

South Carolina Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology
Board Meeting
Thursday, July 18, 2013, 10:00 A.M.
Synergy Business Park, Kingtree Building
110 Centerview Drive, Room 105
Columbia, South Carolina

Board Members Present

Gwendolyn Wilson, Ed.D CCC-A, Chairperson
June K. Maranville, M.S.P, CCC-SLP
Sarah H. Powell, M.Ed., CCC-SLP
Walter L. Roark, III, Public Member
Tanya T. Wilson, M.A., CCC-SLP

Others Present

Georgia Lewis, Advice Counsel
Veronica Reynolds, Administrator
Mack Williams, Board Assistant

Public notice of this meeting was properly posted at the Board of Examiners in Speech Language Pathology and Audiology office, lobby of the Kingtree Building and provided to all requesting persons, organizations and news media in compliance with Section 30-4-80 of the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act. A quorum present at all times.

Call to Order

Dr. Wilson, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m., Room 105, Kingtree Bldg, 110 Centerview Drive, Columbia, South Carolina.

Recognition

Dr. Wilson, Chairperson presented Ms. Powell with a plaque and recognized her for dedicated service to the Board and the state of South Carolina.

Dr. Wilson, Chairperson introduced the newest member of the Board, Ms. Wilson, M.A., CCC-SLP

Approval of Agenda

The July 18, 2013 Agenda was presented for review and approval.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to amend the agenda to include Danielle Brooks. The motion was seconded and approved.

Approval of Minutes

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to approve the April 18, 2013 minutes as written. The motion was seconded and approved.

New Business

Office of Investigations and Enforcement (OIE) Report: Ms. Reynolds presented the statistical report to the Board.

Office of General Counsel (OGC) Report: Ms. Hawkins presented the OGC report to the Board.

Financial Report: Ms. Reynolds presented the finance report to the Board.

Application and Renewal Board Report: Ms. Reynolds presented the renewal and application report to the Board.

Continuing Education Audits: Ms. Reynolds request that the Board set a date for CE audit reviews.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: Ms. Maranville made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Dr. Wilson, Chair stated audits will be conducted at the staff level along with the Board Chairperson.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: Ms. Maranville made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Dr. Wilson indicated all future audits will be conducted at staff level along with the Board Chairperson to include any member who is wish to participate.

Continuing Education Request from Upstate AHEC “Feeding the Pre-Term of Fragile Infant”:

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to approve the continuing education request. The motion was seconded and approved.

Application Hearings

Renewal Applications

Kimberly Morris: Ms. Morris made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. The purpose of the hearing was to determine if a license should be granted as a Speech Language Pathologist.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: Mr. Roark made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to approve the license and impose a fine of one hundred dollar (\$100) to be paid within thirty (30) days. The motion was seconded and approved.

Andrea Parker: Ms. Parker made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. The purpose of the hearing was to determine if a license should be granted as a Speech Language Pathologist.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to approve the license with a one hundred dollar (\$100) fine to be paid within thirty (30) days. If payment is not received within thirty (30) days the license maybe subject to suspension until payment is received. The motion was seconded and approved.

Applications by Examinations/Endorsement

Lisbeth Clock: Ms. Clock made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. The purpose of the hearing was to determine if a license should be granted as a Speech Language Pathology Assistant.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to deny the application based on regulation 115-3. The motion was seconded and approved.

Ms. Margaret Watson Wood: Ms. Watson Wood made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. The purpose of the hearing was to determine should a license be granted as a Speech Language Pathologist.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to grant licensure as a Speech Language Pathologist. The motion was seconded and approved.

LaTray Walker: Mr. Walker made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. The purpose of the hearing was to determine if a license should be granted as a Speech Language Pathologist.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to grant licensure. The motion was seconded and approved.

Danielle Brooks: Ms. Brooks made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. The purpose of the hearing was to determine if a license should be granted as a Speech Language Pathology Assistant.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Wilson made a motion to deny the application based on regulation 115-3. The motion was seconded and approved.

Disciplinary Hearing

Gena Randolph: Ms. Randolph made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. The purpose of the hearing was to determine if Ms. Randolph violated the Practice Act.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to go into Executive Session to receive legal advice from counsel. The motion was seconded and approved.

[Executive Session:] No votes were taken during Executive Session.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to come out of Executive Session. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion that a public reprimand be issued, a civil penalty of one thousand (\$1000) dollars be assessed and must be paid within ninety (90) days of the order, license be suspended for a period of three (3) years which such suspension immediately stayed, probation for five (5) years, during the first two years of probation must be supervised by a licensed speech pathologist approved by the Board, which biennial reports must be submitted to the Board, if any of the conditions of the order are not met the license will be administratively suspended until further action by the Board. The motion was seconded and approved.

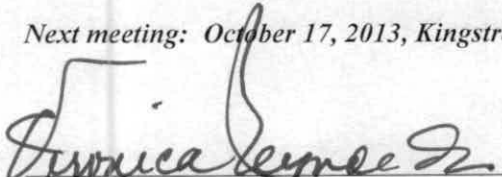
Review Changes in the Statutes and Regulations: The Board reviewed the statutes and regulations and made necessary changes.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Maranville made a motion to accept the regulations as amended and discussed and reviewed by the Board July 18, 2013. The motion was seconded and approved.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion: In open session, Mr. Roark made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded and approved. There being no other business, the meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Next meeting: October 17, 2013, Kingstree Building, Room 105.


Administrator

10/23/2013
Date