South Carolina Board of Cosmetology Board Meeting 9:00 a.m., July 9, 2019 Synergy Business Park Kingstree Building 110 Centerview Drive, Conference Room 108 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

1. Meeting Called to Order

- **a.** Public notice of this meeting was properly posted at the S. C. Board of Cosmetology office, Synergy Business Park, Kingstree 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.
- **b.** Rules of the Meeting
- c. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Introduction of Board Members and All Other Persons Attending

Chairperson Melanie C. Thompson called the meeting of the S.C. Board of Cosmetology to order. Other Board members participating in the meeting included:

- ❖ Vice Chairperson Laquita Clark-Horton
- Patricia Walters
- Eddie Jones

Staff members present included: Mary League, Advice Counsel; Theresa Brown, Administrator

All Other Persons Attending:

Tina Behles, Court Reporter; Sheila Williams; Alva Martin; Anthony Win; Steven Dawson; Cassandra Risher; Jacqueline Golden; Takiyah Smith; Pamela Price; Keyona Joseph; Melissa Jones Horton; Michelle Hampton Furtick; Erica Horton; Felicia Wallace; Bahiyah Moton; Cynthia Blocker; Zoraida Harley; Gertrude Robinson; Yvonne Brown

3. Approval of Excused Absences – Stephanie Nye and Marcia Delaney

Mr. Jones made a motion to excuse the absences of Stephanie Nye and Marcia Delaney. Ms. Clark-Horton seconded the motion and it carried.

4. Approval of Agenda

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the meeting's agenda with any deviations deemed necessary. The motion was seconded by Ms. Walters. The motion carried.

5. Old Business

There was no old business to attend to at this meeting.

6. New Business

a. Consideration of CE Provider Renewal

Each provider representative was asked to come before the Board. Ms. Erica Horton, USC was also present for each appearance.

I. B. and T. Hair Group
 Ms. Bayihah Moton represented I. B. and T. Hair Group.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal for I.B. and T. Hair Group. The motion was seconded by Mr. Jones and it carried.

ii. BLB Extended Beauty

Ms. Takiyah Smith represented BLB Extended Beauty.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal for BLB Extended Beauty. The motion was seconded by Ms. Walters and it carried.

iii. C. Williams CEU Training

Ms. Sheila Williams represented C. Williams CEU Training.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal for C. Williams CEU Training. The motion was seconded by Ms. Walters and it carried.

iv. Coastal Advance Esthetic Education

Ms. Alva Martin represented Coastal Advance Esthetic Education.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal for Coastal Advance Esthetic Education. The motion was seconded by Mr. Jones and it carried.

v. Fabulous Hair

Ms. Felicia Michelle Wallace represented Fabulous Hair.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal for Fabulous Hair. The motion was seconded by Mr. Jones and Ms. Walters and the motion carried.

vi. Hair Matters

No one appeared for Hair Matters. The Board proceeded in their absence.

Mr. Jones made a motion to approve the renewal for Hair Matters. The motion was seconded by Ms. Clark-Horton and the motion carried.

vii. Joyful Expressions

No one appeared for Joyful Expressions and the application for them was incomplete. The Board proceeded in their absence.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of Joyful Expressions pending the completion of their application. Mr. Jones seconded the motion and the motion carried.

viii. Medical Hair Restoration

Ms. Cassandra Risher represented Medical Hair Restoration.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of Medical Hair Restoration. Ms. Walters seconded the motion and it carried.

ix. Price Education

Ms. Pamela Price represented Price Education.

Mr. Jones made a motion to approve the renewal of Price Education. Ms. Clark-Horton seconded the motion and the motion carried.

x. Pampered Beauty

Ms. Keyona Joseph represented Pampered Beauty.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of Pampered Beauty. Mr. Jones and Ms. Walters seconded the motion and it carried.

xi. Premier Online Education

Mr. Frederick Golden represented Premier Online Education.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of Premier Online Education. Mr. Jones seconded the motion and the motion carried.

xii. Southern Cosmetology Association of Licensed Professionals

No one appeared for Southern Cosmetology Association of Licensed Professionals. The Board proceeded in their absence.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of Southern Cosmetology Association of Licensed Professionals. Ms. Walters seconded the motion and it carried.

xiii. South Carolina Association of Cosmetic Arts

No one appeared for South Carolina Association of Cosmetic Arts.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of South Carolina Association of Cosmetic Arts. Ms. Walters and Mr. Jones seconded the motion and the motion carried.

xiv. UHD Academy

Ms. Melissa Jones Horton represented UHD Academy.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of UHD Academy. Mr. Jones seconded the motion and the motion carried.

xv. Vontae's Advance Training

Ms. Michelle Hampton-Furtick represented Vontae's Advance Training.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve the renewal of Vontae's Advance Training. Mr. Jones and Ms. Walters seconded the motion and it carried.

xvi. Lennie B. & Co.

No one appeared for Lennie B. & Co. The Board requested to defer this item to the next meeting because they have questions for Lennie B. & Co.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to defer Lennie B. & Co to the next board meeting. Mr. Jones seconded the motion and the motion carried.

7. NIC Conference

Ms. Brown stated that the Board needs to approve a board member and the administrator to attend the NIC conference.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to approve Theresa Brown to attend the NIC Conference. Mr. Jones and Ms. Walters seconded the motion and it carried.

Mr. Jones made a motion to approve Laquita Clark-Horton to attend the NIC Conference as representative of the Board. Ms. Walters seconded the motion and it carried.

There is a scheduling conflict between the NIC Conference and the September board meeting on September 9th. One suggestion that Ms. Thompson brought up is to condense the September board meeting to one day.

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to condense the September board meeting to one day on September 10th. Ms. Walters seconded the motion and it carried.

8. Discussion

Ms. Clark-Horton made a motion to go into executive session to garner legal advice regarding booth renter licensing. Mr. Jones seconded the motion and it carried.

Mr. Jones made a motion to come out of executive session. Ms. Clark-Horton seconded the motion and it carried. No motions or votes were taken during executive session.

Ms. Thompson stated that the Board was asked to give their interpretation of who is required to have a booth renter license. Ms. Clark-Horton stated that her interpretation is that the booth renter licensee is considered an independent contractor who is considered self-employed and can work at multiple salons but would then need multiple booth renter licenses. The booth renter receives a 1099 and is responsible for their own insurance, taxes, etc.

9. Public Comments – The board heard comments from Gertrude Robinson, Dr. Yvonne Duncan Brown, Zoraida Harley, Stephen Dawson, Jacqueline Golden, and Michelle Hampton-Furtick.

10. Adjournment

Mr. Jones made a motion to adjourn the meeting and it was seconded by Ms. Walters. The motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

The next meeting of the S.C. Board of Cosmetology is scheduled for September 10, 2019.