November 10, 2021 Board Hearing

LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING DISCIPLINARY HEARING PANEL NOVEMBER 10, 2021

AGENDA

NOTE: This agenda is tentative until 24 hours in advance of the meeting, at which time the most recent revision becomes official.

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Agenda Approval
- 4. Approval of Minutes
- 5. Executive Session Pursuant to La. R.S. 42:17(1) for Disciplinary Hearings and For Review of Consent Orders, Automatic Suspensions and Other Disciplinary Actions in the Following Cases:

REPORT OF CONSENT ORDERS

- Nurse Practice Act
 - 1. Amy Joyner Foshee
 - 2. Herman Peter Frank
 - 3. Charles Francois Garrison
 - 4. Andria Elaine Harmon
 - 5. Shequita Carthon Hayes
 - 6. Cami Mann Jorio
 - 7. Lynda Evans Mathis
 - 8. Candice Couvillion Miller
 - 9. Debra Goodrich Silas
 - 10. Elizabeth Catherine Spence
 - 11. Renee Marie St. Martin
 - 12. Robert Westerfield
 - 13. Michelle Nicole Zornes

• Reinstatement of Licensure

- 1. Dana Gray
- 2. Kimberly Blades Horning
- 3. Neaobbie O'Neal Thomas
- Students
 - 1. Manissa Howard
 - 2. Erin Anne Metzger

REPORT OF AUTOMATIC SUSPENSIONS

- 1. Brandy Butler Austin
- 2. Kathi Ann Martin

REPORT OF DELAY/DENIAL BY STAFF

- 1. Ashael Sherelle Ford
- 2. Denise Elizabeth Lassere
- 3. Christopher Antonia Mairena

REPORT OF MULTIPLE ACTIONS

1. Kelly Elliot Davis

 $\label{eq:NOTE:any subject of the above may require consideration of his matter in Open Session.$

Pursuant to the Open Meetings Law, at La. R.S. 42:16, the hearing panel may, upon 2/3 affirmative vote of those members present and voting, enter into executive session for the limited reasons enumerated in La. R.S. 42:17. No final or binding action shall be taken during executive session

- 6. Action on Disciplinary Matters
- 7. Adjournment

Louisiana State Board of Nursing November 10, 2021 Board Meeting

Virtual Meeting Notice and Certification

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to LSA-R.S. 42:19(A), that the Louisiana State Board of Nursing (the "Board"), within the Louisiana Department of Health, State of Louisiana, shall convene a regularly scheduled board panel disciplinary hearing on Wednesday, November 10, 2021,9:00 a.m. until completed, at the offices of the Board, 17373 Perkins Road, Baton Rouge, Louisiana with the Board participating via live video streaming due the declared Covid-19 Public Health Emergency most recently renewed on October 26, 2021 in emergency proclamation 204 JBE 2021.

In accordance with LSA-R.S. 42:17.1 this notice shall serve as certification of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing's intention to hold a virtual meeting. Public participation is available via live streaming video using Microsoft Teams. Public participation is not available during executive session per LSA-R.S. 42:17. The meeting link is below.

The Louisiana State Board of Nursing will provide for attendance at its essential government meeting on November 10, 2021, via virtually via Microsoft Teams. It is essential that the Louisiana State Board of Nursing continue to operate to address:

- a) Matters that are directly related to the public body's response to the disaster or emergency and are critical to the health, safety, or welfare of the public, and/or
- b) Matters that if they are delayed will cause curtailment of vital public services or severe economic dislocation and hardship, and/or
- c) Matters that are critical to continuation of the business of the public body and that are not able to be postponed to a meeting held in accordance with the other provisions of this Chapter due to a legal requirement or other deadline that cannot be postponed or delayed by the public body, and/or
- d) Other matters that are critical or time-sensitive and that in the determination of the presiding officer should not be delayed; however, such matters shall not be considered at the meeting unless the members of the body present at the meeting approve the consideration of the matters by a two-thirds vote.

Click <u>HERE</u> to participate in the meeting virtually. Members of the public may submit public comments on an agenda item, present a question to the Board, or present information to the Board, by using the raise hand or chat features in Microsoft Teams. All public comments will be appropriately identified and acknowledged during the meeting.

Please note that unforeseen technical difficulties may impact virtual participation in the meeting and will be addressed as expeditiously as possible.

Certified this 8th day of November 2021.

Karen C. Lyon, PhD, MBA, APRN-CNS, NEA LSBN Chief Executive Officer/Executive Director

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The agenda of such meeting shall be as annexed hereto.

Note: Regular Meeting held and noticed pursuant to La. Rev. Stat. §42:17(A)(1), (2), (4), (5) and (10). Further, agenda items may be taken out of order and/or in executive session pursuant to R.S. 42:17(A). La. R.S. 42:17(A) states "A public body may hold an executive session pursuant to R.S. 42:16 for one or more of the following reasons: (1) Discussion of the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of a person, provided that such person is notified in writing at least twenty-four hours, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays, before the scheduled time contained in the notice of the meeting at which such executive session is to take place and that such person may require that such discussion be held at an open meeting.....In cases of extraordinary emergency, written notice to such person shall not be required; however, the public body shall give such notice as it deems appropriate and circumstances permit; (2) Strategy sessions or negotiations with respect to collective bargaining, prospective litigation after formal written demand, or litigation when an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body;....(4) Investigative proceedings regarding allegations of misconduct; (5) Cases of extraordinary emergency, which shall be limited to natural disaster, threat of epidemic, civil disturbances, suppression of insurrections, the repelling of invasions, or other matters of similar magnitude; and,....(10) Or any other matters now provided for or as may be provided for by the legislature."