

**LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING  
17373 PERKINS ROAD  
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA 70810**

**MINUTES OF THE HEARING PANEL HELD ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2022**

**Call to Order:** The Hearing Panel of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing was called to order at 2:35 p.m., immediately following the regularly scheduled board meeting, by T. Kindall, President, and Presiding Officer, on Monday, December 12, 2022, at the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, 17373 Perkins Road, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70810.

**Roll Call:** The following Board members were in attendance:  
Tavell Kindall, PhD, DNP, APRN, FNP, President, and Presiding Officer  
Tracey Moffatt, MHA, BSN, RN, Vice President  
Jennifer Manning, DNS, APRN, CNS, CNE, Alternate Officer  
Ann Carruth, DNS, RN  
Wendi Palermo, PhD, RN  
Mimi Primeaux, MS, BSN, CRNA

The following staff members were in attendance:  
Karen C. Lyon, PhD, MBA, APRN-CNS, NEA, Executive Director/CEO  
Wanda Matthews, MPA, BBA, Chief Compliance Officer  
Carrie LeBlanc Jones, JD, MBA, Chief Legal Officer/General Counsel  
Lauren Papillion, JD, Chief Compliance Officer  
Monique Calmes, DNP, APRN, FNP<sub>C</sub>, Chief Credentialing Officer  
Urhonda Beckwith, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC, RNP Director  
Geneva Carter, MSN, APRN, RNCO-Team Leader  
Donald Bowman, JD, Prosecuting Attorney  
Suzanne C. Armand, CCR, CVR, Court Reporter

Ms. C. Jones stated that there were no changes to the agenda.

**Motion:** by T. Moffatt, seconded, to approve the Agenda as presented.

There being no nays or abstentions, the motion carried.

**Motion:** by J. Manning, seconded, to authorize one panel member to approve the minutes of today's Hearing Panel. J. Manning will review and approve.

There being no nays or abstentions, the motion carried.

**Motion:** by T. Moffatt, seconded, to go into Executive Session pursuant to La. R.S. 42:17(1) for the purpose of hearing those disciplinary matters and/or reviewing those consent orders, automatic suspensions and other disciplinary actions in the cases listed on the Agenda.

There being no nays or abstentions, the motion carried.

**CONSENT ORDERS**

The following Consent Orders went on record as presented:

**Nurse Practice Act Violations**

**Rachelle Nicolle Black  
Chase Michael Broussard  
Brandy Meyung Galmon  
Amber Darlene Hudson  
Ella Douglas Kliebert  
Tamara Johnson Taylor**

**Reinstatement**

**Desiree Anne Kennedy  
Nicholas Paul Vogel**

**Students**

**Nia Lawson  
Darreal Trotter**

**REPORT OF AUTOMATIC SUSPENSIONS**

The following Automatic Suspensions by staff were presented to the Board for ratification:

**Sonya Slayton Doyle  
Caitlyn Marie Duplessy  
Thomas Timothy Franks  
Mireya Garcia Gammage  
Elisa Beatrice Guerrero  
Kimberly Diane Harless  
Vonzell Denopol Howard  
Shannon Leonnie Youngblood**

**RATIFICATION OF DELAY/DENIAL BY STAFF**

The following delay/denials by staff were presented to the Board for ratification:

**Amber Faye Nicole Godeaux  
Christopher Michael Lowery  
Charlotte Neely  
Chyna Nguyen  
Taylor Sherionna Vaughn**

**Motion:** by W. Palermo, seconded, to return to Open Session.

There being no nays or abstentions, the motion carried.

**CONSENT ORDERS**

There were ten (10) matters considered by the Board as Consent Orders.

**Motion:** By T. Moffatt, seconded, that the Board accept the Consent Order for the following individuals:

**Nurse Practice Act Violations**

**Rachelle Nicolle Black  
Chase Michael Broussard  
Brandy Meyung Galmon  
Amber Darlene Hudson  
Ella Douglas Kliebert  
Tamara Johnson Taylor**

**Reinstatement**

**Desiree Anne Kennedy  
Nicholas Paul Vogel**

**Student**

**Nia Lawson  
Darreal Trotter**

Voice Vote: T. Kindall-yes; T. Moffatt-yes; A. Carruth-yes; J. Manning-yes;  
W. Palermo-yes; M. Primeaux-yes.

Motion Carried

**RATIFICATION OF AUTOMATIC SUSPENSIONS:**

There were eight (8) matters considered by the Board as ratification of Automatic Suspension by Board staff. W. Matthews' affidavits were introduced to support the position that these automatic suspensions were in order:

**Motion:** by J. Manning, seconded, that the Board ratify the Automatic Suspension on the following individuals:

**Sonya Slayton Doyle  
Caitlyn Marie Duplessy  
Thomas Timothy Franks  
Mireya Garcia Gammage  
Elisa Beatrice Guerrero  
Kimberly Diane Harless**

**Vonzell Denopol Howard**  
**Shannon Leonnie Youngblood**

Voice Vote: T. Kindall-yes; T. Moffatt-yes; A. Carruth-yes; J. Manning-yes;  
W. Palermo-yes; M. Primeaux-yes.

Motion Carried

**RATIFICATION OF DELAY/DENIAL BY STAFF ACTION:**

There were five (5) matters considered by the Board as Ratification of Delay/Denial by staff action. C. Jones' affidavits were introduced to support the position that these Delay/Denials were in order:

**Motion:** by M. Primeaux, that the Board ratify the Delay/Denial by staff action on the following individuals:

**Amber Faye Nicole Godeaux**  
**Christopher Michael Lowery**  
**Charlotte Neely**  
**Chyna Nguyen**  
**Taylor Sherionna Vaughn**

Voice Vote: T. Kindall-yes; T. Moffatt-yes; A. Carruth-yes; J. Manning-yes;  
W. Palermo-yes; M. Primeaux-yes.

Motion Carried

**ADJOURNMENT:**

**Motion:** by J. Manning, seconded, to adjourn.

The Hearing Panel adjourned at 3:05 p.m.

  
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**T. KINDALL, PRESIDENT, AND PRESIDING OFFICER**  
**LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING**