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BEFORE THE SOUTH CAROLINA COSMETOLOGY BOARD

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This meeting held in room 108 at the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, The Kingstree Building, 110 Centerview Drive, Columbia, South Carolina, reported by Cecelia P. Englert, Verbatim Court Reporter and Notary Public in and for the State of South Carolina; said meeting being held on the 12th day of September, 2011, scheduled for 10:00 a.m. and commencing at 10:23 a.m.

1 MS. KINLEY: We're going to call this meeting to order.  
2 We're going to do it a little bit different because  
3 we're waiting on IT to come down and fix the  
4 Granigus system. But the things that we deem that  
5 we can move on with, we are going to go ahead and  
6 do so. Public notice of this meeting was properly  
7 posted at the South Carolina Board of Cosmetology  
8 office, Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building  
9 and provided to all requesting persons,  
10 organizations and news media in compliance with  
11 Section 30-4-80 of the South Carolina Freedom of  
12 Information Act. May we all stand for Pledge of  
13 Allegiance.

14 (Board stands for the Pledge.)

15 MS. KINLEY: I don't usually do this. But considering  
16 today follows the tenth anniversary of 9/11, I'd  
17 like to ask that we all take a moment of silence to  
18 remember ten years ago.

19 (Moment of silence.)

20 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Rules of the meeting.  
21 Unfortunately, I don't have these in front of me.  
22 The rules basically are to ask no one speak out of  
23 turn. Limited to two times on each subject, no  
24 more than three minutes per time. If you

1           habitually speak out of order, you'll be asked to  
2           leave the room and be allowed to come back at the  
3           allotted time on the agenda. I think that was it.

4           Introduction of board members and all other  
5           persons attending. If we'll start in the back with  
6           Chesley. Again, if you will always state your full  
7           name and who you are representing, so that the  
8           court reporter can get it on the record, please.

9   MS. PHILLIPS: Chesley Phillips, Nail, Skin and Hair of  
10           America.

11   MS. LARGE: Colleen Large, S.C. Aesthetics Association.

12   MS. MORRISON: Amber Morrison, Aiken School of  
13           Cosmetology.

14   MS. SMITH: Gloria Smith, South Carolina Association of  
15           Cosmetology Schools.

16   MS. CURTIS: Janice Curtis, I'm just here for  
17           observation.

18   MR. LOCHRIDGE: Ken Lochridge, Carolina College of Hair  
19           Design.

20   MS. KINLEY: Ken, you want to tell everybody else to  
21           come on in?

22   MR. LOCHRIDGE: Come on in.

23   MS. KINLEY: Can you state your name for the record,  
24           please, ma'am? You're going to have to speak  
25           louder, please.

1 MR. WINN: Paul Winn.

2 MS. PATTERSON: Monica Patterson, TCL.

3 MS. MARTIN: Cassandra Martin, with Virginia College.

4 MS. DINGLE: Candid Dingle, ALC.

5 MS. SHULER: Angie Shuler, Kenneth Shuler Schools, --  
6 Association.

7 MS. SHELTON; Kate Shelton, USC Continuing Education.

8 MS. GRAND: Debra Grand, Grand Institute of Cosmetology.

9 MS. ARCHER: Good morning. Frances Archer, The Nail  
10 Clinic School of Manicuring.

11 MS. TAYLOR: Matteah Taylor, staff member.

12 MS. LEE: Tiffany Lee, Kenneth School of Cosmetology.

13 COURT REPORTER: I didn't hear you.

14 MS. LEE: Tiffany Lee, Kenneth Shuler.

15 MS. SASAK: Nancy Sasak, Virginia College.

16 MR. MACELHINEY: Bob MacElhiney, the Academy of Hair  
17 Technology and South Carolina Association of  
18 Cosmetology Schools.

19 MR. BILLS: Scott Bills, Paul Mitchell School.

20 MS. SMITH: Crystal Smith, Charleston Cosmetology.

21 MR. HILL: Solomon Hill, Kenneth Shuler School of  
22 Cosmetology.

23 MR. THOMPSON: Jedediah Ford-Thompson, Phoenix Salon of  
24 Irmo.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Frances Ford-Thompson, Phoenix Salon of

1           Irmo.

2   MS. RAMIREZ:   Mandy Ramirez, Nail Tech, Easley

3   MS. SNIPLER:   Katherine Snipler, ACSP.

4   MS. BEACH:     Linda Beach, International Spa Institute.

5   MS. HILL:      Patton A. Hill, Soleman Hill's mother.

6   MS. ELKINS:    Sky Elkins, student, Kenneth Shuler.

7   MR. ANDREWS:   DeLeon Andrews, Cosmetology Investigator.

8   MR. WIDER:     Shirley Wider, LLR.

9   MR. COOK:      Ron Cook, Assistant Deputy Director, LLR.

10  MS. CUBITT:     Doris Cubitt, Administrator, LLR.

11  MS. GILMER:    Deloris Gilmer, board member.

12  MS. RODGERS:   Cindy Rodgers, board member.

13  MR. GRIGG:     Dean Grigg, advice counsel.

14  MS. KINLEY:    Rosanne Kinley, board member.

15  MS. THOMPSON:  Melanie Thompson, board member.

16  MS. BROWN:     Selena Brown, board member.

17  MS. WEBB:      Kathy Webb, board member.

18  COURT REPORTER:  Ciel Englert, court reporter.

19  MS. KINLEY:    Did we get everyone out in the hall

20           introduced?

21  MS. GREEN:     Sharmayne Green.

22  COURT REPORTER:  What was your first name again?

23  MS. GREEN:     Sharmayne Green.

24  MS. DAVIDSON:  I'm Janet Davidson. I'm just here as an

25           observer.

1 MS. KINLEY: Is that everyone? Thank you. We have no  
2 excused absences at this board meeting. I'm going  
3 to wait on the approval of all these minutes, until  
4 we have the Granigus system up. We'll move to  
5 approval of the agenda.

6 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I have several corrections  
7 slash additions for the agenda, and these are  
8 issues that are per the July meeting, we asked that  
9 they be carried over or deferred to the September  
10 meeting.

11 MS. GILMER: Second.

12 MS. THOMPSON: I hadn't made a motion yet, I just --

13 MS. GILMER: Oh.

14 MS. THOMPSON: Do you want me to just list them now?

15 MS. KINLEY: Please.

16 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. We had school contracts that we  
17 looked over in the July meeting that we need to go  
18 back and re-address. We had a DRC report from June  
19 the 6th and July the 5th. We had an IRC report  
20 from June the 22nd. We had a pending point from  
21 Jay Lacy School, and I think we needed to review a  
22 contract as well, so that would have been in the  
23 school contracts. Then there were two newly-formed  
24 associations that they were approved, pending  
25 addition to their membership. We need to make sure

1 that's handled, so that they're able to offer con  
2 ed this upcoming year.

3 And I think that was it, other than the Nail,  
4 Skin and Hair of America sent us something back in  
5 July that was just an oversight that we need to add  
6 as well to the agenda. And then we also need to  
7 remove -- we had a request to remove Miller Motte  
8 Technical College. They were on Page 2 of the  
9 agenda, I. She's asked to be removed from our  
10 agenda.

11 So I'd like to make a motion that we make  
12 these corrections on the agenda and then any other  
13 deviations that we deem necessary.

14 MS. GILMER: Second.

15 MS. KINLEY: We have a motion and a second for approval  
16 of the agenda with deviations and recommendations  
17 as noted. Any further discussion?

18 (NO RESPONSE.)

19 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all in favor, signify by  
20 saying aye.

21 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

22 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Here comes my IT  
23 girl. We're going to hold off on chairman's  
24 remarks, except for one quick little part of it.  
25 And I apologize if I repeat myself when I go

1 reading my remarks in a little bit. I would like  
2 to introduce our new interim administrator, Ms.  
3 Doris Cubitt. As y'all know, or may not know,  
4 Eddie Jones retired, effective August 1st of this  
5 year. And Doris graciously, or arm being bent  
6 behind her back, is now the acting interim  
7 administrator for the Cosmetology Board, the Barber  
8 Board and Massage Therapy Panel. And we're very  
9 pleased to have Doris here with us today.

10 So I'm going to move onto your administrator's  
11 remarks. Do you have any, Doris?

12 MS. CUBITT: I have a couple of things. I wanted to let  
13 y'all know that we are working on an online  
14 application process, and the candidates would be  
15 able to go in an input the information them selves.  
16 And if, you know, we can pick it up electronically  
17 and follow it that way, and I think it's going to  
18 improve on the efficiency.

19 MS. KINLEY: Could I ask you, online applications for  
20 what type of --

21 MS. CUBITT: For cosmetologists. It would be for  
22 individuals or salons, they'll be able to do  
23 online. I don't think the schools would be able  
24 to.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Is that renewals?

1 MS. KINLEY: So that would be initial application? Or  
2 renewal? I mean.

3 MS. CUBITT: Initial application.

4 MS. THOMPSON: Initial application. And any idea as to  
5 when we think it might be up and running?

6 MS. CUBITT: They haven't given me a date yet. They're  
7 working on it, the development of it. And we are  
8 going to be one of the -- not the first one, but  
9 one of the --

10 MS. THOMPSON: Pilot programs?

11 MS. CUBITT: Uh-huh. I think nursing is already doing  
12 it and it's worked out very well for them.

13 MS. WEBB: So this is working online. It's going to be  
14 online for salons, the initial application for  
15 salons.

16 MS. CUBITT: And individuals.

17 MS. WEBB: Okay. I missed that.

18 MS. CUBITT: Yeah, and individuals. And, of course, we  
19 already have online renewals.

20 MS. WEBB: Right.

21 MS. CUBITT: And we really want to encourage people to  
22 use the online renewals. They get an immediate  
23 confirmation that, you know, they've been updated  
24 and that they've paid, and so they don't have to  
25 worry about it. And it's beneficial to them and to

1 us, if they renew online, it really does help.

2 The other issue that I wanted to discuss is in  
3 your statute regulations, you have a provision for  
4 a temporary license. If it needs to be issued and  
5 Mr. Ron Cook is here to discuss with y'all -- I  
6 don't think he's on the agenda some other place is  
7 he?

8 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. Well, yes, he is on M, approval of  
9 temporary permits for new salons.

10 MS. CUBITT: Okay. I'm sorry. I'm sorry. We were  
11 changing the agenda around and so I would ask that  
12 if at all possible, we could move that further into  
13 the agenda so that he could go to do some other  
14 things.

15 MS. KINLEY: Uh-uh. No. You don't want to leave us.  
16 Look at you thinking about how -- I think we can  
17 handle that.

18 MR. COOK: Torn between several allegiances here.

19 MS. THOMPSON: Can we just do that now?

20 MS. KINLEY: After we get -- when we get to new  
21 business.

22 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

23 MS. KINLEY: I would prefer to move it up under new  
24 business, to the top of the list, if that's okay.

25 MS. CUBITT: Okay. Thank you.

1 MS. KINLEY: So we have Granicas going now?

2 MS. BAILEY-GLOVER: Uh-huh.

3 MS. KINLEY: Okay. Great.

4 MS. CUBITT: And I'm so new, that's really all I have.

5 MS. KINLEY: I think that's very nice. Thank you,  
6 Doris. And I'm sure we will be adding much more to  
7 your list here as we go along throughout the day.  
8 I've just been informed that we do have Granicas up  
9 and running. So if it's okay, let's go ahead and  
10 finish under administrator's remarks, advisory  
11 opinions. Would that be you?

12 MR. GRIGG: No. General counsel.

13 MS. CUBITT: General Counsel. And I don't believe we  
14 have any.

15 MS. KINLEY: Okay. Legislative update. I know we have  
16 a regulation that we're working on. I guess that  
17 would come under Dean.

18 MS. GRIGG: You just summed it up. We're in the process  
19 of working on it. If you'll remember, we met  
20 extensively and I know several drafts have  
21 occurred. So we're in the process of getting that  
22 over to the legislator to hopefully get y'all some  
23 updated regs.

24 MS. KINLEY: And I think the last email I had from you,  
25 Doris, was, I guess from Jennifer. So we're fast-

1 tracking that process, to get on the quickest one  
2 we can get it on, right?

