

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
INFORMAL CONFERENCES
December 4, 2012**

TIME AND PLACE: The informal conferences held before an Agency Subordinate of the Board of Nursing were convened at 9:10 A.M., on December 4, 2012 in Board Room1, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Richmond, Virginia.

**AGENCY
SUBORDINATE:** Judith Piersall, R.N., B.S.N.

STAFF PRESENT: Jodi P. Power, R.N., J.D.
Gloria D. Mitchell, R.N., M.S.N., M.B.A. (joined later)

OTHERS PRESENT: James E. Rutkowski, Adjudication Specialist
David W. Kazzie, Adjudication Specialist (joined later)

**CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:** **Katie Young, C.N.A. 1401-134180**
Ms. Young appeared.

Ms. Young was informed that a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, 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. Young unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Young 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.

**CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:** **Aggrey Awiti-Kuffour, C.N.A. 1401-140235**
Mr. Awiti-Kuffour appeared.

Mr. Awiti-Kuffour was informed the case will be closed due to insufficient evidence of a violation of the Board of Nursing laws and regulations governing nurse aide practice.

**CONFERENCES
CONTINUED:** **Mariama Cole, L.P.N. Applicant**
Ms. Cole did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Mr. Rutkowski, Ms. Piersall ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Cole.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Cole within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall be a Final Order

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Emma Farmer, C.N.A. 1401-040868

Ms. Farmer appeared.

Ms. Farmer was informed that a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, 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. Farmer unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Farmer 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.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Michelle L. Robinson, C.N.A., A.C.N.A. 1401-059114, 1403-000115

Ms. Robinson did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Mr. Rutkowski, Ms. Piersall ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Robinson.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Robinson within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall be a Final Order

Ms. Power and Mr. Rutkowski left the meeting.

Ms. Mitchell and Mr. Kazzie joined the meeting.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Kimberly Hall, LPN 0002-074535

Ms. Hall appeared.

Ms. Hall was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, 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. Hall unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Hall 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.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Kari Bertino, RN 0001-201975

Ms. Bertino did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Mr. Kazzie, Ms. Piersall ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Bertino.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Bertino within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall be a Final Order.

CONFERENCES
CONTINUED:

Emily Tenerowicz, CMT 0019-009209

Ms. Tenerowicz did not appear.

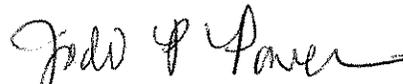
Based upon information provided by Mr. Kazzie, Ms. Piersall ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Tenerowicz.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Tenerowicz within ninety days.

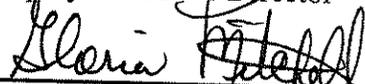
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ADJOURNMENT:

The conferences were concluded at 2:30 P.M.



Jodi P. Power, RN, JD
Deputy Executive Director



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