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Diane Pruetz, Public Member; Dennis Beye, LMT; Kathleen Phillips, Executive Director

MINUTES BOARD MEETING

January 25, 2016 9:30 a.m.
1400 West Washington St, B1
Phoenix, AZ 85007

1. Call to Order by Presiding Officer

Victoria Bowmann, Chair, called the meeting to order at 9:35 am.

A. Roll call of Board members was done to establish a quorum to conduct the meeting.

Board Members present: Victoria Bowmann, LMT, Chair
Earle Duskey, LMT, Vice-Chair
Dennis Beye, LMT
Diane Pruetz, Public Member
John Ortega, Public Member

B. Acknowledgement of presence of Board staff and legal counsel.

Assistant Attorney General: Elizabeth Campbell

Board Staff present: Kathleen Phillips, Executive Director
Ellen Boyd, Licensing Administrator

Breaks: 12:55 pm – 1:00 pm
1:52 pm – 2:03 pm

2. Call to the Public.

None.

3. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Consent Agenda

(Any item under consent may be removed for independent discussion and action by a Board Member.)

A. Approval of Minutes: November 16, 2015 Board Meeting.

B. Approval of 175 Massage Therapy Application(s)

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| Maria | Acosta |
| Kristina | Adams |
| Jesenia | Alix |
| Kristy | Anzar |
| Royaale | Azevedo |
| Sara | Bach |
| Thomas | Bacon |
| Stephanie | Badsgard |
| Carol | Bankhead |
| Susan | Barg |
| Patricia | Batie |
| Veronica | Bellman |
| Simone | Bender |
| Steven | Berdecia Vargas |
| Christina | Bick |
| Brenda | Blakesley |
| Ericka | Bolton |
| Melody | Boyer |
| Lacey | Branson |
| Jalenda | Brantner |
| Melvin | Buffington Jr |
| Michael | Burkhart II |
| Szymon | Cabaj |
| Caren | Camasura |
| Rebecca | Campoy |
| Sharon | Carbone |
| Dominique | Carr |
| David | Carrasco |
| Ariadna | Celaya |
| Joan | Cerise |
| Julianna | Chandler |
| Nathan | Charles |
| Yu Feng | Chen |
| Sun | Cho |
| Natisha | Clark |
| Molly | Clemenson |
| Rebecca | Codoner |

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| Abby | Cooper |
| Reanne | Cram |
| Josie | Cruz |
| Anna | Dai |
| Mark | Davenport |
| Jodi | DeCristo |
| Danielle | Delone |
| Charles | DiGeronimo |
| Erzsebet | Dobai |
| Michael | Doyle |
| Kendra | Eaton |
| Eric | Escandon |
| Alexander | Estrada |
| Dolores | Estrella |
| Sarah | Evans |
| Samantha | Faer |
| Justin | Fredricksen |
| Alanna | Freitag |
| Hongxia | Frolich |
| Leticia | Garcia |
| Allen | Geib |
| Corinne | Gibson |
| Breanna | Gokool |
| Elizabeth | Golden |
| Laura | Gomez |
| Sabrina | Gonzales |
| Anamaria | Gonzalez |
| Lee | Graham |
| Amanda | Granger |
| Tiffany | Haile |
| Alistair | Hake |
| Stephanie | Hansen |
| Mildred | Hanson |
| Moises | Hernandez |
| Amy | Hoffa |
| Garrison | Hoke |
| HongLi | Hu |

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| Resa | James |
| Kirbie | Jarman |
| Andrea | Jensen |
| Fafen | Jiang |
| Annalena | Johnson |
| Meredith | Kaiser |
| Wannapa | Kasuwan |
| Darius | Kelly |
| Sherrie | Kelly |
| Kaylee | Kemp |
| Kimberly | King |
| Cynthia | Knowlton |
| April | Kovick |
| Destiny | Lake |
| Richard | Lam |
| Alyx | Landberg |
| Sherri | Landry |
| Kristina | Lang |
| Julianne | Larkins |
| Roxanne | Lavender |
| Hye Jung | Lim |
| Sheraton | Lockhart |
| Donald | Lockwood |
| Melissa | Lucas |
| Martin | Lucio |
| Sharin | Lunceford |
| Jose | Maldonado |
| Daysha | Marfell |
| Alexx | Martinez |
| Teresa | Martinez |
| Holly | Maury |
| Derrick | McCoy |
| Erin | McCue |
| Marissa | McDaniel |
| Katherine | Meyer |
| Maxfield | Milianti |
| Allegra | Miller |