3 MR. GRIGG: Uh-huh.

4 MS. THOMPSON: But when we did meet, we had some sort of  
5 deadline of September something, we did meet that  
6 deadline?

7 MR. GRIGG: As far as I know, all deadlines have been  
8 met.

9 MS. KINLEY: Actually, I think it was a September 1st or  
10 a October 1st or a November 1st, you know.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. I just --

12 MS. KINLEY: Is the way I finally --

13 MS. THOMPSON: -- remembered the September.

14 MS. KINLEY: -- understood, right.

15 MS. THOMPSON: I didn't realize that we had three  
16 options, okay.

17 MS. CUBITT: It has to be published in a register. And  
18 I think that the intent to work on has already been  
19 filed and then you -- you know, we enter them in  
20 the register. But I think the board's going to  
21 have to approve them first, though. But I'm in the  
22 middle of that process, so I'm not sure.

23 MR. GRIGG: Well, I mean, I think you're right. And  
24 it's new to all of us, to be honest with you. But  
25 Jennifer is --

1 MS. KINLEY: Oh, I've been down this trail.

2 MR. GRIGG: -- but Jennifer is very knowledgeable about  
3 it and she has told me that we're still within all  
4 of our time frames --

5 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

6 MR. GRIGG: -- and she'll keep us on the straight.

7 MS. KINLEY: So basically what we have to do is that  
8 final draft or the most recent draft that I  
9 received from you Thursday or Friday, get that to  
10 the board for the board to sign off on. And then  
11 give you the green light.

12 MR. GRIGG: And then it will go to our legislative --

13 MS. KINLEY: Right.

14 MR. GRIGG: -- liaison, who will deal with the  
15 legislative --

16 MS. KINLEY: And that is?

17 MR. GRIGG: -- Grant Gillespie.

18 MS. KINLEY: Grant Gillespie. That's what I thought.

19 MS. THOMPSON: Are there two Gillespies here? We just  
20 met --

21 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

22 MR. GRIGG: There is. One is head advice counsel.

23 MS. WEBB: Madam Chair, for the record, I want to make a  
24 motion for this entire board that we be notified  
25 immediately with any kind of legislative changes

1           that take place. Basically, any bills that are  
2           filed publically, privately and departmentally,  
3           anything that pertains to the Cosmetology Board or  
4           our industry.

5   MS. THOMPSON: Second.

6   MR. GRIGG: I was going to say, the only thing I'll say  
7           to that is that that's the purpose of the  
8           legislative update, and that is, again, Grant  
9           Gillespie's area. And so, yeah, if there was  
10          something -- you've got a second and y'all need to  
11          go ahead and vote. But if there were something  
12          that needed to be updated, you would be getting  
13          that, yeah.

14   MS. WEBB: May I?

15   MS. KINLEY: Well, have a motion and a second. Any  
16          discussion?

17   MS. WEBB: There have just been so many different things  
18          that have fallen through the cracks in the past  
19          that we found out about a week later, a month  
20          later, whatever, and we really do need --

21   MS. THOMPSON: After the fact.

22   MS. WEBB: -- to know all that, so --

23   MS. KINLEY: I have a motion, and a second. Any more  
24          discussion?

25                   (NO RESPONSE.)

1 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify  
2 by saying aye.

3 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

4 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. OIE report?

5 MR. ANDREWS: Can I answer any questions about the IRC?

6 MS. KINLEY: Actually --

7 MS. THOMPSON: Actually --

8 MS. KINLEY: -- yes.

9 MS. THOMPSON: -- I do. I'm sorry.

10 MS. KINLEY: Go ahead.

11 MS. THOMPSON: There's a new form in here that -- I'm  
12 always excited to see new forms, but I don't know,  
13 do I need -- does this need an explanation? Or is  
14 this what should expect to receive in every packet  
15 now?

16 MR. ANDREWS: I haven't seen it.

17 MS. THOMPSON: And actually, I don't know. I haven't  
18 gone back to cross-reference those numbers to see  
19 if they're the numbers that match up on the OIC  
20 report. Or if it's an entirely different --

21 MR. ANDREWS: Okay. This is the -- this is the -- what  
22 you're holding here is the citation process report  
23 of the last set of inspections, correct? Is that  
24 what that is?

25 MS. THOMPSON: Is that what that is?

1 MR. COOK: Would you like me to maybe explain that.

2 MS. THOMPSON: I would love for you to explain it.

3 MS. KINLEY: Love for you to.

4 MR. COOK: When it was determined that the inspectors  
5 and the board did not have the legal authority to  
6 issue citations, there was some pending citations  
7 that had to be addressed. That's what that form  
8 is. Those were the citations that were pending at  
9 that time. That's a spreadsheet that was prepared  
10 so that we could work with our general counsel, IRC  
11 and the board to resolve those issues in a  
12 speediest manner. That's a one-time spreadsheet,  
13 kept for that purpose.

14 MS. THOMPSON: So it's not anything to do with IRC.

15 MR. COOK: No ma'am.

16 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

17 MS. THOMPSON: I just needed just to be certain.

18 MS. KINLEY: Can we go ahead and finish discussing that  
19 one now then?

20 MS. THOMPSON: This spreadsheet, are you --

21 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

22 MS. THOMPSON: -- referring to? Do you have two pages?

23 MS. KINLEY: No. It was just attached to one.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Oh, okay.

25 MS. KINLEY: It was attached to an IRC of mine.

1 MS. RODGERS: Mine too.

2 MS. BROWN: Mine too.

3 MS. KINLEY: So there's no dates on here. So I'm  
4 wondering if at our last meeting, if you'll  
5 remember just then, Melanie added under "old  
6 business," the approval of the DRC reports from  
7 June and July. Would this basically be that on a  
8 spreadsheet, as opposed to --

9 MS. THOMPSON: As well as IRC from June 22nd.

10 MR. COOK: No. This IRC was held last Monday.

11 MS. KINLEY: Okay. So it's different. All right.

12 MR. COOK: It's a different one.

13 MS. KINLEY: Then can I ask you why under this  
14 spreadsheet -- well, number one, I see a lot of  
15 dismissals here.

16 MS. CUBITT: The only insight that I might could add to  
17 that is if the person -- say it was an expired  
18 license and they came in and got the license and  
19 they were working, then because we didn't have the  
20 capability to find the way we had it and it was  
21 done as a dismissal. And then there were a couple  
22 of them on there that do say "formal complaint,"  
23 and we felt like they rose to the level of a  
24 complaint.

25 MS. KINLEY: Probably this needs to be deferred into

1 executive session for some --

2 MS. THOMPSON: So moved.

3 MS. RODGERS: Second.

4 MS. WEBB: Second.

5 MS. KINLEY: Before I was so rudely cut off, my vice

6 chair made the motion --

7 MS. THOMPSON: It's called --

8 MS. KINLEY: -- did anyone second it.

9 MS. THOMPSON: -- efficiency, not rude, efficiency.

10 MS. KINLEY: I'll entertain a second.

11 MS. RODGERS: We've had that.

12 COURT REPORTER: Madam Chair, did she say "so moved"?

13 MS. THOMPSON: Yes.

14 COURT REPORTER: I couldn't hear two voices at the same

15 time, so I wasn't sure.

16 MS. THOMPSON: She paused --

17 MS. RODGERS: She so moved and we --

18 MS. THOMPSON: -- and I just thought it was actually a

19 breath.

20 MS. WEBB: -- second it.

21 COURT REPORTER: Thank you. And who seconded it?

22 MS. WEBB: I did.

23 MS. KINLEY: Kathy.

24 MS. GILMER: And Cindy.

25 MS. KINLEY: And Cindy, whatever it was. I have a -- I

1           have motion and a second to defer to executive  
2           session. Any further discussion?

3                   (NO RESPONSE.)

4   MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify  
5           by saying aye.

6   BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

7   MS. KINLEY: Opposed. Motion carries.

8                   And so we've already determined those -- the  
9           office of general counsel. Okay. I'm going to  
10          back up, since we've gotten through that.

11   MS. THOMPSON: (Inaudible.)

12   MS. KINLEY: I got it that it was.

13   MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

14   MS. KINLEY: Back up to number four, approval of the May  
15          9th -- I'm going to take these one at a time.  
16          Approval of May 9, 2011 minutes. To remind  
17          everyone, we got these at the end of our July  
18          meeting and did not have time to go through them,  
19          so we deferred them over to September.

20   MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, are you going to go through  
21          any lists of things that you --

22   MS. KINLEY: Yes.

23   MS. THOMPSON: -- found first? And then I'll pick up?

24          Or would you like --

25   MS. KINLEY: You can go ahead.

1 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. May the 9th, on Page 16, the  
2 second paragraph under discussion, starting with  
3 "however." Says "The board's determined that if  
4 any person has 20 years of experience," so forth  
5 and so on, I'm unclear. I have no recollection as  
6 to that particular conversation, nor do I remember  
7 making a determination of the 20 years, citing  
8 specifically 20 years. Is that an oversight on my  
9 part?

10 MS. KINLEY: Can you tell me again where you are?

11 MS. THOMPSON: Uh-huh. Page 16 under discussion, which  
12 is about halfway down the page.

13 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

14 MS. THOMPSON: The second paragraph, the last sentence  
15 of the second -- or second to the last sentence of  
16 the last --

17 MS. KINLEY: Starts with "however"?

18 MS. THOMPSON: Starts with the word "however."

19 MS. RODGERS: I don't remember that.

20 MS. THOMPSON: Do the other board members recall what  
21 it's about? I didn't, so I --

22 MS. GILMER: I wasn't here. I was absent.

23 MS. KINLEY: Then my only recollection would be that we  
24 would have to view -- here again, is why we love  
25 the Granicas. We would have to go back and view

1 the Granicas to see exactly what that discussion  
2 was in regards to.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. And the same may be true for the  
4 final paragraph on that same page. It's the second  
5 sentence of the paragraph and it begins "Unless  
6 there is an application interpretation." I just  
7 need clarification as to what "application  
8 interpretation" means.

9 MS. WEBB: I don't understand.

10 MS. GILMER: What was the subject?

11 MS. THOMPSON: But interpretation made by whom?

12 MS. GILMER: What is the subject?

13 MS. THOMPSON: It says -- you know, this is the  
14 paragraph that's pertaining to information being  
15 submitted to be placed on the agenda. And it says  
16 there's exception of an application interpretation.  
17 I don't know what an application interpretation is,  
18 that would be allowed to have an exception to our  
19 seven-day rule.

20 MS. KINLEY: Now probably would be a good time, as Doris  
21 is going "hello." Our new administrator has  
22 requested that there be a 14-day --

23 MS. THOMPSON: Line 702.

24 MS. KINLEY: -- notice to be on the agenda.

25 MS. CUBITT: In order to get the agenda processed and

1 package processed and everything out, we need at  
2 least a 14-day window prior to a board meeting for  
3 a cut.

4 MS. KINLEY: So I definitely need that on the record  
5 that at this time, from this time forward, anyone  
6 submitting anything to be on the Board of  
7 Cosmetology agenda, it must be in this office in  
8 its entirety 14 days prior to the scheduled  
9 meeting. Does everyone hear that? Fourteen days.  
10 Not seven any longer, but 14 days.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Does that require a board vote? Or is it  
12 just a policy implemented by --

13 MS. GILMER: That's what I was going to ask.

14 MS. THOMPSON: -- administration?

15 MS. RODGERS: I was going to ask.

16 MR. GRIGG: Yeah, let's do that.

17 MS. CUBITT: It would be --

18 MR. GRIGG: Yeah, let's just make sure.

19 MS. CUBITT: -- better to just cover it.

20 MR. GRIGG: Yeah.

21 MS. THOMPSON: So it does need a vote?

22 MR. GRIGG: Let's just -- yeah, to be on the safe side.

23 MS. THOMPSON: I'd like to make a motion that we now  
24 implement a 14-day policy for any information in  
25 its entirety to be submitted to the office, to be

1 included in a board meeting.

2 MS. RODGERS: Second.

3 MS. KINLEY: We have a motion and a second. Is there  
4 any further discussion?

5 (NO RESPONSE.)

6 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all in favor, signify by  
7 saying aye.

