



Wyoming

STATE BOARD OF NURSING

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Special Teleconference Board Meeting Minutes

October 9, 2017

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In Favor – Opposed – Abstaining – Absent

The Board reserves the right to vary from the times and order of matters presented depending upon the need and necessity of facilitating the flow of business.

Monday, October 9, 2017

Commenced at 9:04 a.m.

President 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:

<p><u>Board Members</u> Donna Nurss, APRN (DN), President Marjory Christiansen, RN (MC), Vice President (absent/excused) Charlotte Mather, RN (CM), Secretary Helen Byrd, RN (HB) Susan Howard, RN (SH) Kathy Cromer, LPN (KC) Stephen Delger (SD), Public Member (absent/excused)</p>	<p><u>Staff</u> Cynthia LaBonde (CL), Executive Director Jennifer Burns (JB), P&E Consultant Victoria Pike (VP), Compliance & Discipline Manager Kara Aguirre (KA), Legal Assistant Joey Clure (JC), Investigative Assistant Lori Cook (LC), Office Support Specialist</p>	<p><u>Attorney General's Office</u> Jim Peters, Advising Attorney</p> <p><u>Public</u> Kim Bird, RN Licensee #15341</p>
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President Nurss called for reordering of the agenda to accommodate public guest. Motion passed (5-0-0-2)

AI#01 Summary Suspension

a. Kim Bird, RN #15341, Docket No.17-099-MTX

- Facts of the case were presented by Victoria Pike (VP) on behalf of the Disciplinary Committee (DC)
- Ms. Bird addressed the Board

Motion: *It was moved and seconded to enter into Executive Session for legal advice and the right to practice of a professional person, Kim Bird, RN #15341, Docket No. 17-099-MTX. Motion passed (5-0-0-2)*

Board returned to public session at 9:19 a.m.

Motion: *Motion made and seconded to Summarily Suspend Kim Bird, RN #15341, Docket No. 17-099-MTX. Motion Passed(5-0-0-2)*

b. Bridget Monroe (Eklund), RN #26450, Docket No. 17-055-CM

- Facts of the case were presented by Victoria Pike (VP) on behalf of the Disciplinary Committee (DC)

Motion: *It was moved and seconded to enter into Executive Session for legal advice and the right to practice of a professional person, Bridget Monroe (Eklund), RN #26450, Docket No. 17-055-CM. (In accordance with the Board Rules, members of the Disciplinary Committee abstained from voting) (DC: CM). Motion passed (5-0-1-2)*

Board returned to public session at 9:36 a.m.

Motion: *Motion made and seconded to Summarily Suspend Bridget Monroe (Eklund), RN #26450, Docket No. 17-055-CM. In accordance with the Board Rules, members of the Disciplinary Committee abstained from voting) (DC: CM). Motion passed (5-0-1-2)*

c. Jenny Persson, APRN 26130.1542, Docket No. 17-051-MTX

- Facts of the case were presented by Victoria Pike (VP) on behalf of the Disciplinary Committee (DC)

Motion: *It was moved and seconded to enter into Executive Session for legal advice and the right to practice of a professional person, Jenny Persson, APRN 26130.1542, Docket No. 17-051- MTX. Motion passed (5-0-0-2)*

Board returned to public session at 9:50 a.m.

Motion: *Motion made and seconded to Summarily Suspend Jenny Persson, APRN 26130.1542, Docket No. 17-051-MTX.*

Point of clarification was called and there was an amendment to the motion.

Amended Motion: *Motion to Summarily Suspend Jenny Persson, APRN and RN licenses. Motion passed (5-0-0-2)*

AI#02 Executive Session – Right to Practice– Not used

Board Adjourned 9:52 a.m.

Minutes submitted by: Lori Cook, Office Specialist II

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

Board Approved Meeting Minutes on: 11/18/2017