

VIRGINIA BOARD OF COUNSELING
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 24, 2016

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") convened on June 24, 2016 at 9:06 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, Board Room 4.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson
Cinda Caiella, LMFT

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist

RESPONDENT: Craig Dupuis, LPC, LMFT, CSAC
License No.: 0701002496 (LPC)
0717000124 (LMFT)
0710000854 (CSAC)
Case No.: 157647

DISCUSSION: Mr. Dupuis appeared before the Committee, in person, in accordance with the Notice of the Board dated March 10, 2016. He was represented by Nicholas Balland, Esquire.

The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice with Mr. Dupuis.

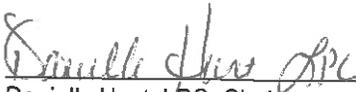
CLOSED MEETING: Upon a motion by Ms. Caiella, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee voted to convene in a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Craig Dupuis, LPC, LMFT, CSAC. Additionally, she moved that Jennifer Lang and Emily Tatum attend the closed meeting because their presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

RECONVENE: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of § 2.2-3712 of the *Code of Virginia*, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Caiella, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to place indefinite probation on the licenses of Mr. Dupuis with certain terms and conditions. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 10:24 a.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on the respondent, unless the respondent makes a written request to the Board within such time for a formal hearing on the allegations made. If service of the Order is made by mail, three (3) additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the decision of the Special Conference Committee shall be vacated.


Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson

June 24, 2016
Date


Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
Virginia Board of Counseling

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VIRGINIA BOARD OF COUNSELING
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

June 24, 2016

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") convened on June 24, 2016 at 10:57 a.m., at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, Virginia, Board Room 4.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson
Cinda Caiella, LMFT

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist

RESPONDENT: Scotty McLean, LPC Applicant
Case No.: 158706

PRELIMINARY MATTER: The Chairperson noted that the time was 10:57 a.m. and Mr. McLean was noticed to appear before the Committee at 10:30 a.m. Ms. Tatum advised the Committee that the Notice was mailed to the Respondent's address of record with the Board of Counseling, and that neither the certified Notice nor the regular mail had been returned. The Chairperson determined that Mr. McLean had been properly noticed and the informal conference would proceed in the Respondent's absence.

DISCUSSION: Mr. McLean did not appear before the Committee in accordance with the Notice of the Board dated May 24, 2016, and was not represented by counsel. The Committee considered the information contained in the informal conference package.

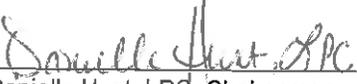
CLOSED MEETING: Upon a motion by Ms. Caiella, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee voted to convene in a closed meeting pursuant to § 2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Scotty McLean, LPC Applicant. Additionally, she moved that Jennifer Lang and Emily Tatum attend the closed meeting because their presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations.

RECONVENE: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of § 2.2-3712 of the *Code of Virginia*, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Caiella, and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee made certain findings of facts and conclusions of law and voted to deny Mr. McLean's application for registration of supervision as a preliminary requirement to LPC licensure. The motion carried.

ADJOURN: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 11:06 a.m.

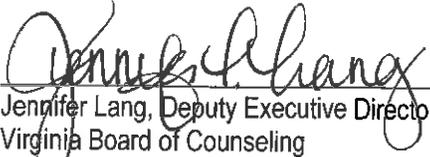
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Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson

 JUNE 24, 2016

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Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
Virginia Board of Counseling

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**VIRGINIA BOARD OF COUNSELING
SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

June 24, 2016

MINUTES

CALL TO ORDER: A Special Conference Committee ("Committee") of the Board of Counseling ("Board") convened on June 24, 2016, at 1:00 p.m. at the Department of Health Professions, Perimeter Center, 9960 Mayland Drive, Richmond, VA, Board Room 4.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chair
Cinda Caiella, LMFT

STAFF PRESENT: Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
Emily Tatum, Adjudication Specialist

RESPONDENT: Alexis Wagner-Call, CSAC Reinstatement Applicant
Case No.: 172596
Attorney: Alexander Macaulay, Esquire

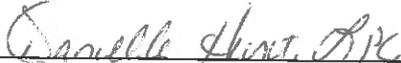
DISCUSSION: Ms. Wagner-Call appeared with counsel to discuss her application for reinstatement to practice as a certified substance abuse counselor in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and the allegations set forth in the Notice of the Board dated June 6, 2016. The Committee received statements from Ms. Wagner-Call and discussed the allegations with the applicant.

CLOSED MEETING: Ms. Caiella moved that the Committee convene in a closed meeting pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(27) of the *Code of Virginia* for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter of Alexis Wagner-Call, CSAC Reinstatement Applicant. Additionally, she moved that Jennifer Lang and Emily Tatum attend the closed meeting because their presence would aid the Committee in its deliberations. The motion was seconded and passed.

RECONVENE: Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Upon a motion by Ms. Caiella and duly seconded by Ms. Hunt, the Committee voted to approve Ms. Wagner-Call's application for reinstatement to practice as a substance abuse counselor.

ADJOURNMENT: With all business concluded, the Committee adjourned at 1:40 p.m.



Danielle Hunt, LPC, Chairperson



Date



Jennifer Lang, Deputy Executive Director
Board of COUNSELING Counseling



Date