8 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

9 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

10 MS. CUBITT: Thank you.

11 MS. KINLEY: Thank you, Doris.

12 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. So back to -- I still -- before we  
13 approve these minutes particularly, I personally  
14 will make a recommendation that we approve them,  
15 pending --

16 MS. KINLEY: Exactly.

17 MS. THOMPSON: -- some clarification on those two  
18 issues.

19 MS. KINLEY: That would be my suggestion.

20 MS. THOMPSON: And also on the final page, under "public  
21 comment," the second paragraph says -- it starts  
22 out about a green flyer. Again, it could be  
23 entirely my oversight, but I don't know what that  
24 is.

25 MS. RODGERS: Purple flyer?

1 MS. THOMPSON: Green and a purple flyer.

2 MS. WEBB: Purple flyer.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Mine says "green and purple."

4 MS. WEBB: Really?

5 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. I mean, it says that --

6 MS. THOMPSON: Yeah, it does. "The green flyer was  
7 handed out to the board indicating" blah, blah,  
8 blah.

9 MS. RODGERS: Yeah. And a purple flyer indicated --

10 MS. KINLEY: And I'm sure that it was -- I kind of  
11 imagine that that was a Chesley Phillips --

12 MS. PHILLIPS: Excuse me.

13 MS. THOMPSON: But anyway, I just -- I don't know what  
14 that is.

15 MS. KINLEY: It's okay. It's okay. I have a feeling  
16 someone handed us a green -- in fact, I remember.  
17 Someone handed us in on green paper --

18 MS. PHILLIPS: I color-coded all of my --

19 MS. KINLEY: That's why I said I'm sure it was a Chesley  
20 Phillips move, that stated --

21 MS. PHILLIPS: Yes, I did that.

22 MS. KINLEY: -- that stated this was a name change of a  
23 hotel and the purple one was online class --

24 MS. THOMPSON: I just need it for the record.

25 MS. KINLEY: But it needs to state who gave us that --

1 MS. THOMPSON: Right.

2 MS. KINLEY: -- is exactly right.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. And we're doing these  
4 individually?

5 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

6 MS. THOMPSON: That's all I have for the May minutes.

7 MS. KINLEY: Anyone else?

8 (NO RESPONSE.)

9 MS. THOMPSON: Then I'd like to make a motion that we  
10 approve the minutes from the May 9th, 2011 meeting,  
11 pending the clarification of those three items.

12 MS. GILMER: Second.

13 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for approval,  
14 with those exceptions, on the May 9th, 2011  
15 meeting. Any further discussion?

16 (NO RESPONSE.)

17 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all in favor, signify by  
18 saying aye.

19 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

20 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Dean, if I get  
21 too spread out, just push it back.

22 MS. RODGERS: She'll do it.

23 MS. KINLEY: Approval of the July 11, 2011.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, again, I have several  
25 issues.

1 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

2 MS. THOMPSON: Sorry.

3 MS. KINLEY: I'm trying to find mine, if you'll just  
4 give me --

5 MS. THOMPSON: Sure. Okay.

6 MS. KINLEY: Got it. Go.

7 MS. THOMPSON: All right. On Page 6 --

8 MS. KINLEY: No. I beat you.

9 MS. THOMPSON: You beat me?

10 MS. KINLEY: I beat you.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

12 MS. KINLEY: Page 1, right underneath "approval of  
13 excused absences," where I excused Kathy Webb. In  
14 the next one, she made a second to approve to defer  
15 the May 9th meeting minutes. So don't think it was  
16 her that moved.

17 MS. THOMPSON: Did you send us a text message?

18 MS. WEBB: I sent a text.

19 MS. THOMPSON: She was watching the Granicas.

20 MS. KINLEY: She was sending a text, but it wasn't  
21 regard to that.

22 MS. THOMPSON: She was by the pool.

23 MS. KINLEY: So we need to determine who made that  
24 second. On the second page -- and maybe I'm wrong.  
25 Mr. Cook, you can probably correct me. Under

1 "inspector's report," states that "Mr. Eddie Jones  
2 reported that there were 7,247 inspections made."

3 Really?

4 MS. THOMPSON: Yes because --

5 MS. KINLEY: Is that that many?

6 MS. THOMPSON: -- that was the year.

7 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

8 MS. THOMPSON: Yeah. The year goes from July 1 to --  
9 yes.

10 MS. KINLEY: All right.

11 MS. THOMPSON: So that was the end of the preceding  
12 year.

13 MS. KINLEY: Okay. That was just a note to myself. Go  
14 on -- my pages aren't numbered.

15 MS. THOMPSON: I numbered mine.

16 MS. CUBITT: You can go by line number.

17 MS. KINLEY: I was going to say, Line No. 284. Again it  
18 says, "Ms. Katherine Webb made a motion to approve  
19 Hair Heirs." We know it was not Kathy.

20 MS. WEBB: Y'all missed me.

21 MS. THOMPSON: Back up there --

22 MS. WEBB: I'm just telling you.

23 MS. THOMPSON: -- if we're going by line.

24 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, on Line 280, it states that

1 "Ms. Thompson excused herself." I need that to be  
2 changed to "recused" please.

3 MS. GILMER: 280?

4 MS. THOMPSON: Uh-huh.

5 MS. GILMER: So it's recused.

6 MS. THOMPSON: And then on Page 290 -- I'm sorry, not  
7 page; I apologize. Line 293. It says "Thirty days  
8 prior." That should be "forty-five days prior."  
9 That's all I have for that page. I have others  
10 further down. Do you have anything else for those  
11 pages?

12 MS. KINLEY: Not so far that I've seen.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. On Line 392, 93 and 94.

14 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

15 MS. THOMPSON: This is in regards to a consent order  
16 that was written. The order itself, the verbiage  
17 in the order does not match what these minutes say.  
18 So we need to reconcile those. And it's in regard  
19 to one says that the applicant has to take the  
20 written and practical --

21 MS. GILMER: Practical examination.

22 MS. THOMPSON: -- and then one says that she only simply  
23 had to take practical. So we need to resolve that.

24 MS. KINLEY: Yeah, I believe it was -- she was not --

25 MS. WEBB: Which one?

1 MS. KINLEY: -- required to take written, if I remember  
2 correctly.

3 MS. THOMPSON: 391, 2, 3 and 4.

4 MS. WEBB: Okay. Thank you.

5 MS. THOMPSON: And then also on the same page, Line 410,  
6 it says that Ms. Brown made the motion, and it says  
7 she also seconded the motion. She can't do that.

8 MS. KINLEY: If we can back up to 406, 407 where we were  
9 dealing with Ms. Eva Vicenova, and the last  
10 sentence says that she -- "Ms. Vicenova must take  
11 both examinations." And maybe I'm just splitting  
12 hairs here, but it says "Ask Mr. Jones to clarify  
13 to Ms. Vicenova and Ms. Cooper how to apply for  
14 examination." It basically -- Ms. Vicenova was the  
15 only one applying for licensure that day. Ms.  
16 Cooper was her daughter, so -- next?

17 My next one is at 532. You have something  
18 before then?

19 MS. THOMPSON: No.

20 MS. KINLEY: 532, Jeremiah Gilliard. I did not go back  
21 and review the Granicas nor my minutes. But I'm  
22 assuming that Mr. Gilliard was a male. But all the  
23 way through that, it referred to "she." But I  
24 believe that needs to be corrected to "he" or  
25 "his."

1 MS. THOMPSON: (Inaudible.)

2 MS. KINLEY: I did not go back and look. My next one's  
3 571. Mr. Jay Lacy commented that there had been  
4 administrative kickbacks from PCS. I don't think  
5 that was the word he used. I'm not sure what word  
6 he used, but "kickback" doesn't sound appropriate.  
7 So I don't think he -- that that was what he said.  
8 And that's all I had on July 11th.

9 MS. THOMPSON: That's all I have.

10 MS. KINLEY: Did anyone else have any corrections to the  
11 meeting minutes for July 11?

12 MS. RODGERS: No.

13 MS. WEBB: I just knew I wasn't here.

14 MS. KINLEY: That's right. I'll take a motion.

15 MS. THOMPSON: Make a motion to approve the July 2011  
16 meeting minutes, with the corrections that have  
17 been noted.

18 MS. WEBB: Second.

19 MS. BAILEY-GLOVER: Who made the second?

20 MS. WEBB: Kathy Webb.

21 MS. KINLEY: Actually, you weren't here so --

22 MS. WEBB: I read over them. I found mistakes in my  
23 name. That's true, I can't.

24 MS. KINLEY: That's true. Cindy. Any discussion?

25 (NO RESPONSE.)

1 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify  
2 by saying aye.

3 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

4 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Webb, would  
5 you like to abstain from that vote?

6 MS. WEBB: Yes, I would.

7 MS. KINLEY: Thank you.

8 MS. WEBB: Thank you.

9 MS. KINLEY: August 8th, 2011 meeting minutes.

10 MS. THOMPSON: And this is in two sections. We have the  
11 morning segment and the --

12 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

13 MS. THOMPSON: -- afternoon segment.

14 MS. KINLEY: Uh-huh.

15 MS. THOMPSON: The only thing I found in the morning  
16 segment was that at the end of the meeting, it says  
17 that Ms. Webb made a motion for adjournment to  
18 approve the agenda. I'm thinking that she made the  
19 motion to adjourn --

20 MS. KINLEY: Adjourn.

21 MS. THOMPSON: -- since it was at the end.

22 MS. KINLEY: Anything on the afternoon minutes?

23 MS. THOMPSON: The afternoon, the only thing I found was  
24 there was a -- Nancy Poole's name was misspelled.  
25 It is on -- it was spelled correctly when they were

1           introducing the members present. But it's Line  
2           142. There's an "e" at the end of her name; it's  
3           P-O-O-L-E. Those are the only things I noted for  
4           that particular meeting.

5 MS. KINLEY: Anyone else?

6                         (NO RESPONSE.)

7 MS. KINLEY: Entertain a motion.

8 MS. BROWN: I'd like to make a motion to accept the  
9           minutes as approved, or as corrected.

10 MS. GILMER: Second.

11 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for approval of  
12           August 8th, 2010 meeting minutes. Anymore  
13           discussion?

14                         (NO RESPONSE.)

15 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify  
16           by saying aye.

17 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

18 COURT REPORTER: Who seconded that?

19 MS. KINLEY: Deloris. Did I call for a vote?

20 MS. THOMPSON: You did.

21 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

22 MS. GILMER: You just did.

23 MS. KINLEY: August 22nd, 2011 meeting minutes.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Have we just received these?

25 MS. KINLEY: No. No. What she did, they changed agenda

1 to minutes. We have it; I looked. This was  
2 partially in-house, partially conference call.

3 Yes. Anybody have any corrections?

4 MS. THOMPSON: Honestly, unless it was an oversight on  
5 my part, I didn't look over this until just now. I  
6 didn't -- I may have lost it in this packet.

7 MS. KINLEY: Imagine that.

8 MS. THOMPSON: So if I could just --

9 MS. KINLEY: Okay. Sure.

10 MS. THOMPSON: -- just one minute, just to glance over  
11 them.

12 (Brief pause to review minutes.)

13 MS. KINLEY: Has everyone had time to look these over?  
14 Any corrections? I have one under "approval of  
15 excused absences." Kathy had a dental emergency  
16 that morning and was unable to join us and Cindy, I  
17 believe, had someone --

18 MS. THOMPSON: Her husband was in the hospital.

19 MS. KINLEY: -- in the hospital too and was unable to  
20 join us. It only has Kathy on here, but it also  
21 needs to add Cindy Rodgers was not available.

22 MS. THOMPSON: I'll make a motion to approve the minutes  
23 for August the 22nd, with the correction of Cindy's  
24 excused absence.

25 MS. BROWN: I'll second the motion.

1 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second. Is there any  
2 further discussion?

3 (NO RESPONSE.)

4 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify  
5 by saying aye.

6 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

7 MS. WEBB: And I'd like to make a motion -- I mean, no  
8 motions. I'd like to, for the record, abstain.

9 MS. KINLEY: Abstain.

10 MS. WEBB: Abstain. I don't mean recuse, excuse me.

11 MS. RODGERS: That's two of us abstaining.

12 MS. WEBB: Yeah, abstaining.

13 MS. KINLEY: Motion carries, with two abstentions from  
14 the vote. Chairman's remarks. As most of you are  
15 probably aware -- okay, I've already talked about  
16 Eddie retiring after 30 years as a employee here at  
17 LLR. I've remained in close contact with Eddie,  
18 and am pleased to say that he seems to be enjoying  
19 the life of retirement. And we all know he earned  
20 it and deserves it. Again, I'd like for everyone  
21 to extend a warm welcome to Doris Cubitt, who is  
22 taking his place right now. Don't know how long  
23 Doris has committed to us, but we appreciate every  
24 day she gives us.

