

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

MINUTES OF THE HEARING PANEL HELD ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 2025

Call to Order: The Hearing Panel of the Louisiana State Board of Nursing was called to order at 9:04 a.m. by T. Moffatt, President, and Presiding Officer, on Wednesday, January 15, 2025, at the Louisiana State Board of Nursing, 17373 Perkins Road, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70810.

Roll Call: The following Board members were in attendance:
Tracey Moffatt, MHA, BSN, RN, President, and Presiding Officer
Jennifer Manning, DNS, APRN, CNS, CNE, Alternate Officer
Jennifer Couvillon, PhD, RN- BC, CNE
Teresita McNabb, RN, MHA
Denise Bottcher
Michelle Collins, Ph.D., CNM, RNC-EFM, FACNM, FAAN, FNAP

The following staff members were in attendance:
Karen C. Lyon, PhD, MBA, APRN-CNS_{BC}, NEA_{BC}, Executive Director/CEO
Alicia E. Wheeler, JD, Executive Counsel
Lauren Papillion, JD, Chief Regulatory Officer
Donald Bowman, JD, Director of Hearings/Prosecuting Attorney
Venise Johnson, JD, Board Attorney
Reyna Witt, JD, Board Attorney
Geneva Carter, MSN, APRN, RNCO-Team Leader
Scott Bonnette, IT
Jerome Skrandel, IT
Suzanne C. Armand, CCR, CVR, Court Reporter, virtually

Mr. Bowman reported that the matter of Tonya Mayeaux Solis has been removed from the hearing docket and will now appear under the Consent Orders. The matter of Arian Justice Mendoza has been rescheduled to the April 2025 Hearing Panel.

Motion: by M. Collins, seconded, to approve the Agenda as amended.

There being no nays or abstentions, the motion carried.

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

There being no nays or abstentions, the motion carried.

Motion: by T. McNabb, 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.

Voice Vote: T. Moffatt-yes; J. Manning-yes; J. Couvillon-yes; T. McNabb-yes; D. Bottcher-yes; M. Collins-yes

Motion Carried

CONSENT ORDERS

The following Consent Orders went on record as presented:

Nurse Practice Act Violations:

**Candise Lewis Brock
Tempest Ponder Brymer
Janet Alison Byrd
Yvonne Nichole Crowell
Claudia Mirella Diaz
Ashley Olivia Ducre
Chason Lee Harrington
Alexis Jade Ingle
Benjamin Bryan Ivey
Phillip Jake Killgore
Howard Phineas Noel
Katecia Jackson Smith
Tonya Mayeaux Solis
Pamela Chaney Windham**

Reinstatement of Licensure

**Tara Anne Carr
Arielle D'layne Vaughn**

RATIFICATION OF AUTOMATIC SUSPENSIONS:

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

**Brian Anthony Canale
Lynn Lareau English
Holly Lejeune Lemoine
Cherie Verret Norman
Jennifer Reed West**

RATIFICATION OF DELAY/DENIAL BY STAFF

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

**Briana Bell
Gianni Jean Baptist Berthelot
Quincey Deion Grier**

CEASE AND DESIST PRIVILEGE TO PRACTICE BY STAFF ACTION

The following Cease and Desist Privilege to Practice by staff action was presented to the Board for ratification:

Rickee Byrd Faddis

RATIFICATION OF MULTIPLE ACTIONS

The following Multiple Actions by staff was presented to the Board for ratification:

Royale' Ezekiel Kelly

Motion: by J. Manning, to return to Open Session.

Voice Vote: T. Moffatt-yes; J. Manning-yes; J. Couvillon-yes; T. McNabb-yes;
D. Bottcher-yes; M. Collins-yes

Motion Carried

CONSENT ORDERS

There were seventeen (17) matters considered by the Board as Consent Orders.

Motion: by T. McNabb, seconded, that the Board accept the Consent Orders for the following individuals:

Nurse Practice Act Violations

**Candise Lewis Brock
Tempest Ponder Brymer
Janet Alison Byrd
Yvonne Nichole Crowell
Claudia Mirella Diaz
(Order to include medication administration education)
Ashley Olivia Ducre
Chason Lee Harrington
Alexis Jade Ingle
Benjamin Bryan Ivey
Phillip Jake Killgore
Howard Phineas Noel**

**Katecia Jackson Smith
Tonya Mayeaux Solis
Pamela Chaney Windham**

Reinstatement of Licensure

**Tara Anne Carr
Arielle D'layne Vaughn**

Voice Vote: T. Moffatt-yes; J. Manning-yes; J. Couvillon-yes; T. McNabb-yes;
D. Bottcher-yes; M. Collins-yes

Motion Carried

AUTOMATIC SUSPENSION:

There were five (5) matters considered by the Board as ratification of Automatic Suspension by Board staff. D. Bowman's 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 individual:

**Brian Anthony Canale
Lynn Lareau English
Holly Lejeune Lemoine
Cherie Verret Norman
Jennifer Reed West**

Voice Vote: T. Moffatt-yes; J. Manning-yes; J. Couvillon-yes; T. McNabb-yes;
D. Bottcher-yes; M. Collins-yes

Motion Carried

RATIFICATION OF DELAY/DENIALS BY STAFF ACTION:

There were three (3) matters considered by the Board, as Ratification of Delay/Denials by staff action. D. Bowman's affidavits were introduced to support the position that these Delay/Denials were in order:

Motion: by M. Collins, seconded, that the Board ratify the Delay/Denials by staff action on the following individuals:

**Briana Bell
Gianni Jean Baptist Berthelot
Quincey Deion Grier**

Voice Vote: T. Moffatt-yes; J. Manning-yes; J. Couvillon-yes; T. McNabb-yes;
D. Bottcher-yes; M. Collins-yes

Motion Carried

CEASE AND DESIST PRIVILEGE TO PRACTICE

The following Cease and Desist Privilege to Practice by staff action was presented to the Board for ratification. D. Bowman's affidavit was introduced to support the position that this Cease and Desist action was in order.

Motions: by D. Bottcher, seconded, that the Board accept the following Cease and Desist Privilege to Practice:

Rickee Byrd Faddis

Voice Vote: T. Moffatt-yes; J. Manning-yes; J. Couvillon-yes; T. McNabb-yes;
D. Bottcher-yes; M. Collins-yes

Motion Carried

RATIFICATION OF MULTIPLE ACTIONS

There was one (1) matter considered by the Board as Ratification of Multiple Actions.

Motion: by J. Couvillon, seconded, that the Board ratify the following Multiple Actions:

Royale' Ezekiel Kelly

Voice Vote: T. Moffatt-yes; J. Manning-yes; J. Couvillon-yes; T. McNabb-yes;
D. Bottcher-yes; M. Collins-yes

Motion Carried

ADJOURNMENT:

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

The Hearing Panel adjourned at 9:28 a.m.



**TRACEY MOFFATT, PRESIDENT, AND PRESIDING OFFICER
LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF NURSING**