

South Carolina Board of Pharmacy Board Meeting

9:00 a.m. January 20-21, 2021
Synergy Business Park
110 Centerview Drive, Kingstree Building,
Columbia, South Carolina
Webex

Wednesday, January 20, 2021

This meeting is being held in accordance with the Section 30-4-8 of the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act by notice sent to The State Newspaper, Associated Press, WIS TV and all other Requesting persons, organizations or news media. In addition, notice was posted on the bulletin Board at the main entrance of the Kingstree Building.

1. Approval of November 17, 2020 Board Minutes

Motion-Mr. Blackmon made a motion to approve the minutes. Ms. Harris seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

2. Approval of Reciprocity Candidates

Dates: December 4, 2020, January 15, 2021

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to approve the reciprocity candidates. Mr. Blackmon seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

3. Administrator's Report-Traci Collier, PharmD

For information.

4. Inspector's Report

For information.

5. Reports:

Finance Report-Traci Collier, PharmD

For information.

Office of Disciplinary Council-Pat Hanks, Esq

For information.

Office of Investigation-IRC Report-Mark Sanders

For information.

6. Office of Investigations and Enforcement-Mark Sanders:

IRC Recommendations

Dismiss(3)

Motion-Mr. Hubbard made a motion to approve the dismissals. Mr. Thomas seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Formal Complaint (3)

Motion-Ms. Thomas made a motion to approve the formal complaints. Ms. Gillespie seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Letter of Caution (2)

Motion-Mr. Hubbard made a motion to approve the Letters of Caution. Ms. Gillespie seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Relinquishment (3)

For information.

Resolution Guidelines Report**Dismissal with Letter of Caution (2)**

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to approve the dismissal with letters of caution. Mr. Blackmon seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Formal Complaint (1)

Motion-Mr. Blackmon made a motion to approve the formal complaint. Ms. Gillespie seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

7. Office of Disciplinary Council-Pat Hanks, Esq:**Consent Agreements****Case# 2017-125**

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made motion to approve case 2017-125. Ms. Harris seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Case# 2020-36

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to approve case 2020-36. Mr. Hubbard seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Case# 2017-134

Motion-Mr. Blackmon made a motion to approve case 2017-134. Ms. Thomas seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Voluntary Surrenders

For information.

Relinquishment(s)

For information.

Order(s) of Temporary Suspension

None.

8. Committee Reports

Non-Resident Application Review-Sheila Young, R.Ph.

December 3, 2020

Recommended Approval (13)

Conditional Approval (7)

Deferred until appearance before committee (2)

Deferred until full Board (1)

The Board voted to accept the recommended approvals and the one deferred. Motion coming from the committee does not need a second.

IRC Committee Meeting

Dr. Richardson presented the report from the quarterly IRC meeting.

9. Old Business

10. New Business

Request Approval to become a Pharmacy Technician under DACA-Ana Ortiz

Withdrew application. Discussion in transcript.

Request Approval of Non-Resident Non Dispensing Permit Application-Natalie Canada, PIC, OptumRx

Motion-Mr. Hubbard made a motion to deny the application. Pharmacy related services need to be performed in a pharmacy. Ms. Harris seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Request to waive 2020-2021 Renewal Late Fees-David Nettleland, Vision Industries Inc. dba VQ Orthocare

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to deny the request to waive the renewal late fees. Mr. Blackmon seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Legislative Update for Pre-filed Bills-Katie Phillips, Communications and Governmental Affairs

Discussion in transcript.

11. New Business (continued)

Select Delegate for NABP Annual Meeting May 13 and May 14

Motion-Mr. Blackmon made a motion that Heather Harris (delegate) and Rebecca Gillespie (alternate) attend the NABP Annual Meeting. Mr. Hubbard seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Review of COVID-19 Emergency Board Orders

The orders will remain on the website and reviewed again at the March Meeting.

Discussion of Positive Drug Screens among Students

Discussion in transcript.

Discussion of Controlled Substance Electronic Prescribing

Discussion in transcript.

Grace Period for New Items on Immunization Protocol

Motion-Mr. Blackmon made a motion that while the emergency order is in place, the inspection process should continue as usual. Emergency kits need to be checked and deficiencies noted. Deficiencies should be corrected in 15 days. Mr. Bedenbaugh seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Policy Review

Policy 34

Motion- Mr. Bedenbaugh made a motion to amend Policy 34 by changing the word “must” to “may” and adding at the end “at the discretion of the governor.” Ms. Gillespie seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Policy 42

Motion-Mr. Blackmon made a motion to amend Policy 42 to state that if two Board members have equal seniority, then there is an election to determine which of the two serve as chairman and vice chairman. Mr. Bedenbaugh seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Policy 72

This policy will remain the same.

A separate policy will be created to include the 300 intern hours obtain through IPPE.

Policy 132

Motion-Ms. Thomas made a motion to delete paragraph 1, 3 and 4. Mr. Bedenbaugh seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Policy 66

Motion-Mr. Bedenbaugh made a motion to remove paragraph three. Mr. McKnight seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Board Guidance on Acting PIC on New Application-Traci Collier, PharmD

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to interpret statute to say that a licensee can only be PIC at one operating pharmacy at a time and can serve as acting PIC on a new application while acting as PIC for another facility. Mr. Blackmon seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Public Comments

There were no public comments.

Board Meeting and Committee Recap

Recap was not given.

Articles for Boards Newsletter

Board members were instructed to provide topics to Dr. Collier.

Adjourn

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Blackmon seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

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12. Hearings

In the Matter of:

Jade Lara Abudia, R.Ph.

Case# 2019-126

Motion-Mr. Blackmon made a motion to issue a public reprimand with a five year probation, five-year RPP contract, compliance with Georgia Board of Pharmacy order and that all documents submitted to Georgia Board of Pharmacy be forwarded to the South Carolina Board of Pharmacy. The respondent's practice restricts the access to controlled substances while under the Georgia Board of Pharmacy order and that further practice is restricted to no more than 32 hours per week. An appearance before the South Carolina Board of Pharmacy is required after the completion of the Georgia Board of Pharmacy order. Ms. Harris seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Michael Dustin Cooke, PharmD

Case# 2016-121

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to dismiss the order. Mr. Blackmon seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Patrick David Hill, R.Ph.

Case# 2017-70-219-44

Continued until next meeting.

Salym Williams, PHT

Case# 2018-34

Respondent signed relinquishment.

Tiffany N. Butler, PHT

Case# 2017-106

The Board voted to revoke the Pharmacy Technician Registration of Tiffany N. Butler.

Candice Brooke White, PharmD

Case# 2017-69

Ms. White signed a relinquishment.

John Anthony Ellis, PharmD
Continued to next meeting.

Case# 2017-6

Adjourn

Motion-Ms. Gillespie made a motion to adjourn. Ms, Harris seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.