENT: Patricia L. Dewey, R.N., B.S.N., Discipline Case Manager

**ADMINISTRATIVE
PROCEEDINGS**

STAFF PRESENT: Holly C. Walker, Adjudication Specialist

**CONFERENCE
SCHEDULED:**

Lindsey Remines, C.N.A. Applicant
Ms. Remines appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Smith moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 9:32 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Remines. Additionally, Ms. Smith moved that Ms. Dewey and Ms. Walker 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 9:50 A.M.

Ms. Smith 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: Ms. Smith moved to issue an Order of Reprimand to Lindsey Remines and Approve Ms. Remines' Application to take the NNAAP examination for certification as a Certified Nurse Aide and issue an unrestricted certificate upon successful completion of the state exam. 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. Remines unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is

received from Ms. Remines 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.

CONFERENCE
SCHEDULED:

Montressa Estelle Green, R.M.A. Applicant
Ms. Green appeared.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Smith moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 10:30 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Green. Additionally, Ms. Smith moved that Ms. Dewey and Ms. Walker 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 10:45 A.M.

Ms. Smith 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:

Ms. Smith moved to issue an Order to Deny Montressa Estelle Green's Application to take the Medication Aide exam. 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. Green unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Green 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.

CONFERENCE
SCHEDULED:

Jacqueline Victoria Price DeJesus, C.N.A. Reinstatement Applicant
1401-033236
Ms. DeJesus appeared.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Smith moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 11:27 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. DeJesus. Additionally, Ms. Smith moved that Ms. Dewey and Ms. Walker 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 11:34 A.M.

Ms. Smith 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: Ms. Smith moved to issue an Order to Deny Jacqueline Victoria Price DeJesus' Application for Reinstatement for certification as a Certified Nurse Aide due to a prior Finding of Abuse. 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. DeJesus, unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. DeJesus 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.

CONFERENCE
SCHEDULED: **Imelda Akoth Ogango, C.N.A. Applicant**
Ms. Ogango did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Ms. Walker, Dr. Gleason ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Ogango.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Smith moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 11:49 A.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Ogango. Additionally, Ms. Smith moved that Ms. Dewey and Ms. Walker 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 11:52 A.M.

Ms. Smith 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: Ms. Smith moved to Issue an Order to Deny Imelda Akoth Ogango's Application for certification as a Certified Nurse Aide by endorsement. 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. Ogango, unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Ogango 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.

RECESS: The committee recessed at 11:55 A.M.

RECONVENTION: The committee reconvened at 1:07 P.M.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULED: **Melissa Dawn Evick, R.N. Reinstatement Applicant 0001-153367**
Ms. Evick appeared.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Smith moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 2:34 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Evick. Additionally, Ms. Smith moved that Ms. Dewey and Ms. Walker 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 3:15 P.M.

Ms. Smith 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: Ms. Smith moved to issue an Order of Reprimand to Melissa Dawn Evick and Deny Ms. Evick's Application for Reinstatement for licensure as a professional nurse. 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. Evick unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Evick 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.

CONFERENCE
SCHEDULED:

Lisa Michelle Turner, R.N. Reinstatement Applicant 0001-185247
Ms. Turner did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Ms. Walker, Dr. Gleason ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Turner.

CLOSED MEETING:

Ms. Smith moved that the Special Conference Committee of the Board of Nursing convene a closed meeting pursuant to 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* at 3:29 P.M. for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Ms. Turner. Additionally, Ms. Smith moved that Ms. Dewey and Ms. Walker 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 3:41 P.M.

Ms. Smith 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:

Ms. Smith moved to issue an Order of Reprimand to Lisa Michelle Turner and Deny Ms. Turner's Application for Reinstatement for licensure as a professional nurse. 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. Turner unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Turner 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 3:55 P.M.


Patricia L. Dewey, R.N., B.S.N.
Discipline Case Manager