

BOARD OF COAL MINING EXAMINERS

SUMMARY OF MEETING

AUGUST 13, 2013

The following is a summary of the August 13, 2013 Meeting:

- I. Meeting called to order at 9:05 AM by Randy Moore, Chairman. Members present were Randy Moore, Gerald Kendrick, Arvil McConnell, Ricky O'Quinn and Phillip Hale. Also present were Mary Gibson, Regulatory Boards Administrator, and Sharon Pigeon, Sr. Assistant Attorney General.**
- II. Opening statement delivered by Randy Moore, Chairman.**
- III. Motion made and seconded to accept August 13, 2013, meeting agenda and approve July 9, 2013, meeting summary. All members were in favor to approve.**
- IV. Review of Virginia Substance Abuse Cases (Closed Session)**

Of the cases that resulted in hearings, evidence was taken by the Board in closed session, pursuant to Virginia Code §§ 2.2-3711(A)(4) and 45.1-11.35(E). In the closed session, the Board worked out agreements, allowing individuals to return to work conditionally, and took other disciplinary actions including revocation of all certifications held by miners.

V. Open Agenda

Arvil McConnell welcomed newly-appointed member Phillip Hale to the Board. Mr. Hale replaces Joseph Buchanan who resigned as the surface coal mine operator representative.

VI. Next Meeting

Next meeting will be September 10, 2013.

VII. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 12:00 PM.