

**WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR
REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSES**

August 28, 2017

A Special Board meeting was held at the office of the Board of Examiners for Registered Professional Nurses at 101 Dee Drive, Suite 102, Charleston, WV 25311-1620, on August 28, 2017. This meeting was held via Teleconference.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

(By Telephone)

TARA F. HULSEY, PhD, RN, CNE, FAAN, PRESIDENT

TERESA RITCHIE, DNP, APRN FNP-BC, SECRETARY

NANCY V. ATKINS, MSN, APRN WHNP-BC

L. ANN BOSTIC, DNP, APRN CRNA

THERESA DENNISON, PUBLIC MEMBER

JOHN MARTIN, PUBLIC MEMBER

BOARD MEMBERS NOT PRESENT:

DORIS F. BURKEY, DNP, MSN, APRN FNP-BC

BOARD STAFF PRESENT:

DR. SUE PAINTER, DNP, RN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

ALICE R. FAUCETT, JD, GENERAL COUNSEL & DIRECTOR OF DISCIPLINE

ROBIN A. LEWIS, Ed.D, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

MARGARET "MARTY" ALSTON, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

AUGUST 28, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

The special meeting was called to order by Dr. Tara Hulsey, Board President at 3:00 p.m.

QUORUM

With the required number of members being present a quorum was established.

ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Ann Bostic to accept the proposed agenda as written. The second was offered by Nancy Atkins. The motion carried.

1. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Nancy Atkins made a motion for the Board to enter in Executive Session to review and consideration of the hearing transcript related to Crystal Ann Bentley. The second was offered by Theresa Dennison. The motion carried.

Tara Hulsey, Board President, announced that in accordance with Chapter 6, Section 4(2)(A), of the Code of West Virginia, Executive Sessions may be held by governmental agencies to consider matters. All motions arising from the discussion during the Executive Session shall be made and voted on in an open meeting immediately following an Executive Session.

PUBLIC SESSION

A motion was made by Nancy Atkins to reconvene the regular meeting to make motions related to discussion during the Executive Session. The second was offered by Ann Bostic. Motion carried.

2. MOTIONS RELATED TO DECISIONS MADE DURING THE EXECUTIVE SESSION

WVRN BOARD VS. CRYSTAL ANN BENTLEY

Teresa Ritchie made a motion to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Recommendations of the Hearing Officer and to issue a Final Order. The Board hereby suspends license number 70644, issued to Crystal Ann Bentley for a period of two (2) year. The Board also ORDERS Bentley to pay a fine and administrative cost of two thousand dollars (\$2000.00).

This FINAL ORDER ADDITION is considered part of Bentley's FINAL ORDER and will be filed as such.

1. Bentley shall contact WV Restore within thirty (30) days of this Final Order and submit to a thorough evaluation in accordance with the requirements of West Virginia Restore.
2. Once Bentley has contacted West Virginia Restore and before her evaluation, Bentley shall contact the Board and request a copy of her file be sent to West Virginia Restore to be provided to the evaluator.
3. Bentley shall comply with all treatment recommendations mandated by West Virginia Restore.
4. Bentley shall not commit any act which would be a crime under West Virginia or federal law. If Bentley is charged by any law enforcement agency with committing any such criminal act, she shall notify the Board and West Virginia Restore in writing of the formal charge(s) against her, and resolution of the same.
5. Contingent upon West Virginia Restore's approval, Bentley may petition the Board and present satisfactory evidence that she is able to safely engage in the practice or registered professional nursing.
 - A. Such evidence shall at least include, that she has been compliant with the West Virginia Restore Program throughout the term of her supervision.

However the terms of this Order shall remain in effect and subject to yearly review and appropriate revision by the Board until such time as Bentley's license is fully reinstated by the Board.

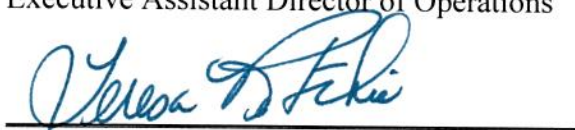
The second was offered by Ann Bostic. The motion carried.

4. ADJOURN

4. Nancy Atkins made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 3:32 pm. Theresa Dennison offered the second. The motion carried.



Minutes prepared by
Margaret "Marty" Alston
Executive Assistant Director of Operations



Respectfully submitted by
Teresa Ritchie, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC
Board Secretary