25 On August the 16th, I did the final school

1 inspection for the Donaldson Career and Technology,  
2 nail tech program. The only issue that we had with  
3 the nail tech program was the textbooks, that  
4 apparently the state had authorized them to order  
5 from a lady were two editions out of date. So I  
6 brought this to their attention, informed them that  
7 this would not be fair to their students enrolling  
8 in this program, to already have textbook that was  
9 not updated to an examination program. So  
10 fortunately, through some creative financing, the  
11 director of the program was able to obtain funding  
12 and has ordered the latest edition of the Milady  
13 Nail Technology textbook. So I'm pleased to have  
14 launched that program in August.

15 The board, with the exception of Deloris and  
16 Selena -- Selena was celebrating her 50th wedding  
17 anniversary.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Congratulations.

19 MS. KINLEY: And she headed away from Hurricane Irene,  
20 while we all --

21 MS. THOMPSON: Headed into it.

22 MS. KINLEY: -- bravely headed into her.

23 MS. BROWN: Went to the mountains.

24 MS. KINLEY: Yes. We just returned from the NIC

25 Conference held in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. And

1        fortunately, Hurricane Irene threatened, but did  
2        not materialize in Fort Lauderdale and, therefore,  
3        did not cause a issue for attendees.

4                I'm more than thrilled to announce that our  
5        vice chair, Melanie Thompson, has been elected to  
6        the NIC executive board as Region One director.  
7        Melanie, because of my knowledge with NIC, has  
8        already had a major knowledge of the operations of  
9        the NIC program and will be their biggest asset,  
10       and I couldn't be prouder of her, so  
11       congratulations to Mel.

12               The buzz word at conference this year, again,  
13       for several speakers was regarding deregulation  
14       within the industry. We heard it from multiple  
15       speakers that we need to be aware of this movement  
16       and be prepared, if not proactive, when and if  
17       legislation ever comes forward.

18               The Board of Cosmetology in Florida  
19       piggybacked their board meeting to coincide with  
20       the conference, since they were already all  
21       traveled to Fort Lauderdale. If it makes anyone in  
22       this room feel better to know, as thick as our  
23       packet is, theirs was 7,000 pages long. And I know  
24       they do meet more than once a year. Seven thousand  
25       pages. Every board member has to bring their board

1 documents in with hand trucks.

2 MS. THOMPSON: I'm about there.

3 MS. KINLEY: Well, not all of us carry the Old  
4 Testament, the King James Version along with at  
5 every meeting.

6 For the better part of the last couple of  
7 years, this board has been diligently working on  
8 slowing down the tremendous fraud that we all know  
9 is here in our industry. The board met several  
10 times with Ron Cook here at LLR, Sean Colton from  
11 SMT, to try and introduce biometrics within this  
12 division. Unfortunately, after many meetings and  
13 then assured that we did have legal clearance that  
14 went all the way to the AG's office, we have been  
15 notified to cease that implementation at this time.

16 When our legal department was looking for  
17 approval -- I guess would be the best words to say  
18 -- of our legality to do this, they were looking at  
19 constitutional clearance, and I understand that.  
20 And so constitutionally, we're good with it.  
21 Unfortunately, we didn't have the statutes or regs  
22 to back it up. So we are rapidly trying to  
23 implement that into the regs that we are  
24 introducing now. But at this time, we're going to  
25 slow down on that. Well, we're going to delay that

1 implementation. I'm hopefully saying we're not  
2 terminating that implementation; we are simply  
3 delaying it. And I've been given, you know, the  
4 word here at the office that they have our word --  
5 they have given me their word that they will  
6 support any of these changes going through, to help  
7 fast-track that implementation.

8 I do apologize for the meetings we had with  
9 the school owners, with the continuing ed  
10 providers, any other support staff that was out  
11 there. I know Ron and I were just greatly dismayed  
12 that they went "stop." I swear, I walked out of  
13 this building, and three minutes later, I got the  
14 email, and I'm like, they're watching upstairs.  
15 They wanted me off the property. But I understand  
16 and I realize that that's the way things work  
17 sometimes. So let's all get behind our legislators  
18 and our senators when these regs hit the general  
19 assembly, to encourage them to quickly pass them  
20 through, to get the governor's signature on them,  
21 so that we can slow down the fraud in our industry.

22 At the July meeting, this board voted  
23 unanimously to instruct the department to change  
24 CBT providers to IQT. It's my understanding that a  
25 letter was sent to the director under my name,

1            requesting this change. When I spoke with the  
2            director last week, she wasn't aware of being in  
3            receipt of a request. So as the chairman of the  
4            board, I'm asking Doris here to followup on that.  
5            I did what you and I discussed. So hopefully,  
6            we're going to be able to track down that letter,  
7            to get that implemented as soon as possible.

8            Also, in the May meeting, which we just  
9            approved those minutes, the board requested that  
10           there were three different endorsement applications  
11           out there. And we requested that those be  
12           consolidated into one application. I don't know  
13           where the three are, but every time we have  
14           endorsement applications, they're slightly  
15           different from each other. We also requested that  
16           in the consolidation of the one application, that  
17           gender be added to it. We requested that it  
18           contain the Social Security Number, physical home  
19           address, place of birth, copy of a birth  
20           certificate, race, gender, phone number and email  
21           address. To my knowledge, I have not -- and I  
22           assume that the other board members have not  
23           received a copy of one consolidated endorsement  
24           application. So if we could followup on that and  
25           see where that is.

1           I had received a email that was copied to  
2 several board members, I noticed, this past Friday.  
3 And, Melanie, maybe you can bring it up, from  
4 Francene Renanto with PCS, that she asked to be  
5 read. My emails will not open on here, and I had  
6 failed to save it as a document. But if we can  
7 find that, I would like to read that statement.

8           Again, this is from PCS in regards to online  
9 school reports. "We are very pleased to announce  
10 that online reporting is again available on our  
11 website. As before, schools have the option to  
12 view either a summary report or a detailed report,  
13 which contains a list of all students and their  
14 grades. Any school which previously completed an  
15 application to view online reports will be able to  
16 access a detailed report with the same user name  
17 and password PCS has already assigned.

18           Online reporting will only allow you to access  
19 reports beginning from January 2010 onward. Should  
20 you need a report which dates back farther, please  
21 email [sccos@pcshq.com](mailto:sccos@pcshq.com). To access reports online,  
22 follow directions below, which is full both summary  
23 and detailed reports, go to [www.pcshq.com](http://www.pcshq.com). Click  
24 "access your account" link on the left side of the  
25 screen, enter your user name and password, click

1 "cosmetology barbering" link on the left side of  
2 the screen, click "school report" link under  
3 report. Again, if your user name or password does  
4 not work for some reason, please email that same  
5 address to request a new one be emailed to you."

6 It is with tremendous sadness that I inform  
7 you today that this may very well be my last  
8 meeting at LLR with the Cosmetology Board. I've  
9 been informed that the governor plans on removing  
10 me from my position on this board. As we all are  
11 aware, Governor Sanford left an overwhelming number  
12 of board seats vacant or serving on expired terms.  
13 The result of this is that Governor Haley has had  
14 the opportunity to replace many board members, if  
15 not entire boards.

16 While this is without a doubt Governor Haley's  
17 right, it's an extremely worrisome position for  
18 many boards out there to be left without leadership  
19 and experience. The Cosmetology Board has lots of  
20 vital issues facing it right now, and it disturbs  
21 me deeply that myself, as well as other vital  
22 members, may find themselves being replaced.

23 If this is my last meeting, I want all of you  
24 to know how deeply I care for each and every one of  
25 you and will never quit working for my industry. I

1 believe in the protection of the public. I believe  
2 in the credibility of my profession, and I believe  
3 that the overwhelming majority of this board  
4 believes the same as I do, although I do not intend  
5 to speak for anyone else in this room.

6 I also am a firm believer that God doesn't  
7 make mistakes. People do, but God doesn't. And I  
8 know that if my days as a member of this wonderful  
9 board are over, then it's because He believes I  
10 would be more powerful and productive on another  
11 side of the table. Believe me, I won't disappear  
12 from your lives; I will be there possibly just in  
13 another capacity. But I want everyone to know how  
14 much I deeply care for you and how much I've  
15 enjoyed my time on this board.

16 MS. PHILLIPS: We love you.

17 (A round of applause was given.)

18 MS. KINLEY: Moving on to inspector's reports, number of  
19 inspections and open complaint cases.

20 MS. CUBITT: The inspection report for July, they did  
21 736 inspections, and for August they did 720. So  
22 to date, they've done 1456 inspections.

23 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Old business. Flip the page.

24 Oh, I'm sorry. Did I miss --

25 MS. THOMPSON: Open complaints.

1 MS. KINLEY: -- open complaints. Sorry.

2 MR. ANDREWS: And also the IRC report. Did y'all review  
3 that?

4 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

5 MS. THOMPSON: We're deferring that?

6 MS. KINLEY: Yeah, we're going to defer that to  
7 executive session.

8 MR. ANDREWS: Closed since the last board meeting, 24.

9 We've closed a total of 95 cases this year.

10 Currently, we have 376 open investigations.

11 MS. KINLEY: I'm sorry. Can you give me that number  
12 again?

13 MS. THOMPSON: Three seventy-six.

14 MR. ANDREWS: Three hundred and seventy-six open  
15 investigations.

16 MS. KINLEY: How many closed?

17 MR. ANDREWS: We closed since the last board meeting 24,  
18 and we have -- and we closed this year 95.

19 MS. WEBB: Year-to-date.

20 MS. RODGERS: Year-to-date.

21 MS. KINLEY: And that goes to -- I had an executive  
22 session file somewhere. Okay. Now, old business.

23 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, just for clarification, are  
24 we going to be deferring the DRC that's carried  
25 over to old business --

1 MS. KINLEY: No.

2 MS. THOMPSON: -- to execution session as well? Or just  
3 the IRC?

4 MS. KINLEY: Just the IRC.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

6 MS. KINLEY: School contracts. I can probably answer  
7 that for you. Dean and I did meet -- or maybe we  
8 didn't.

9 MR. GRIGG: We did.

10 MS. KINLEY: Did you have them? or did I?

11 MS. THOMPSON: I have them right here. Those are the  
12 ones from --

13 MS. KINLEY: Did you take them back to -- okay. Defer  
14 that to executive session, if you would, please, so  
15 that he has time to look that over.

16 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I make a motion to defer the  
17 school contract review process to executive session  
18 to give legal counsel the opportunity to look over  
19 these.

20 MS. WEBB: Second.

21 MS. KINLEY: Motion and a second to defer to executive  
22 session the school contracts that were pending from  
23 July. Any further discussion?

24 (NO RESPONSE.)

25 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify

1 by saying aye.

2 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

3 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. DRC reports for  
4 June and July. Did anyone have -- or did everyone  
5 have opportunity to review those? Anybody have any  
6 questions of Mr. Cook for the June or July 2011 DRC  
7 reports?

8 MS. THOMPSON: This was carried over from the July  
9 meeting. We were handed these the day of the  
10 meeting in July, and we didn't have the opportunity  
11 to look at them. And we had such a lengthy meeting  
12 that we opted just --

13 MS. KINLEY: Right.

14 MS. THOMPSON: -- to defer them? Make a motion to  
15 approve the June and the July DRC reports.

16 MS. GILMER: Second.

17 MS. KINLEY: The motion and a second to approve the June  
18 and July DRC reports. Any further discussion?

19 (NO RESPONSE.)

20 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify  
21 by saying aye.

22 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

23 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. I wrote down  
24 "pending Jay Lacy contract."

