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STATE BOARD OF NURSING

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Special Teleconference Meeting Minutes

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In Favor – Opposed – Abstaining – Absent

Monday, September 12, 2016

Commenced at 8:39 a.m.

President, Donna Nurss called to order the meeting of the Wyoming State Board of Nursing (WSBN). A roll call was conducted and quorum declared.

The following were present:

<u>Board Members</u> Donna Nurss APRN, President (DN) Charlotte Mather RN, Secretary (CM) Susan Howard RN (SH) Helen Byrd RN (HB) Stephen Delger, Public (SD) *Vice President, Marjory Christiansen RN & Kathy Cromer LPN- absent	<u>Staff</u> Cynthia LaBonde, Executive Director (CL) Joey Clure, Investigative Assistant (JC) Tasha Selfridge, Office Support Specialist (TS) Victoria Pike, Compliance & Discipline/Licensing Manager (VP)	<u>Attorney General's Office</u> Mackenzie Williams (MW), Advising Attorney Jim Peters (JP), Advising Attorney Jessica Frint (JF) Prosecuting Attorney Van Snow(VS), Assistant Attorney General <u>Office of Administrative Hearings</u> Sean Chambers <u>Court Reporter</u> Kathy Kendrick	<u>Guests:</u> Amy Hayes Nancy Wrede Tonya Lazaro
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AI#01 Hearings

At 8:40 a.m. President Nurss turned the floor over to Mr. Sean Chambers, OAH, to conduct the case hearing.

- a. Tawnya Wrede, RN#19020, Docket No. 15-098-SH (Summary Suspension)

At 8:50 a.m., the hearing officially began. Mr. Chambers presided over the hearing, introducing the procedural background. AAG Snow summarized the motions and filings previously submitted in the case. Respondent did not appear at the hearing. Respondent's sister, Amy Hayes and mother, Nancy Wrede were present on her behalf and gave an update on Respondents health and treatment. AAG Snow presented the background of the case, showed burden of proof and presented closing remarks supporting the recommendation of a Summary Suspension.

- b. John White, RN#36959, Docket No. 16-051-CM (Summary Suspension)

PA Frint summarized the motions and filings previously submitted in the case. PA Frint informed the court that she spoke with Mr. Whites' attorney this morning regarding an additional case in Kentucky and was informed that Mr. Whites' attorney would not be representing respondent in this case. Respondent did not appear at the hearing. PA Frint waived opening remarks, presented the case and motioned for default with Summary Suspension due to Mr. Whites' failure to appear at the hearing.

AI#02 Executive Session – Right to Practice

Motion: Motion made and seconded to enter into Executive Session for Right to Practice of a Professional Person. Motion passed without dissent. (5-0-0-2)

Board returned to public session at 9:44 a.m.

AI#01 Hearings (a) Tawnya Wrede, RN#19020, Docket No. 15-098-SH (Summary Suspension)

Motion: Motion made and seconded to approve the Summary Suspension of Tawnya Wrede, RN#19020, Docket No. 15-098-SH. Motion passed without dissent. (4-0-1-2) (In accordance with the Board Rules, members of the Disciplinary Committee abstained from voting) (DC: SH)

AI#01 Hearings (b) John White, RN#36959, Docket No. 16-051-CM (Summary Suspension)

Motion: Motion made and seconded to approve the Petitioner’s Motion for Default Judgment for John White, RN #36959, Docket No. 16-051-CM. Motion passed without dissent. (5-0-0-2)

Motion: Motion made and seconded to summarily suspend the nursing license of John White, RN #36959, Docket No. 16-051-CM. Motion passed without dissent. (5-0-0-2)

AI#03 Special Licensing Requests

a. Tonya Lazaro, RN#22856, Docket No. 14-087-MC

Motion: Motion made and seconded to reinstate the license of Tonya Lazaro, RN #22856, Docket No. 14-087-MC. Motion passed without dissent. (5-0-0-2)

AI#04 Executive Session – Right to Practice – not used

Board Adjourned: 9:51a.m.

Minutes submitted by: Tasha Selfridge, Office Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed by: Cynthia LaBonde, Executive Director
Kara Aguirre, Legal Assistant
Charlotte Mather, Board Secretary

Board approved Meeting Minutes on: 10/11/2016