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| Melissa | Molina |
| Fernando | Monarez |
| Deborah | Montoya |
| Casey | Moore |
| Shamika | Moore |
| Yamilette | Navarro Gomez |
| Vanessa | Noriega |
| Christine | Park |
| Vecencia | Pearce |
| Candelaria | Pena Cardenas |
| Darla | Petty |
| Rebecca | Porter |
| Margaret | Quinn |
| Cristian | Quitian |
| Robbin | Raeber |
| Nicole | Redondo-Vasquez |
| Mayra | Rodriguez Martinez |
| Elizabeth | Rojo |
| Catherine | Roland |
| Ashley | Ross |
| Tammi | Ross |
| Molly | Russell |

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| Camille | Salais |
| Izamar | Sanchez, Islava |
| Ashley | Sanders |
| Amanda | Sandoval |
| David | Sandoval |
| Tammara | Schaa |
| Breyana | Scott |
| Kiya | Sears |
| Danica | Sierra |
| Franklin | Simmons |
| Kimberly | Singletary |
| Rae | Skeet |
| Caitlyn | Slade |
| Shawnessey | Sledge |
| Gail | Smith |
| Sydney | Smith |
| Ashley | Spriggs |
| Sabrina | Sypniewski |
| Ronald | Tarbert |
| Scott | Taylor |
| David | Terry |
| Andranique | Thompson |

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| Kristine | Thompson |
| James | Thorp |
| Jessica | Thurmond |
| Nichole | Townsend |
| Rhonda | Trail |
| Diane | Vaughan |
| Brian | Villesca |
| Megan | Wagner |
| Shannon | Walker |
| Xiaotian | Wang |
| Claudia | Wesley |
| Kelley | Whalen |
| Claudia | Wheeler |
| Jane | Williamson |
| Kristine | Willison |
| Laurie | Wilmer |
| Hye Sun | Yun |
| Jie | Zhang |
| Wenfang | Zhu |
| Aimee | Zimmerman |

C. Approval of Massage Therapy Schools

CA South Baylo University

BPPE til 6/30/07; 2/13/13-2016 2727 W 6th St

Los Angeles

MOTION: Ms. Pruetz moved that the Board approve 3 (A), (B) and (C).
Mr. Beye seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays - 0

4. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Regulatory Matters

A. Discussion and Possible Action on Cases Voted to Formal Hearings – Motions to Deem

1. **Chris Romero** Case #15-116

Mr. Romero was present with no attorney.
Mr. Romero addressed the Board.
Mr. Duskey recused himself at the request of Mr. Romero.
Ms. Campbell addressed the Board.
CJ, the complainant, joined the meeting telephonically.
Ms. Campbell gave her opening statement.
Mr. Romero re-addressed the Board.
CJ was sworn in.
Ms. Campbell questioned CJ.

Mr. Romero questioned CJ.
Mr. Romero was sworn in and gave his testimony.
The Board questioned Mr. Romero.
The Board questioned CJ.
Ms. Campbell gave her closing argument.
Mr. Romero gave his closing argument.
Staff member, Catrina DeRoss, was sworn in.
The Board questioned Ms. DeRoss.

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board dismiss the case.
Ms. Pruetz seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays - 0

2. **Desiree Ramsey** Case #15-124
Ms. Ramsey was not present.
Ms. Campbell addressed the Board and asked to grant a motion to deem the case.

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board grant the state's request to deem.
Mr. Duskey seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays – 0

MOTION: Ms. Pruetz moved that the Board adopt the finding of facts and alleged violations from the complaint and notice of hearing as finding of facts and conclusions of law.
Mr. Ortega seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays – 0

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board revoke the license.
Ms. Pruetz seconded the motion.

ROLL CALL VOTE: Mr. Beye – aye
Mr. Duskey – aye
Ms. Pruetz – aye
Mr. Ortega – aye
Ms. Bowmann – aye

3. **Harrison Kingsley** Case #15-125
Mr. Kingsley was not present.
Ms. Campbell presented a signed consent agreement for voluntary surrender of Mr. Kingsley's license.

