Minutes of the South Carolina Board of Dentistry
Panel Hearing November 12, 2013
Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building, Room 202-02
110 Centerview Drive, Columbia, SC 29210

Panel member present:

Dr. Gordon W. Bray, Chairman

Dr. Dennis W. Newton

Staff and others present were:

Jennifer Clinkscales, Esq.

Suzanne Hawkins, LLR Litigation Attorney, Office of General Counsel (OGC)

Lisa Hawsey, LLR Administrative Assistant

Lori Graham, OIE Investigator

Sara McCartha, LLR Advice Attorney

James Thomas Murph, Jr., DMD

Jack Pringle, Esq.

James Snell, Esq.

CALL TO ORDER:

The Panel Hearing of the South Carolina Board of Dentistry was held at the Synergy Office Park, Kingstree Building, 110 Centerview Drive, Room 202-02108, in Columbia, South Carolina. Whereas, proper notice of date, time, place and agenda information having been properly provided to THE STATE NEWSPAPER AND ASSOCIATED PRESS and proper notice also having been posted at the LLR Office Building 24 hours prior to the time scheduled for the meeting and a Panel member present, Dr. Bray, Panel Chairman, called the meeting to order...

DISCIPLINARY HEARING (Disciplinary hearings are closed for the Board of Dentistry.):

James Thomas Murph, Jr., D.M.D:

A disciplinary hearing was held for Dr. Murph for a Motion to Challenge the Order for Temporary Suspension (TSO) issued to him on October 28, 2013. Ms. Hawkins represented the State. Ms. McCartha advised the Board. Dr. Murph was present and represented by Jack Pringle, James Snell, and Jennifer Clinkscales. A court reporter was present. The hearing commenced.

Motion: Dr. Bray made a motion to go into Executive Session. Dr. Newton seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Motion: Dr. Bray made a motion to return to Open Session. Dr. Newton seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Motion: Dr. Bray made a motion that the TSO should be lifted immediately because the conditions of the Order had been completed with by the time of this hearing. Dr. Newton seconded the motion. The motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business or announcements Dr. Bray adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Kate K. Cox Administrator