25 MS. THOMPSON: I think I just handed you that in my file

1 of contracts. Possibly not. So that will be  
2 included in the --

3 MS. KINLEY: Add that to that, okay. The two newly  
4 formed associations, which I think one of them  
5 is --

6 MS. THOMPSON: ACE and Hair Heirs.

7 MS. KINLEY: And --

8 MS. THOMPSON: They just needed additional membership  
9 to --

10 MS. KINLEY: And they did forward that membership in.

11 MS. THOMPSON: They did forward --

12 MS. KINLEY: Yes, they did.

13 MS. THOMPSON: So I make a motion for final approval of  
14 ACE Association for continuing education provider.

15 MS. RODGERS: Second.

16 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for final  
17 approval of ACE con ed provider. Any further  
18 discussion?

19 (NO RESPONSE.)

20 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify  
21 by saying aye.

22 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

23 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

24 COURT REPORTER: Madam Chair, are y'all saying ACE, like  
25 ACE?

1 MS. KINLEY: Uh-huh.

2 MS. THOMPSON: And ACE is an acronym. And I apologize,  
3 I don't remember what ACE stands for. Angie, could  
4 you tell us?

5 MS. SHULER: Association for Cosmetology Excellence.

6 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

7 MS. KINLEY: Why can't we just say it?

8 MS. THOMPSON: It sounds better to say ACE.

9 MS. KINLEY: And Heirs?

10 MS. THOMPSON: Hair Heirs.

11 MS. KINLEY: It does say Hair Heirs. Now, that's hard.  
12 And they did also forward their membership roster.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I'll be recusing myself.

14 MS. KINLEY: I was going to say, Melanie had recused  
15 herself in July from any discussion regarding Hair  
16 Heirs, so I will need to entertain a motion from  
17 Someone else on the board.

18 MS. BROWN: I make a motion to approve.

19 MS. GILMER: Make a motion to approve it. Second it.  
20 I'll second.

21 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for final  
22 approval of Hair Heirs, continuing ed provider  
23 association. Any further discussion?

24 (NO RESPONSE.)

25 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor, signify

1 by saying aye.

2 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

3 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

4 MS. THOMPSON: And again, Madam Chair, just for the  
5 record, I'd like to state that I recused myself  
6 from that vote.

7 MS. WEBB: And also, just for the record, I abstained  
8 also.

9 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. One recusal and one abstention.  
10 Is there anything else under old business? Moving  
11 on to new business. First thing we want to do is  
12 move "M" to first on the agenda under "new  
13 business" approval of temporary permits for new  
14 salons. I asked that this be put on the agenda.  
15 We used to allow -- or this board, to give a little  
16 history. The board used to issue temporary salon  
17 permits to salons that did a self inspection  
18 opening. They had to fill out that they all the  
19 required fire extinguishers, hot and cold running  
20 water, that entire list. And to fast-track their  
21 opening, they were allowed to complete that  
22 application, send it in and open, pending final  
23 approval by an LLR inspector.

24 We did have issues with that. So we backed  
25 off of it. Salons would not be open when they knew

1 the inspector was coming. They would lock up,  
2 leave and would work on that temporary permit, if  
3 you will, for an extremely long, extended period of  
4 time. Mr. Cook asked that we reconsider that  
5 policy. Again, for the record, our regs do support  
6 us being able to do that. But I asked him -- that  
7 I did not feel comfortable making the decision as  
8 chairman of the board on that, that I would feel  
9 better with him presenting that to the entire  
10 board. So Mr. Cook.

11 MR. COOK: Thank you, ma'am. Since January, this has  
12 been somewhat of a issue, with the reorganization  
13 of the agency and the downscaling of staffing.  
14 What we found when we reassessed the process for  
15 inspections in general was we had a very limited  
16 staff of inspectors to do a very large number of  
17 mandatory inspections. Your board has the ten-day  
18 rule for a mandatory inspection of a new  
19 application. But it also has, I believe the  
20 regulation, that it can be extended for 90 days on  
21 a temporary license to allow the inspection staff  
22 to have time to conduct that inspection, to approve  
23 that location.

24 What we found in February was with the  
25 demographics of the state and all of the other

1 mandatory inspections required, it was virtually  
2 impossible to do all of the new applications within  
3 ten days. So we came back to you and to our advice  
4 counsel, asked him to look at that regulation, look  
5 at the practice act and to find a way that we could  
6 work together to accommodate getting salons opened  
7 as quickly as possible, but also in accordance with  
8 the statute and the regulation, with the limited  
9 manpower that we do have.

10 We have an inspection of a limited inspection  
11 staff that does approximately nine different  
12 inspections for the Cosmetology Board, in and of  
13 itself. They also have to do inspections for eight  
14 other boards, that encompass anywhere from one to  
15 four or five different types of inspections.  
16 Everybody wants to open a business today. When  
17 they put that application in Friday, they want to  
18 open on Monday. Sometimes we lose focus of the  
19 enormity of what LLR does.

20 We had an applicant that put an application in  
21 on Thursday and was just livid because I could not  
22 have an inspector there on Monday. And we advised  
23 that applicant that we could be there on Thursday.  
24 The applicant was livid over that. They wanted to  
25 be inspected on Monday, so they could open on

1 Monday, because of the suspension of the temporary  
2 license and the board's position that there had to  
3 be a complete inspection before a license could be  
4 issued and the business could open.

5 So we have asked for some reconsideration of  
6 that. We've met with advice counsel extensively.  
7 We've met with the board staff that assists you  
8 here in LLR. I think everyone understands that.  
9 Now, as you know, we are moving toward electronic  
10 inspections, which will enhance this procedure  
11 some. We've been working with Doris since she came  
12 onboard and with Shirley, to try to enhance the  
13 technology of that, to cut down on some of the time  
14 required. And we will continue to do that and  
15 we're continuing to work with Dean and his staff,  
16 Doris and her staff, to try to expedite these  
17 inspections.

18 But right now, it is virtually impossible,  
19 unless that's all we do is do new application  
20 inspections. And that would not be fair to the  
21 other inspection processes or to the other board  
22 inspections that we're required to conduct. I'll  
23 be glad to answer any questions you have.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Are you wanting to extend this further  
25 than the 90 days? Or you're wanting allowance for

1 the 90 days?

2 MR. COOK: Oh, no, ma'am. No. Dean, correct me if I'm  
3 wrong. I think we decided 45 days should be  
4 sufficient and we could work within that 45 day  
5 time frame. We're trying to get it down to the ten  
6 days. But we just do not have the staff.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Well, maybe this is where I was confused,  
8 because having just gone through this process  
9 myself, I was under the understanding that I, as a  
10 new salon owner, was going to fill out this form,  
11 send it into the board office. Then I'd receive a  
12 phone call from someone in staff to say "have you  
13 done this." Get a verbal okay. And then at that  
14 point it was okay to open and operate under that  
15 verbal checklist until such time that the inspector  
16 could actually come and go through the salon. So,  
17 in essence, I thought that we already had made that  
18 provision.

19 MR. GRIGG: If I can -- if I can jump in on that.

20 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

21 MR. GRIGG: You had. But a verbal okay is not  
22 appropriate.

23 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. So we're trying to do away with  
24 the verbal and make it a physical.

25 MR. GRIGG: Ron is correct. We've met several times

1 about this. And for those who are interested,  
2 Regulation 35-15 is what governs the licensure of a  
3 salon. You do have a requirement under Part 2 that  
4 says that the application must be provided at least  
5 ten working days prior to the opening date. That  
6 gives Ron and his staff ten days, which as he said,  
7 and I think we all can agree, is hard to do before  
8 someone can open. Someone cannot open during that  
9 ten days because Ron and his staff have ten days to  
10 do it. The question is, what do you do for those  
11 that Ron and his group can't get to within that ten  
12 days.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

14 MR. GRIGG: And as I explained to him and to Doris and  
15 I'll explain to y'all, if everything else in an  
16 application is in good working order and you have  
17 what you need to open, the only thing that is  
18 holding up opening that business is LLR not being  
19 able to get out to do the inspection. It is highly  
20 prejudiced and unfair to that salon owner to have  
21 to sit and wait on us to fulfill our obligation.  
22 That's the purpose behind the temporary permit,  
23 that is allowed for under 35-15. We need to make  
24 use of that. And you're right, we had been. So  
25 the hard part's done. It's just how we go about

1           doing it.

2           And the problem with the verbal okay is at  
3           that point, how do you -- Ron and his crowd goes  
4           out to inspect and somebody's been open, how's he  
5           to know how long; how's he to know who okayed it;  
6           how's he to know if somebody did okay or if --

7   MS. KINLEY: I was going to say.

8   MR. GRIGG: -- or if that particular person is trying to  
9           pull a fast one on him, which we hope is not going  
10          to happen, but it does. Let's face it.

11   MS. KINLEY: It has happened.

12   MS. THOMPSON: Well, maybe I lucked up. But when my  
13          inspector came, he actually had the paper that I  
14          had sent in, that then prompted the staff member to  
15          call and run me through that checklist. But I  
16          understand that that's a whole lot of paper trail  
17          and back and forth and too many --

18   MR. GRIGG: It just causes a lot of inconsistency --

19   MS. THOMPSON: I understand.

20   MR. GRIGG: -- and a lot of confusion. So the better  
21          way to do it is to make use of the provision y'all  
22          have got for the temporary permits, which as  
23          somebody just said, it can be up to 90 days.  
24          Doesn't have to be. I think Ron indicated they  
25          don't think it would need to take anywhere near

1           that long. I think 45 days -- I think you're  
2           right, Ron -- was what we discussed. But then --  
3           I'm sorry.

4   MS. RODGERS: I'm sorry. Do they do a pre-inspection?  
5           Don't they --

6   MS. KINLEY: Uh-uh. Not on salons; that's schools.

7   MR. GRIGG: No.

8   MS. RODGERS: Just the schools.

9   MS. KINLEY: Just the schools.

10   MR. GRIGG: And the only other thing I was going to say  
11           is that the verbal needs to become a written. We  
12           need to come up with some sort of temporary permit.  
13           And we talked about this. Doris and Ron and myself  
14           and some other people were involved in that  
15           meeting. And I think we can do it fairly simply.  
16           I think there used to be an old one. We can  
17           probably tweak it a little bit, make sure it's got  
18           dates and names, so it's specific, that when Ron  
19           goes in for the inspection, he can look and see how  
20           long they've been operating under that temporary  
21           permit, who's allowed to operate under that  
22           temporary permit. That way it won't be able to be  
23           handed off from one person to the next or, again,  
24           it won't be any confusion as to "Well, I was told I  
25           could do this on such and such a date." It will be

1 in writing. It's just legally a safer way to go.

2 MS. THOMPSON: So the application process, with certain  
3 guidelines that are within that application, and  
4 then an actual --

5 MS. KINLEY: So how do we know that?

6 MS. KINLEY: -- permit will be issued, temporary permit,  
7 with an expiration date, then given to the  
8 applicant from LLR, that they can operate their  
9 salon for that designated amount of time.

10 MR. GRIGG: Absolutely. And the other thing you've got  
11 under this reg is Ron's group has not only the  
12 opportunity but the obligation that when they go in  
13 and do their inspection, they take that temporary  
14 license. Once they've approved it, that temporary  
15 license is taken, shredded, whatever we do to it,  
16 so that, again, it's not sitting out there for  
17 somebody else to use or whatever the case is.

18 MS. THOMPSON: So does he trade that for their permanent  
19 license at that point? Or have we worked out  
20 the --

21 MR. COOK: They would operate on the inspection report  
22 until such time as that's turned in, processed, and  
23 the new license is made.

24 MS. RODGERS: So how do we know they've met their  
25 requirements if we don't have a pre-inspection, but

1           it's not verbal? How do we know that before --

2   MS. KINLEY: There would be a checklist. There is a

3           checklist.

4   MS. CUBITT: There is a checklist.

5   MR. GRIGG: There is a checklist --

6   MS. KINLEY: That I'd like to --

7   MR. GRIGG: -- as to what has to be in the application

8           and what has to be proven and shown.

9   MS. KINLEY: It's what's in the regs that are

10          required --

11   MS. RODGERS: So everything's checked --

12   MS. KINLEY: -- in a salon.

13   MS. RODGERS: -- and that's the end; is that how that's

14          done?

