

UNAPPROVED DRAFT
BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
INFORMAL CONFERENCE
JANUARY 20, 2010
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
RICHMOND, VA

CALL TO ORDER: An Informal Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 9:00 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: John Wise, DVM – Chair
Henry McKelvin, DVM

STAFF PRESENT: Leslie Knachel, Executive Director
Terri Behr, Operations Manager
Peter Opper, Administrative Proceedings Division

OTHERS PRESENT: Carrie Eddy

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Anna L. Barnes, DVM**
License #.: 0301202249
Case No. - 127256

DISCUSSION: Dr. Barnes appeared before the Committee in accordance with a Notice of Informal Conference dated December 4, 2009. Dr. Barnes was not represented by counsel. The Committee fully discussed the allegations contained in the notice with Dr. Barnes.

CLOSED SESSION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. McKelvin, the Special Conference Committee recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Anna L. Barnes, DVM**. Additionally, it was moved that Peter Opper, Administrative Proceedings Division, Leslie Knachel, Executive Director, Board of Veterinary Medicine and Terri Behr, Operations Manager, Board of Veterinary Medicine, attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations. Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Based on the Investigative Report and discussion of the

case with Dr. Barnes, the Committee ordered that Dr. Barnes shall obtain 3 hours in continuing education in internal medicine within six months of the date that the Order becomes final. The hearing adjourned at 10:20 a.m.

John T. Wise, DVM

Leslie L. Knachel, MPH, Executive Director for the Board

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE
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CALL TO ORDER: An Informal Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 10:35 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kelly Gottschalk, DVM – Chair
John Wise, DVM

STAFF PRESENT: Leslie Knachel, Executive Director
Terri Behr, Operations Manager
Peter Opper, Administrative Proceedings Division

OTHERS PRESENT: Amy Lombardo, Esq.

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Adam S. Ainspan, DVM**
License No.: 0301005992
Case No.: 123590

DISCUSSION: Dr. Ainspan appeared before the Committee in accordance with a Notice of Informal Conference dated December 4, 2009. Dr. Ainspan was represented by counsel, Amy Lombardo, Esq. The Committee fully discussed the allegations contained in the notice with Dr. Ainspan.

CLOSED SESSION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. Wise, the Special Conference Committee recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Adam S. Ainspan, DVM**. Additionally, it was moved that Peter Opper, Administrative Proceedings Division, Leslie Knachel, Executive Director, Board of Veterinary Medicine and Terri Behr, Operations Manager, Board of Veterinary Medicine, attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations. Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION: Based on the Investigative Report and discussion of the

case with Dr. Ainspan, the Committee dismissed the case. The hearing adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

Kelly J. Gottschalk, DVM

Leslie L. Knachel, MPH, Executive Director For the Board

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CALL TO ORDER: An Informal Conference Committee of the Board was called to order at 11:35 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kelly Gottschalk, DVM – Chair
Henry McKelvin, DVM

STAFF PRESENT: Leslie Knachel, Executive Director
Terri Behr, Operations Manager
Peter Opper, Administrative Proceedings Division

OTHERS PRESENT: Donna Garrett
Deborah Garrett
James Garrett
Larry Taylor

MATTER SCHEDULED: **Sheryl L. Taylor, DVM**
License #.: 0301001318
Case No. – 125972

DISCUSSION: Dr. Taylor appeared before the Committee in accordance with a Notice of Informal Conference dated December 4, 2009. Dr. Taylor was not represented by counsel. The Committee fully discussed the allegations contained in the notice with Dr. Taylor

CLOSED SESSION: On properly seconded motion by Dr. McKelvin, the Special Conference Committee recessed Open Session and convened in Closed Session pursuant to §2.2-3711(A)(28) of the Code of Virginia for the purpose of deliberation to reach a decision in the matter regarding **Sheryl L. Taylor, DVM**. Additionally, it was moved that Peter Opper, Administrative Proceedings Division, Leslie Knachel, Executive Director, Board of Veterinary Medicine and Terri Behr, Operations Manager, Board of Veterinary Medicine, attend the closed meeting because their presence in the closed meeting was deemed necessary and would aid the Committee in its deliberations. Having certified that the matters discussed in the preceding closed session met the requirements of §2.2-3712 of the Code, the Committee reconvened in open session and announced its decision.

DECISION:

Based on the Investigative Report and discussion of the case with Dr. Taylor, the Committee ordered that Dr. Taylor be reprimanded, be assessed a monetary penalty of \$1500 and obtain 16 hours in continuing education in recordkeeping, internal medicine, surgery and anesthesia. The hearing adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

Kelly J. Gottschalk, DVM

Leslie L. Knachel, MPH., Executive Director for the Board