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VIRGINIA BOARD OF MEDICINE SPECIAL CONFERENCE COMMITTEE MINUTES

Wednesday, September 11, 2013 Department of Health Professions Henrico, Virginia
Perimeter Center
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite #300

- CALL TO ORDER:** A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 9:15 a.m.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Robert Hickman, M.D.
Barbara Allison-Bryan, M.D.
J. Randolph Clements, D.P.M.
- STAFF PRESENT:** Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline
Renee S. Dixon, Discipline Case Manager
Dale Lutke, Adjudication Specialist
- OTHERS PRESENT:** Dr. Gant
- MATTER:** Isabella Caterine Martire, M.D. License No.: 0101-041966
Case No.: 143029
- DISCUSSION:** Dr. Martire appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated August 1, 2013. Dr. Martire was not represented by counsel.
- The Committee fully discussed the allegation in the Notice with Dr. Martire.
- CLOSED SESSION:** Upon a motion by Dr. Clements, and duly seconded by Dr. Allison-Bryan, the Committee voted to convene 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 Dr. Martire. Additionally, he moved that Ms. Deschenes and Ms. Dixon attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and 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, the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

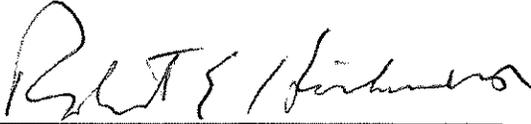
Upon a motion by Dr. Clements, and duly seconded by Dr. Allison-Bryan, the Committee voted to dismiss the matter.

VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 10:09 a.m.



Robert Hickman, M.D., Chair



William L. Harp, M.D., Executive Director

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the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

Upon a motion by Dr. Allison-Bryan, and duly seconded by Dr. Clements, the Committee made certain findings of fact and conclusions of law and voted to issue Dr. Lee a reprimand.

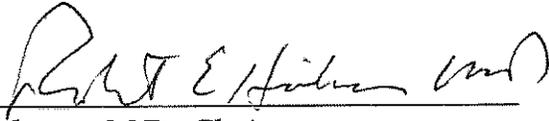
VOTE:

The vote was unanimous.

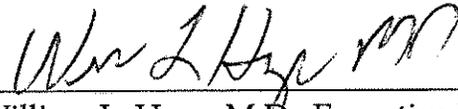
ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 2:55 p.m.

As provided by law this decision shall become a Final Order thirty (30) days after service of such Order on Dr. Lee, unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against him is received from Dr. Lee, within such time. 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.



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- CALL TO ORDER:** A Special Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 2:30 p.m.
- MEMBERS PRESENT:** Robert Hickman, M.D.
Barbara Allison-Bryan, M.D.
J. Randolph Clements, D.P.M.
- STAFF PRESENT:** Jennifer L. Deschenes, Deputy Executive Director, Discipline
Renee S. Dixon, Discipline Case Manager
Tracy Robinson, Adjudication Specialist
- MATTER:** Brian Lee Rubenstein, M.D. License No.: 0101-233182
Case No.: 144018
- DISCUSSION:** Dr. Rubenstein appeared before the Committee in person in accordance with a Notice of the Board dated June 11, 2013. Dr. Rubenstein was represented by M. Pierce Rucker, Esquire.
- The Committee fully discussed the allegations in the Notice with Dr. Rubenstein.
- CLOSED SESSION:** Upon a motion by Dr. Allison-Bryan, and duly seconded by Dr. Clements, the Committee voted to convene 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 Dr. Rubenstein. Additionally, she moved that Ms. Deschenes and Ms. Dixon attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and 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, the Committee re-convened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

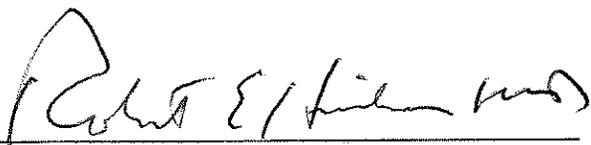
Upon a motion by Dr. Allison-Bryan, and duly seconded by Dr. Clements, the Committee voted to dismiss the matter since there is no clear and convincing evidence of violation.

VOTE:

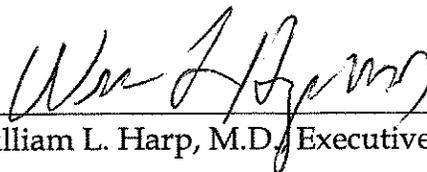
The vote was unanimous.

ADJOURNMENT:

The Committee adjourned at 3:40 p.m.



Robert Hickman, M.D., Chair



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