

IOWA BOARD OF MEDICINE

SPECIAL TELECONFERENCE

Noon, Tuesday, January 31, 2012

**400 SW 8th, Suite C
Des Moines, IA 50309**

OPEN MINUTES

January 31, 2012

Members Present:

Siroos Shirazi, M.D., Chair
Colleen Stockdale, M.D., Secretary
Diane Clark
Analisa Haberman, D.O.
Ambreen Mian

Alternate Members Present:

Blaine Houmes, M.D.
Dana Shaffer, D.O.

Staff Present:

Mark Bowden, Executive Director
John Olds, M.D., Medical Advisor
Teena Turnbaugh, Secretary

This special teleconference was held to finalize the hearing decision regarding Vernon Varner, M.D., File Nos. 02-2008-162, 02-2008-606, 02-2009-001, 02-2009-677. As directed by the Board, the decision was prepared for review by the Board by Administrative Law Judge Margaret LaMarche. Tom Drew, Greg Hoversten, D.O., Jeff Snyder, M.D., Hamed Tewfik, M.D., and Joyce Vista-Wayne, M.D. did not participate on the hearing panel.

Siroos Shirazi, M.D., called the teleconference to order at 12:00 p.m.

On a motion by Colleen Stockdale, M.D., a second by Analisa Haberman, D.O., and the Board voted to go into closed session at 12:02 p.m., pursuant to Iowa Code Section 21.5(1)(a). Diane Clark, Analisa Haberman, D.O., Blaine Houmes, M.D., Ambreen Mian, Dana Shaffer, D.O., Siroos Shirazi, M.D., and Colleen Stockdale, M.D., voted aye. The

panel went into open session immediately following the closed session. The following was discussed in open session.

- I. Consideration in the matter of the Reinstatement Application, Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, Decisions and Order regarding Vernon Varner, M.D., File Nos. 02-2008-162, 02-2008-606, 02-2009-001, 02-2009-677

On a motion by Analisa Haberman, D.O., a second by Diane Clark, the Board voted to accept the Decisions and Order as written.

On a motion by Colleen Stockdale, M.D., a second by Ambreen Mian, the Board voted to deny the request for reinstatement of license.

The meeting adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

These minutes are respectfully submitted by Teena Turnbaugh, Secretary.