

**RESPIRATORY CARE COMMITTEE**  
**Minutes**  
**July 9, 2021 AT 8:00 A.M.**

**\*\*TO BE HELD THROUGH TELEPHONIC AND VIDEO CONFERENCING\*\***  
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**I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM 8:02 a.m.**

**Board Members Present David Burnworth, Patricia Ingle and Gary Smith**  
**State: Toby Snell, Dinena Moore, Claire Dyer**

- II. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA Motion made by PI and seconded by GS Motion Carries 3-0-0**
- III. ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES FROM 04/29/2021 Motion to accept made by GS and seconded by GS/PI AND 05/07/2021 Motion made by PI and seconded by GS Motion carries 3-0-0**
- IV. REPORT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL Report given by Amanda Elizondo Cassidy**
- V. ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS**

**Court Reporter Lindy Meyer**

- I. Albert Gurchiek 2021 RCC 0001 Probation Withdrawal**

Albert Gurchiek present and without counsel  
Mr Gurchiek requests to have his license be removed from probation status  
All requirements have been met per the final order for the probation terms  
All charges were dropped and dismissed.  
Feels he can do his job competently  
Respondent Rests  
DB confirms charges were dismissed with respondent  
PI has no questions and does confirm the dismissal  
Gary Smith no further questions  
Closing statement from Mr Gurchiek

States he has a license for 20 years in 20 years is the only time he has ever had to appear before the committee. He has met all requirements of the probation order. Requests to be removed from probation.

Hearing closed

Motion made to withdraw probation by PI and seconded by GS

Motion Carries 3-0-0

## 2. **Erika McBride 2019 RCC 0006**

### Probation Withdrawal

Erika McBride present and without counsel

Erika requests to have her license be removed from probation status

States all requirements have been met. Her license was placed on probation two years ago for DUI.

She has been attending meetings in person until COVID and started Zoom Meetings. She states she has been compliant and met all the requirements of the probation order.

Respondent rests

GS asks about Quarterly report and asks about employment

Currently working for Lutheran Hospital

When COVID hit she took care of swabbing of in patient and outpatient surgeries. She became the case manager and has taken on a lot more responsibility since the time of being placed on probation.

DB states she was cited for DUI and asks if she has been sober since the incident and she stated that she is abstaining from alcohol. DB asks if she will continue to abstain, and she stated yes

PI asks about the hours worked and asks if that caused her stress and wonders if the stress could have caused the drinking issue and will she be taking on more hours at work.

Respondent states that she just had a baby and does not want to work anymore than she has to. They are requiring mandatory hours and will have to work at least 16 hours additional hours but she will not work any more than 40 hours a week

No more questions from the committee

Closing statement from Respondent

Hearing Closed

Motion made to withdraw probation by GS and seconded by PE

Motion carries 3-0-0

**VI. PERSONAL APPEARANCES**

1. **Keaton Maenhout-Pending Application**  
Does not appear application denied  
GS makes motion to deny and PI seconds motion carries 3-0-0

2. **Jason Powell-Pending Application**  
Does not appear  
Motion to Deny permit GS and PI Motion carries 3-0-0

**VII. DISCUSSION ITEM**

1. **Discussion on CE Rules**  
PI will look into getting more information and will place on the first January 2022 meeting agenda for further discussion
2. **License as a Student Temp RCP**  
Personal Appearance letter states "License" and the Student Permit is not considered a license. Working to get that corrected.

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 9:27**

**NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING:  
October 26, 2021**



David Burnworth, Chair