



Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners - Summary Suspension Panel

Monday, March 28, 2022

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A panel of the Tennessee Board of Medical Examiners was called to order at 1:30 p.m. in the Iris Room, Ground Floor, Metro Center Complex, 665 Mainstream Drive, Nashville, Tennessee 37243 by Stacy Tarr, Administrative Director.

Board members present: Randall Pearson, MD
 Keith Anderson, MD
 John McGraw, MD

Staff present: Francine Baca-Chavez, JD, Office of General Counsel
 Jessica Turner, JD, Office of General Counsel
 Rene Saunders, MD, Medical Consultant, BME
 Stacy Tarr, Administrative Director
 Candyce Wilson, Administrative Director
 Brandi Allocco, Board Administrator
 Samantha Green, Board Administrator

Ms. Stacy Tarr made opening remarks to the Board and provided an overview of the requirements for a special meeting by teleconference. All of the requirements were satisfied. The electronic meeting was scheduled for the purpose of the Order of Summary Suspension in the matter of Matthew Hine, MD. The teleconference was then turned over to Dr. Randall Pearson to serve as chair of this committee. Dr. Hine was given an opportunity to make a statement prior to cross-examination by Ms. Jessica Turner. Ms. Jessica Turner, Senior Associate General Counsel addressed the panel with general comments that this panel is only deciding on whether or not to uphold the summary suspension ratified at the March 16, 2022 Board Meeting. Dr. John McGraw made a motion to uphold the order. Dr. Keith Anderson seconded the motion. Dr. Pearson asked if the panel would like to further discuss the matter. A roll call vote was conducted by Ms. Tarr, which passed unanimously. The panel made recommendations for Dr. Hine prior to his appearance before the Board in May.

This concludes the Board of Medical Examiners panel.