15   MR. GRIGG: Right. And this is a situation of where all

16          that's in order. The only thing holding up that --

17   MS. RODGERS: Is the inspection.

18   MR. GRIGG: -- business opening is we've got to get out

19          and inspect. And that just physically can't happen

20          in ten days --

21   MS. KINLEY: Right.

22   MR. GRIGG: -- in some circumstances.

23   MR. COOK: Now, if they submitted that application and

24          they checked "yes" on everything, then when the

25          inspection was conducted and it was found some of

1           that had not been --

2   MS. RODGERS:   That's my question.

3   MR. COOK:   -- taken care of, then that would fall under  
4           fraudulent application.

5   MS. RODGERS:   Okay.   That was my question.

6   MR. GRIGG:   Then you've got avenues to pursue at that  
7           point.

8   MS. KINLEY:   Can you bring us a copy of what we have on  
9           that inspection list so far, while we're here  
10          today?   And then, Dean, tell me this, because I'm  
11          pretty sure this is not on there, you probably have  
12          seen the most recent one.   Is there any way we can  
13          ask is this a independent contractor salon? or is  
14          this a commission salon?

15   MR. GRIGG:   It could be both.

16   MS. KINLEY:   It could be.   What I'm getting at is I  
17          would like to know if we can add on that  
18          application a list of anyone working in that salon  
19          so that --

20   MR. COOK:   Madam Chair, I might suggest, you may want to  
21          confer with Mr. Griggs because --

22   MS. KINLEY:   That's what I asked.

23   MR. COOK:   -- we are in the process of reviewing all of  
24          these forms, in order to migrate to the electronic  
25          handling of all the forms.

1 MS. KINLEY: Right. But I want to know if that's -- if  
2 that's within --

3 MR. GRIGG: Quite honestly, I would want to take the  
4 application, look at it, sit down and look at what  
5 the requirements -- you know, point by point, so I  
6 wouldn't want to answer that at this time. But I  
7 think that's something we can certainly work  
8 towards and look at, to make sure it's as foolproof  
9 as you want it.

10 MS. THOMPSON: And I have another question/concern also  
11 in the area of fraudulent documentation. Are we  
12 going to take provisions or precautions for the  
13 actual temporary permit that they're going to  
14 receive in the salon? But it cannot be duplicated,  
15 copied, xeroxed. I mean, because that's going to  
16 be an additional security measure.

17 MR. COOK: That would be within the purviews of some of  
18 the other issues that we've talked about preventing  
19 fraudulent duplication of license, permits, etc.

20 MS. THOMPSON: So we would take the same steps --

21 MR. COOK: Yes, ma'am.

22 MS. THOMPSON: -- to ensure that. Okay.

23 MS. WEBB: How many inspectors as of today do we have?

24 MR. COOK: Twelve. One of which acts as the interim  
25 chief inspector.

1 MS. RODGERS: For a whole state.

2 MR. COOK: For the entire state.

3 MS. WEBB: And that's nine boards?

4 MS. KINLEY: We have 12 on cosmetology?

5 MR. COOK: No, ma'am.

6 MS. KINLEY: Oh, I didn't think so.

7 MR. COOK: Twelve inspectors for the entire state for  
8 all the boards.

9 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

10 MR. COOK: One of those serves as the interim chief  
11 inspector.

12 MS. KINLEY: If it makes anyone feel any better, several  
13 years ago I know Texas had 1.5, so --

14 MS. THOMPSON: How do you get 1.5? I've always wanted  
15 to know.

16 MS. KINLEY: I know. I just remember -- I remember that  
17 from a meeting way back.

18 MR. COOK: Madam Chair another thing that I'd like to  
19 bring up to you, while you're addressing  
20 inspections, of the 700-plus that they have  
21 conducted -- that's actual inspections conducted  
22 the past two months -- last Monday, I reviewed all  
23 of the inspection reports from the previous week.  
24 And approximately 35 percent of those for that week  
25 were closed when the inspector was there. So you

1 can add --

2 MS. KINLEY: Closed permanently? Or just not open that  
3 day?

4 MR. COOK: Various and sundry reasons.

5 MS. KINLEY: Okay. All right.

6 MR. COOK: But approximately 35 percent were closed. I  
7 had one inspector that drove 147 miles in a 7.5  
8 hour workday and conducted one inspection, because  
9 the other six locations he visited were closed.

10 MS. THOMPSON: Well, that was one of the things I had to  
11 provide. I had to provide salon hours, dates of --  
12 days I was open, times I was open.

13 MR. COOK: They do, but --

14 MS. KINLEY: When you get there, they're just not there.

15 MR. COOK: -- nothing holds them liable for that.

16 MS. THOMPSON: That's unfortunate.

17 MR. COOK: So we're trying to assess that to see how we  
18 can do a better job with the man hours and driving  
19 time, to pick up the number of inspections we  
20 actually can conduct on a 7.5 hour workday.

21 MS. THOMPSON: To allow our overworked guys to be as  
22 efficient as possible.

23 MR. COOK: The other situation we have is that all those  
24 inspectors are based out of Columbia. If they have  
25 inspections in Gaffney, that's a three-hour drive

1           there, a three hour drive back, which leaves --

2   MS. THOMPSON: Myrtle Beach, three hours.

3   MR. COOK: -- an hour and a half for them to do

4           inspections. So those are some of the issues that

5           we are looking at, trying to address, trying to

6           brainstorm to see if there's a way we can do a

7           better job or get more man hours or production out

8           of the man hours, based on the demographics of the

9           state.

10   MS. KINLEY: Have you gone back further than just that

11           one particular week that you assessed the

12           percentage of those that were not open to be

13           inspected?

14   MR. COOK: No, ma'am. And the reason I reviewed them

15           and looked at that is a lot of the inspectors, when

16           I would review their personal reports, they would

17           have how many they did, as opposed to how many they

18           attempted to do. And I had a discussion with all

19           of the inspectors, and that was one of their

20           primary concerns is how many establishments were

21           closed when they attempted to inspect. So I went

22           back and just took one week and reviewed it to kind

23           of get a idea of what we were dealing with.

24   MS. KINLEY: And for the record, I'm sure those were

25           Tuesday through Friday -- for the most part,

1 Tuesday through Friday inspections.

2 MR. COOK: Monday through Friday.

3 MS. KINLEY: Monday through Friday, okay. That's a lot.

4 That's a --

5 MR. COOK: A five day work week.

6 MS. KINLEY: -- big percentage. That's a huge  
7 percentage. And it's no fault of anyone at LLR.  
8 That's just a huge percentage to not be able to  
9 inspect.

10 MR. COOK: It is. I was somewhat taken aback at the  
11 number of -- I was looking at the time of the  
12 visit, at the number of salons that are closed  
13 middle of the day, middle of the week, all day. We  
14 had one in the coastal area that went back by two  
15 of the salons in the afternoon and they were still  
16 closed; this was a weekday. No explanation as to  
17 why it was closed; just no one there.

18 MS. KINLEY: Very strange. So getting back to the item  
19 on the agenda, the temporary permit, what is the  
20 feeling of the board? Do you want to wait until we  
21 have reviewed an application and come back to it  
22 later in the day?

23 MS. CUBITT: We'll have an application in a little  
24 while. I emailed --

25 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

1 MS. CUBITT: -- to get one.

2 MS. THOMPSON: I think that we need to review the  
3 application, but we also need to possibly be  
4 advised as to a time frame that we think that this  
5 can actually be implemented and up and going, so  
6 that we all collectively will know what to tell any  
7 potential new salon owners as to when they should  
8 expect that this might be working. And that will  
9 be, I guess, contingent upon the application and  
10 then the actual license, temporary permit itself,  
11 the approval of those things. And I have no idea  
12 how quickly that process can proceed.

13 MR. COOK: Well, I would have to defer to Dean and Doris  
14 as to how fast they can process the application,  
15 get that temporary permit out. And with the pledge  
16 from my side that we'll get the inspection done as  
17 quickly as we can possibly do it, without taking  
18 away from other priorities. We have to work that  
19 into the work schedule.

20 MS. THOMPSON: Obviously, I don't mean to lock you into  
21 a restrictive deadline, but just to have an idea,  
22 so that when people in the next -- between now and  
23 our next board meeting are trying to open a salon,  
24 they will know under which procedure we're  
25 operating, the one previously or this newly adopted

1 one, if it's adopted by the board.

2 MS. CUBITT: I think that you still need the ten days,  
3 you know, to process the application. But then we  
4 can immediately, if everything's in order, send out  
5 the temporary license.

6 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. Dean, do we need to make a motion  
7 now on this? Or can we just wait to make the  
8 actual motion until we see the application back to  
9 its original place on the agenda?

10 COURT REPORTER: What was that answer?

11 MR. GRIGG: You can defer it.

12 MS. KINLEY: We're going to defer it till we are able to  
13 review that application process. And we'll handle  
14 it by the end of the day. We'll get your answer by  
15 the end of the day.

16 MR. COOK: Thank you, ma'am.

17 MS. KINLEY: That's a promise. Don't make promises you  
18 can't keep.

19 MR. COOK: Would you need me for the executive session  
20 to address that IRC report? Or --

21 MS. KINLEY: Yes, sir.

22 MR. COOK: Okay. You have any idea when we'll do that?

23 MS. KINLEY: No, sir. Actually --

24 MS. RODGERS: End of the day.

25 MS. KINLEY: No. We'll go into executive session --

1 MR. COOK: I will be in the building. If you'll let Ms.  
2 Cubitt know, she'll text me and I'll scoot back  
3 down.

4 MS. KINLEY: That will be good. Hopefully in about --

5 MS. THOMPSON: (Inaudible.)

6 MS. KINLEY: We'll let you know, Ron. Thank you.

7 MR. COOK: Thank you, ma'am.

8 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I'd like to make a motion  
9 for a ten minute recess, please.

10 MS. KINLEY: I have multiple room issues for a ten  
11 minute recess.

12 (Off the record.)

13 MS. KINLEY: Call this meeting back to order. We're  
14 going to continue along with approval of licensure  
15 through endorsement, Christy Moon. Is Christy Moon  
16 here? Ken?

17 MS. THOMPSON: Is Ken here? Is he back?

18 MS. KINLEY: I see Ken.

19 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Oh, yes, ma'am.

20 MS. KINLEY: Hello.

21 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Christy Moon.

22 MS. KINLEY: I'm doing to dock your pay in a minute,  
23 Ken.

24 MR. GRIGG: Good thing we don't pay him much.

25 MS. KINLEY: I know. Before we get started back, is

1           there a sign-in sheet over there?

2   AUDIENCE MEMBER:   Yes.

3   MS. KINLEY:   Did everyone sign in?

4   AUDIENCE MEMBER:   It's in the back, being passed around.

5   MS. KINLEY:   Oh, okay. Thank you. One more time, is  
6           Christy Moon in?

7   MS. THOMPSON:   Madam Chair, this is Ms. Moon's second  
8           time on our agenda, and there has been several  
9           correspondence between LLR and Ms. Moon in regard  
10          to what we need submitted in order to be able to  
11          consider this application. So due to the further  
12          questions that I had regarding this applicant, as  
13          well as her absence again, I have verified that her  
14          letter did say the 12th at 10 a.m. She is not  
15          here, so I make a motion to deny.

16   MS. WEBB:   Second.

17   MS. THOMPSON:   I'm sorry. The 12th at 10.

18   MS. WEBB:   Oh, the 12th.

19   MS. KINLEY:   Today. That's ten. She was supposed to be  
20          here at ten o'clock.

21   MS. RODGERS:   But it's 12 now.

22   MS. KINLEY:   Yeah.

23   MS. THOMPSON:   So there was a motion and a second.

24   MS. KINLEY:   We have a motion and a second on the table  
25          to deny application for Christy K. Moon. Any

1 further discussion?

2 (NO RESPONSE.)

3 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all in favor signify by  
4 saying aye.

5 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

6 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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8 MS. KINLEY: Mong Thuy Thi Nguyen. M-O-N-G T-H-U-Y  
9 Thi Nguyen.

10 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, again, in regard to this  
11 application, there were several inconsistencies and  
12 questions that I had, as well as the absence of the  
13 applicant. I make a motion to deny.

14 MS. GILMER: Second.

15 MS. KINLEY: Motion has been made and seconded to deny  
16 application for Mong. I'm going to spell the  
17 second name, it's T-H-U-Y, Thi Nguyen. Any further  
18 discussion?

19 (NO RESPONSE.)

20 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
21 saying aye.