MOTION: Ms. Pruetz moved that Board accept the consent agreement for voluntary surrender.
Mr. Beye seconded the motion.

ROLL CALL VOTE: Mr. Beye – aye
Mr. Duskey – aye
Ms. Pruetz – aye
Mr. Ortega – aye
Ms. Bowmann – aye

4. **Abenego Fayah** Case #16-101
Mr. Fayah was present with his attorney, Mr. Dwaine Cates.
Ms. Campbell gave her opening statement.
Mr. Fayah addressed the Board.
The complainant, LS, was sworn in.

Ms. Campbell questioned LS.
Mr. Cates questioned LS.
Mr. Fayah was sworn in
Mr. Cates questioned Mr. Fayah.
Ms. Campbell questioned Mr. Fayah.
The Board questioned Mr. Fayah.
Ms. Campbell gave her closing argument.
Mr. Cates gave his closing argument.
Ms. Campbell gave a rebuttal argument.

MOTION: Mr. Duskey moved that the Board adopt the findings of fact.
Mr. Beye seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays -0

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board adopt the alleged violations of law as the Board's Conclusions of Law.
Mr. Duskey seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays - 0

MOTION: Mr. Duskey moved that the Board revoke Mr. Fayah's license.
Mr. Beye seconded the motion.

ROLL CALL VOTE:

Mr. Beye – aye
Mr. Duskey – aye
Ms. Pruetz – abstained
Mr. Ortega – aye
Ms. Bowmann – aye

5. Can Ming Liu Case #16-109

Ms. Liu was not present.
Ms. Campbell addressed the Board and asked to grant a motion to deem the case.

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board grant the state's request to deem.
Ms. Pruetz seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays – 0

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board adopt the finding of facts and alleged violations from the complaint and notice of hearing as finding of facts and conclusions of law.
Ms. Pruetz seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays – 0

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board revoke the license.
Ms. Pruetz seconded the motion.

ROLL CALL VOTE: Mr. Beye – aye
Mr. Duskey – aye
Ms. Pruetz – aye
Mr. Ortega – aye
Ms. Bowmann – aye

B. Discussion and Possible Action on Cases Voted to Formal Interview

1. **Christopher Stevens** Case # 16-103
Mr. Stevens was not present.

MOTION: Mr. Beye moved that the Board move the case to a formal hearing.
Mr. Ortega seconded the motion.

Ayes – 5
Nays – 0

C. Discussion and Possible Action on Motion for Rehearing or Review

1. **Jesse Ferrell** Case # 15-128
Mr. Ferrell was not present.
His attorney, David Williams, was present telephonically.
Mr. Williams address the Board.
Ms. Campbell addressed the Board.
Mr. Williams re-addressed the Board.

MOTION: Mr. Duskey moved that the Board deny a re-hearing of the case.
Mr. Beye seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays -0

5. Administrative Matters

A. Election of Officers

MOTION: Ms. Pruetz nominated Ms. Bowmann to continue as Chair.
Mr. Beye seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays -0

MOTION: Mr. Beye nominated Mr. Duskey to continue as Vice Chair.
Mr. Ortega seconded the motion.

VOTE: Ayes – 5
Nays -0

B. Massage license status report

Ms. Phillips reported the status numbers as below:
Active: 9,936
Denied: 32
Pending: 223
Voluntarily Surrendered: 18
Revoked: 55
Closed – App withdrawn and failed to complete: 530

C. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action on Administrative Matters and Legislative Update

1. Board update, including new staff and continuing education.
Catrina DeRoss was introduced as a new temporary staff member.
Mr. Beye will no longer be a Massage Board Member. This was his last Board Meeting.
Mr. Duskey and Ms. Bowmann will proceed with the continuing education committee.
2. Federation update.
Mr. Duskey reported that the Federation is implementing a strategic plan and that a study guide is being developed for the MBLEX exam.

3. HB 2501 – Transfer of Regulatory Boards to Department of Health Services

The possible consolidation of Board Agencies was discussed. The Massage Board is not included in HB 2501.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 2:24 pm.
The next scheduled Board Meeting is March 28, 2016.