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VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHARMACY
MINUTES OF A PANEL OF THE BOARD

December 12, 2016
Commonwealth Conference Center
Second Floor
Board Room 2

Department of Health Professions
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive
Henrico, Virginia 23233

Orders/Consent Orders referred to in these minutes are available upon request

CALL TO ORDER: A meeting of a panel of the Board of Pharmacy ("Board") was called to order at 1:55 p.m.

PRESIDING: Ryan Logan, Vice Chairperson

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Jody H. Allen
Melvin L. Boone, Sr.
Michael I. Elliott
Sheila K. W. Elliott
Rafael Saenz (left 4:45pm, following conclusion of Bowden case)

STAFF PRESENT:
Caroline D. Juran, Executive Director
Beth O'Halloran, Individual Licensing Manager (left 4:45pm, following conclusion of Bowden case)
James Rutkowski, Assistant Attorney General
Wayne T. Halbleib, Senior Assistant Attorney General
Mykl Egan, DHP Adjudication Specialist

QUORUM: With six members of the Board present, a quorum was established.

MacDONALD SNOW BOWDEN
License No. 0202-007456

A formal hearing was scheduled in the matter of MacDonald Snow Bowden to discuss allegations that he may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the practice of pharmacy in Virginia.

Wayne T. Halbleib, Senior Assistant Attorney General, was present to prosecute the case with the assistance of Mykl Egan, DHP Adjudication Specialist.

Mr. Bowden was represented by Lindsey Walton, Esquire.

Following introductions, Mr. Halbleib and Ms. Walton presented the case for reinstatement of Mr. Bowden's pharmacist license to the Board for consideration.

CLOSED MEETING:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Ms. Allen, the panel voted 6-0, to convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia ("Code"), for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision regarding the case of MacDonald S. Bowden. Additionally, he moved that Caroline Juran, Beth O'Halloran, and Jim Rutkowski attend the closed meeting.

RECONVENE:

Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed meeting met the requirements of § 2.2-3712 of the Code, the quorum re-convened in open meeting and announced the decision.

DECISION:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Mr. Elliott, the panel voted 6-0 to reprimand and reinstate Mr. Bowden's pharmacist license under probation and terms: Mr. Bowden must maintain full time active employment as a pharmacist for a minimum of two years, have an affidavit signed by Mr. Bowden that he has read all pertinent laws and regulations regarding Pharmacy and PMP, Mr. Bowden's employer must submit quarterly reports to the board regarding Mr. Bowden's progress as an employee, and Mr. Bowden must complete two continuing education credits on the subject of HIPPA in addition to the required 15 continuing education credits. These terms were read by Mr. Rutkowski. This case concluded at 4:45pm.

PANEL:

With five members of the Board present, a panel was established.

KELLY LANTZ PIERRE
Registration No.: 0230-026886

A formal hearing was scheduled in the matter of Kelly Lantz Pierre to discuss allegations that she may have violated certain laws and regulations governing the practice of pharmacy in Virginia.

Wayne T. Halbleib, Senior Assistant Attorney General, was present to prosecute the case with the assistance of Mykl Egan, DHP Adjudication Specialist.

Ms. Pierre's registration was recently summarily suspended. She was not present at the Formal Hearing.

CLOSED MEETING:

Upon a motion by Mr. Boone, and duly seconded by Ms. Elliott, the panel voted 5-0, to convene a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the Code of Virginia ("Code"), for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision regarding the case of Kelly Lantz Pierre. Additionally, he moved that Caroline Juran and Jim Rutkowski attend the

closed meeting.

RECONVENE: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed meeting met the requirements of § 2.2-3712 of the Code, the panel re-convened in open meeting and announced the decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Mr. Elliott, and duly seconded by Ms. Allen, the panel voted 5-0 to indefinitely suspend Ms. Pierre's pharmacy technician registration for no less than two years.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the meeting adjourned at 5:40p.m.

Ryan Logan, Presiding Chair

Caroline D. Juran, Executive Director

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