22 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

23 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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25 MS. KINLEY: Moving onto approval of license with

1 background reports. First up, John Bowen. Again,  
2 he was notified to be here today at 10 a.m.

3 MS. WEBB: Madam Chair, I make a motion to deny.

4 MR. REYNOLDS: Second.

5 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for denial of  
6 Mr. John Bowen. Any further discussion?

7 (NO RESPONSE.)

8 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all in favor signify by  
9 saying aye.

10 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

11 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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13 MS. KINLEY: Annamaria Brown.

14 MS. CUBITT: I have some information on that, Madam  
15 Chair. She was here, but was sick. And so she  
16 left this letter saying that it had been dismissed  
17 with no prosecution. Now, I didn't have the  
18 original paperwork to match it up to, so --

19 MS. KINLEY: For the record, Annamaria Brown left due to  
20 illness before we got to her. Her application had  
21 a -- well, if my fingers would work -- a SLED  
22 sheet --

23 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, in addition to that  
24 information, her affidavit is incomplete. The  
25 affidavit of eligibility, Page 2, is incomplete.

1           And without her being here, we cannot proceed.

2   MS. GILMER:   Page 2.

3   MS. THOMPSON: Under signature, "Please print your name  
4           shown -- and verifiable document." It's  
5           incomplete. That's something that we probably very  
6           easily could have rectified, had she been able to  
7           be here.

8   MS. KINLEY: As I was saying, though, she did present  
9           that her arrest of April 5th, 2011, Case No.  
10          81774EZ was dismissed, no prosecution. It is  
11          notarized. So that being said --

12   MS. THOMPSON: I make a motion to deny.

13   MS. GILMER: Second.

14   MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for denial due  
15          to incomplete application. Is there any further  
16          discussion?

17                   (NO RESPONSE.)

18   MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
19          saying aye.

20   BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

21   MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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23   MS. KINLEY: Candid Dingle. Ms. Dingle, if you would,  
24          please, come to the podium. Bring your photo I.D.  
25          with and be sworn in by the court reporter, please,

1 ma'am.

2 (The witness is sworn in.)

3 MS. KINLEY: Anyone else who is on the list for approval  
4 of licensure with background reports, please go  
5 ahead and have your government photo issued I.D.  
6 available for the court reporter before you come  
7 up.

8 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Madam Chairman, if I may get them lined  
9 up with their document.

10 MS. KINLEY: You may.

11 MS. KINLEY: (To Ms. Dingle) Do you have -- you don't  
12 have a driver's license? We need something to  
13 verify that you -- we need some sort of photo I.D.  
14 to verify you are Candid Dingle. I mean, we have  
15 no way of knowing anyone coming through the door.

16 MS. KINLEY: (To Ms. Cubitt) Doris, our policy has  
17 always been -- I mean, they have to -- it's a  
18 federal law that a court reporter can't swear  
19 someone in without identification, to know who they  
20 are.

21 COURT REPORTER: Does she have a copy of it within her  
22 packet? Copy of her license in her packet?

23 MS. KINLEY: She's supposed to -- okay. I need order at  
24 the table. She is supposed to bring with. To  
25 answer your question, though, Ciel, I'm not seeing

1 anything.

2 MS. WIDER: Did you not bring a license with you?

3 MS. KINLEY: Oh, I do see one now.

4 COURT REPORTER: She has other cards.

5 MS. KINLEY: We've never allowed that for acceptance  
6 before. Doesn't mean we can't. I'm just throwing  
7 that out to the board for a board determination,  
8 for a Dean Grigg determination, for a --

9 MR. GRIGG: Yeah, I can take a look at it.

10 COURT REPORTER: Here's a better one here, if y'all  
11 didn't get a better one.

12 MS. CUBITT: If you choose to rule on it based on what  
13 you can see here, you could require her to still  
14 bring it, so that we could verify the actual --

15 MS. KINLEY: I would advise you not to drive away from  
16 here today.

17 MS. DINGLE: No, I rode with --

18 MR. GRIGG: I think what Doris just said is a good way  
19 to do it. If y'all choose to approve it, you can.

20 MS. KINLEY: Advice counsel is saying that if we choose  
21 to accept this, that any determination we make  
22 would not be valid until she has produced this  
23 driver's license for verification.

24 MS. THOMPSON: And just going back to other things where  
25 we have approved, pending submission of any type

1 information, is it already preestablished as to who  
2 she would present that to? And then what the  
3 followup would be? Or is that something that we  
4 would also have to determine?

5 MR. GRIGG: She most likely would present it to Doris.  
6 But if y'all want her to present it to y'all, all  
7 you got to do is ask her to. I mean, whatever  
8 determination y'all feel is necessary.

9 MS. THOMPSON: So we would need -- there's not a preset  
10 policy, as far as we know. We would need to  
11 implement that today, if we so chose to do that --

12 MR. GRIGG: I'm not aware of one. Are you, Doris? If  
13 you all had delegated any kind of authority like  
14 that to the previous --

15 MS. KINLEY: We've never --

16 MR. GRIGG: -- administrator, then that would be for  
17 y'all to tell us. But it doesn't sound like  
18 anybody recalls that happening. So I would think  
19 y'all need to, at some point today, decide what  
20 y'all want to authorize Doris to receive on your  
21 behalf and not --

22 MS. THOMPSON: Legally, don't we need something that  
23 validates that the person that is here before us  
24 today, who actually is going to offer testimony,  
25 how will we cross-reference the person before us

1           today, that it is actually the person who submits  
2           identification to whomever down the road? How do  
3           we --

4 MR. GRIGG: I mean, she would have to come in and --

5 MS. THOMPSON: -- how are we going to know that this  
6           person is that person? I mean, who is going to be  
7           accountable for that, is my question.

8 MS. WEBB: Doris?

9 MS. THOMPSON: Does that make sense?

10 MR. GRIGG: Or y'all don't have to approve it. Y'all  
11           can wait till she can provide it and have her come  
12           back. That's your option.

13 MS. WEBB: Ma'am, let me ask you this --

14 MS. KINLEY: She can't hear you.

15 COURT REPORTER: Do you want it on the record?

16 MS. WEBB: Oh, I'm sorry. Do they know that they're  
17           supposed to bring in the I.D. with them?

18 MS. DINGLE: I have my letter. It didn't say that. I  
19           have the letter you guys sent me, if that helps.

20 MS. THOMPSON: Do you have anything with your name and  
21           picture on it on the same piece --

22 MS. DINGLE: I have my birth certificate and I have my  
23           Green Card. I have --

24 MS. THOMPSON: You don't have a Sam's Card? Or a --

25 MS. DINGLE: -- my Social Security card. No, I do not.

1 MS. THOMPSON: -- school I.D.? You have nothing that  
2 has your name and picture on it at the same time.

3 MS. DINGLE: Not right now. Not right now.

4 MR. GRIGG: Isn't her Social Security card --

5 MS. KINLEY: Yeah, but it's not a photo I.D.

6 MS. RODGERS: You don't carry your driver's license in  
7 your billfold?

8 MS. DINGLE: Honestly, I forgot it like right about now.

9 But I do have a copy of my birth certificate and my  
10 Social Security card and my bank card.

11 MS. BROWN: Anything with your picture on it?

12 MS. DINGLE: Nothing with a picture. I have my Medicaid  
13 card. Like I don't even know how I forgot my  
14 license, I mean, my I.D.

15 MR. GRIGG: I mean, this gets into a situation where  
16 it's clearly what satisfies y'all. If y'all aren't  
17 going to be satisfied until you get a photo I.D.,  
18 then --

19 MS. KINLEY: Well, and my thing is, it's always been my  
20 understanding it's a federal law that she can't  
21 swear in anybody's testimony without a valid,  
22 current photo I.D. That's --

23 MR. GRIGG: That would be for her --

24 COURT REPORTER: I am supposed to look at the driver's  
25 license or a state-issued I.D. to swear them in.

1           Because one time I was at a place where a guy  
2           wasn't who he said he was and didn't have his  
3           license, and he left.

4   MS. THOMPSON:  So based on that alone, unfortunately, I  
5           regretfully for Ms. Dingle, I mean I hate that  
6           we're going to have to do it this way, but I will  
7           make a motion that we deny at this time and  
8           reschedule this applicant, where she can provide us  
9           with a government-issued photo I.D.

10  MS. GILMER:  Do you live here?

11  MS. DINGLE:  I live in Charleston.

12  MS. GILMER:  Second.

13  MS. KINLEY:  I have a motion and a second on the table  
14           to deny Candid Dingle.  Is there any further  
15           discussion?

16                       (NO RESPONSE.)

17  MS. KINLEY:  Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
18           saying aye.

19  BOARD MEMBERS:  Aye.

20  MS. KINLEY:  Opposed?  Motion carries.  Ms. Dingle, we  
21           have to deny you today, but we will put you on the  
22           November agenda.  And just be sure when you do come  
23           back, you do have -- it's federal law that to be  
24           sworn in, you have to have that.  And we have  
25           always upheld that policy, as long as Ciel's been

1 with us. And I do apologize for the travel from  
2 Charleston, but that's just what we have to do  
3 today. So I hope you understand, and we will put  
4 you on the November agenda.

5 MS. DINGLE: So I jut wait for another letter?

6 MS. KINLEY: It's the second Monday in November.

7 MS. DINGLE: Okay.

8 MS. KINLEY: So you can go ahead and put it on your  
9 calendar now.

10 MS. DINGLE: So are we free to go now?

11 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am. Yes, ma'am.

12 MS. CUBITT: We will add that to the letter also.

13 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. I was going to make that  
14 suggestion.

15 COURT REPORTER: She can go to the highway department and  
16 get another one.

17 MS. KINLEY: If she had her birth certificate, she  
18 could. Can someone stop her?

19 MR. GRIGG: She does.

20 MS. KINLEY: Can some one stop her? Is she coming back?  
21 Ms. Dingle, Ciel just pointed out that since you  
22 have your birth certificate --

23 MS. DINGLE: It's a copy.

24 MS. KINLEY: -- you might want to just make a quick trip  
25 to the highway department here, the DMV, and get a

1 duplicate driver's license.

2 MS. DINGLE: I can do that like even though I'm --

3 MS. KINLEY: You're in South Carolina. As long as it's  
4 in South Carolina, you can go to any of them.

5 MS. DINGLE: I don't know Columbia. Where is the --

6 MS. KINLEY: Well, I don't either, so I'm not going to  
7 be of any help. So, Ms. Dingle --

8 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

9 MS. KINLEY: -- if you do that and come back before we  
10 adjourn today, we will hear your case.

11 MS. DINGLE: Okay.

12 MS. KINLEY: Okay?

13 MS. DINGLE: All right.

14 MS. KINLEY: And we'll be here most of the day.

15 MS. DINGLE: Thank you.

16 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Good idea, Ciel.

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18 MS. KINLEY: Jedediah Ford-Thompson.

19 MR. FORD-THOMPSON: Yes, ma'am.

20 MS. KINLEY: Okay. I think you probably know the  
21 procedure here, since Mr. Lochridge has been so  
22 kind to explain it.

23 (The witness is sworn in.)

24 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF JEDEDIAH FORD-THOMPSON

25 MS. KINLEY: Mr. Thompson, you go by Mr. Thompson? or

1 Mr. Ford-Thompson?

2 MR. THOMPSON: Mr. Thompson is fine, thank-you.

3 MS. KINLEY: Okay. Thank you. You're here today  
4 because you have a record that stretches back to  
5 2000, possession of stolen firearm. Could you  
6 explain your past criminal record to me? I will,  
7 for the record, note that the last arrest charge  
8 seems to be in 2001.

9 MR. THOMPSON: Yes, ma'am. The actual last arrest was  
10 July of 2000.

11 MS. KINLEY: Okay. That was the disposition.

12 MR. THOMPSON: The conviction didn't take place until  
13 2001. But it was backdated to July 14th, of 2000.

14 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

15 MR. THOMPSON: The arrest pursued from -- to be blunt, I  
16 -- I committed a felony act in the State of South  
17 Carolina. I did conspire and commit armed robbery  
18 at the age of 22. I acknowledge these were bad  
19 decisions at the time. I was living an inadequate  
20 lifestyle. I was making poor decisions. And I had  
21 no focus or goals for my life at the time. Since  
22 then, I've had plenty of time to think about my  
23 acts. I've moved on with my life and today I'm  
24 trying to make a future for myself and for my  
25 family.

