

IN THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA  
IN THE TITLE IV MATTER OF ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF  
ADMINISTRATIVE LEAVE BY  
THE REVERENED DR. B. CAYCE RAMEY, RESPONDENT

To: The Rt. Rev'd Kevin S. Brown, Bishop Diocesan  
The Rev'd Dr. B. Cayce Ramey, Respondent  
The Rev'd Edward O. Miller, Jr., Respondent's Advisor  
Bradfute W. Davenport, Jr., Esquire, Church Attorney

**SCHEDULING CONFERENCE NOTICE**

**Background**

On October 28, 2024, the Diocese of Virginia's Disciplinary Board's Reference Panel referred this case to this Hearing Panel (hereinafter PANEL), and on October 29, 2024, the Church Attorney filed a STATEMENT OF THE CHURCH ATTORNEY. The Respondent on December 4, 2024, filed a response to the STATEMENT OF THE CHURCH ATTORNEY. Subsequently, on February 3, 2025, in accord with Canon IV.13.5 (a), mandatory disclosures of evidence were exchanged between the parties.

Concurrently, in 2024 and until July 2, 2025, the named Respondent for this matter was additionally the named Respondent in a separate pending Title IV case for which the Hearing Panel for that case after a hearing on the merits issued a HEARING ORDER on May 8, 2024. Respondent filed an appeal to the Court of Review from that HEARING ORDER in accord with Canon IV.15.2. The Court of Review on July 2, 2025, issued a decision that reversed the HEARING ORDER.

This PANEL on February 10, 2025, issued an Order staying its proceedings until the Court of Review issued a decision, and directed that if the Court of Review issued a decision reversing the HEARING ORDER this PANEL's ordered stay would cease five business days after this PANEL receives that Court of Review decision and the case would then proceed in accord with Canon IV.13.5(c). Consequently, the Canon IV.13.5(c) directed scheduling conference for this matter is to be held on or before July 25, 2025.


A further background matter is that on July 8, 2025, Respondent's counsel, Jack W. Burch, Jr., Esq., informed the PANEL that he no longer represents the Respondent.

### Notice

Notice is hereby given for a Scheduling Conference pursuant to Canon IV.13.5(c) to be convened on **Friday, July 25, 2025, at 2:00 p.m.** This Conference will be conducted using Zoom. A link for the Zoom connection will be forwarded by email prior to the conference.

During this Scheduling Conference, the parties will be heard by the PANEL concerning additional discovery, foreseeable pre-hearing motions, and calendar proposals including for the date for the PANEL hearing on the merits. A Scheduling Order will be issued following the conference.

Date: 9 July 2025

  
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The Reverend Dina E. Widlake, President  
Hearing Panel of the Diocese of Virginia