1           My wife has been in the cosmetology industry  
2           now for 13 years. She was the one who actually  
3           motivated me into this profession. She wanted to  
4           create a husband and wife team, to create a family  
5           environment for a salon. She's very successful.  
6           She's been my motivation from day one. And my goal  
7           is to help her pursue her dream.

8   MS. KINLEY: Was this your only arrest? Or --

9   MR. THOMPSON: No. That was not --

10   MS. KINLEY: And if that's -- okay.

11   MR. THOMPSON: But there has not been an arrest since  
12           that one.

13   MS. KINLEY: Okay.

14   MS. THOMPSON: Are you currently on probation?

15   MR. THOMPSON: No, ma'am. I was -- after the initial  
16           sentence for the armed robbery and the pursuing  
17           charges, they kind of stacked up on top of each  
18           other, but it all comes from that one armed  
19           robbery. I was given a prison sentence, which I  
20           served in its entirety.

21   MS. KINLEY: How long was that?

22   MR. THOMPSON: The prison sentence was for ten years at  
23           85 percent, which equated to eight years and six  
24           months in the South Carolina Department of  
25           Corrections. During my time in Department of

1 Corrections, I did my utmost to be a model inmate.  
2 The prison system can be contacted. They'll tell  
3 you I served on the IRC committee for the prison  
4 for two years. And an additional six months as a  
5 special advisor to the IRC. I held many positions  
6 with inside the prison system. I put forth  
7 everything I had to change my outlook on life, to  
8 become a better person and help other people pursue  
9 their goals and their dreams. It was a life-  
10 changing experience.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Excuse me one second. Were you ever  
12 given probation? Or you've --

13 MR. THOMPSON: No, ma'am.

14 MS. THOMPSON: -- completed that phase?

15 MR. THOMPSON: South Carolina state law is that with any  
16 violent crime, you have two years of community  
17 supervision.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

19 MR. THOMPSON: I completed the two years of community  
20 supervision and was released after 18 months.

21 MS. WEBB: What year was that when the total release of  
22 everything, probation and everything.

23 MR. THOMPSON: The total release was officially December  
24 31st, 2010. They released me in August of 2010 due  
25 to completing everything that they had set up for

1 me to complete: My conduct, my adjustment back  
2 into the community. They did release me from  
3 supervision in August of 2010.

4 MS. KINLEY: Can I ask, who did you rob?

5 MR. THOMPSON: Blockbuster Video in Irmo.

6 MS. GILMER: Can you state any crimes that you committed  
7 in 2001 to date?

8 MR. THOMPSON: No, ma'am. The 2001 -- I was actually  
9 arrested in July of 2000 and wasn't convicted of  
10 the crime until 2001.

11 MS. GILMER: Okay.

12 MS. KINLEY: So you have completed your cosmetology  
13 education?

14 MR. THOMPSON: Yes, ma'am. I have a copy of the  
15 unofficial transcripts. I have --

16 MS. KINLEY: I think we have that.

17 MR. THOMPSON: -- completed school with a 3.75 grade  
18 point average, that was nine As and three Bs.

19 MS. KINLEY: And you went to Remington College.

20 MR. THOMPSON: Yes, ma'am.

21 MS. KINLEY: And have you sat for examination?

22 MR. THOMPSON: I have sat for the examination. I passed  
23 both my state board's examination, as of the 18th  
24 of July.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Mr. Thompson, what I would like to know

1 is, obviously, age has something to do with it.  
2 When this happened, you were a lot younger, and  
3 with age and maturity hopefully comes wisdom, so I  
4 understand that. But what do you feel like has  
5 changed in your life that will prevent this type  
6 behavior from repeating itself?

7 MR. THOMPSON: Actually, the most important thing that  
8 changed in my life, I have goals for myself now.  
9 There's -- I have a understanding of what I want  
10 and what it takes to get there. And it takes hard  
11 work and determination. And sometimes you have to  
12 suffer through trials and tribulations, but in the  
13 end, if you can keep your head up and you move  
14 forward, you can still achieve your dreams and  
15 goals.

16 MS. THOMPSON: And do you think that your time being  
17 incarcerated gave you that? Or do you think just  
18 age and wisdom and maturity gave you that?

19 MR. THOMPSON: I do believe that my time incarcerated --  
20 though the environment didn't help me, I believe it  
21 did force me to take a good look at my life and  
22 start getting feedback from people around me. It  
23 allowed -- it really allowed me to do a lot of  
24 self-examination. And that's what determined my  
25 goals for the future.

1 MS. THOMPSON: And when did you get married?

2 MR. THOMPSON: I got married May 1st of last year.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Of 2010.

4 MR. THOMPSON: 2010. My wife, Princess, we grew up  
5 together; I've always known her and she's always  
6 been a very close friend. And she's been a  
7 motivation since we reconnected two and a half  
8 years ago.

9 MS. KINLEY: In other words, she's going to keep you on  
10 a straight path.

11 MR. THOMPSON: We do it for each other.

12 MS. KINLEY: Good for you. Good for you.

13 MR. THOMPSON: It's a team effort.

14 MS. KINLEY: Is that your wife?

15 MS. FORD-THOMPSON: Yes.

16 MS. KINLEY: I thought so. Anymore questions for Mr.  
17 Thompson?

18 MS. WEBB: I do have one. In the IRC, what did you have  
19 to do?

20 MR. THOMPSON: The IRC's chief responsibility was to  
21 coordinate the inmate population. I was at  
22 Ridgeland Institution. We had a population of  
23 about 1269, with the staff members, which numbered  
24 roughly around 180. It was -- the IRC was mainly a  
25 buffer to make sure that when policy is instituted,

1           what was set into place by the institution, that  
2           it's communicated to the prisoners and the inmates,  
3           as well as when there's any grievances or issues  
4           that the general population has, that that can be  
5           presented to the authorities of the prison in a  
6           manner to which -- that both parties could come to  
7           terms. We were a bridge for communication.

8           And our -- our unofficial responsibility was  
9           mainly to keep trouble down. A lot of times I  
10          found myself, more often than not, going in,  
11          discussing with gang members how to keep their  
12          situations from exploding, trying to remind  
13          everybody that despite our backgrounds, we all  
14          found ourselves in a similar situation and that we  
15          need to be doing basically the same thing that I've  
16          tried to do with my life, is to move forward, away  
17          from your mistakes, to learn from them and not to  
18          continue to make the same mistakes over and over,  
19          which is sad that so many people did while  
20          incarcerated. It's like a revolving door.

21   MS. WEBB: Mediate.

22   MR. THOMPSON: Yes, ma'am.

23   MS. GILMER: Madam Chair.

24   MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am.

25   MS. GILMER: I'd like to make a motion to approve.

1 MS. BROWN: I second it.

2 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for approval  
3 of application or licensure for Jedediah Ford-  
4 Thompson. Is there any further discussion?

5 MS. THOMPSON: Yes, Madam Chair. I would like to  
6 respectfully request that Ms. Gilmer reconsider her  
7 motion and add a probationary status in there.  
8 Just with the magnitude of the crime that was  
9 committed, I would just feel a little better that  
10 there be some probation tacked onto that approval.

11 MS. GILMER: I would like to add to that three year's  
12 probation, with you providing a SLED report to this  
13 department yearly. And if we find out that  
14 something has happened within this session, we will  
15 revoke your license. At your expense, you have to  
16 give us a SLED report.

17 MS. RODGERS: Second.

18 MS. KINLEY: I have an amendment to the original motion  
19 to grant licensure for Mr. Thompson, with a  
20 probationary period of three years, with a clean  
21 SLED report submitted yearly at his expense; is  
22 that correct?

23 MS. GILMER: Yes.

24 MS. THOMPSON: I'll second the amendment.

25 MS. KINLEY: I think Cindy already did; didn't she?

1 MS. THOMPSON: Did she? I'm sorry. I'm sorry.

2 MS. GILMER: She did.

3 MS. KINLEY: Any further discussion?

4 (NO RESPONSE.)

5 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
6 saying aye.

7 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

8 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

9 MR. GRIGG: Mr. Thompson has a question, I think.

10 MS. KINLEY: Yes. Mr. Thompson, did you have a  
11 question?

12 MR. THOMPSON: I reconsidered it. Thank you.

13 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

14 MR. THOMPSON: It's just, I've suffered in the last two  
15 and a half years so much persecution because of the  
16 mistakes that I made, and I understand that. But  
17 it was my understanding that according to state  
18 law, that once I completed that prison sentence,  
19 that what that was was making -- not really making  
20 amends, but already receiving the punishment for my  
21 acts. And from that point on, it was more based  
22 upon what I did from the time I left prison and not  
23 what I did to get there. That was the whole point  
24 of my prison sentence originally was because I made  
25 those mistakes and to be punished for those

1 mistakes. And the biggest problem I've had since  
2 being released from prison is not doing the right  
3 thing, it's constantly being persecuted because of  
4 past mistakes. And it's like everyone's waiting  
5 for me to make another, and it just creates undo  
6 pressure.

7 MS. RODGERS: Let her explain how that works.

8 MS. THOMPSON: Just so that you understand, since I was  
9 the one who actually made that recommendation. I  
10 fully understand that you paid your debt to  
11 society, and I respect that, and you are not being  
12 punished by this. But it is the duty of this board  
13 to protect the health and safety of the public, the  
14 consumer and anyone that you may work with in your  
15 salon. And it is our responsibility just to  
16 mandate that that happens. And the only way that  
17 we have to that is to establish a probationary  
18 period that you will work under until such time  
19 that you can prove yourself in this industry.

20 So it's not as a punishment. It is  
21 enabling you to actually be able to work. Without  
22 this, there's a chance that your application would  
23 have been denied. So this is the opportunity for  
24 us to not persecute you, to enable you to go into  
25 this profession and prove yourself again as being

1 the citizen that you have become today, and then  
2 make everyone, including your wife, proud. So it's  
3 not to hinder you, but to help you.

4 MR. THOMPSON: Yes, ma'am.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. So there's no judgment, no bias,  
6 no attack on your character at all from any member  
7 of this board, okay?

8 MS. KINLEY: Dean had something he'd like to add to it.

9 MR. GRIGG: No. She covered it pretty much, Mr.  
10 Thompson. I was just -- I was going to basically  
11 explain that. But you are correct. But what  
12 you're talking about is a legal debt to society,  
13 based on a criminal event. That has been paid. As  
14 she said, nobody's persecuting you for that. It's  
15 simply, this board has an obligation to make sure  
16 that they're one, putting qualified people into  
17 their profession, and two, protecting the public in  
18 doing so. So that's all it is.

19 No one's trying to make this any harder on  
20 you. Nobody's trying to hold your past over your  
21 head. In fact, they're giving you a way to rise  
22 above that. They want to see you succeed, as much  
23 as you want to succeed.

24 MR. THOMPSON: Thank you.

25 MS. KINLEY: Absolutely. Absolutely.

1 MS. THOMPSON: So please don't look at that as a  
2 stumbling block, but as a stepping stool, stepping  
3 stone to get you where you need to be.

4 MR. GRIGG: You keep your nose clean and you submit  
5 these annual reports and there's nothing anybody  
6 has to worry about. You go on about your life.

7 MS. RODGERS: Nobody's going to be coming to you and  
8 talking to you, like a probation officer would be.

9 MR. GRIGG: No, it's not --

10 MS. RODGERS: No, you're just staying clear of all  
11 charges. And then if we see a clear report and  
12 nothing else was on it, that's all we have to have.

13 MR. THOMPSON:: Speeding ticket?

14 MS. KINLEY: No, no.

15 MR. GRIGG: One more thing. That's actually a very good  
16 point. There is a difference in probation, again,  
17 in the criminal setting and this is administrative  
18 law. I mean, what we're talking about here.

19 MS. RODGERS: It's not the same.

20 MR. THOMPSON: You have to understand that my past --

21 MR. GRIGG: And I understand.

22 MR. THOMPSON: -- 14 years have been racked up in the  
23 criminal system.

24 MR. GRIGG: I understand. But you don't have a  
25 probation officer, anybody you got to answer to.

1           It's just you submit this annual report and --

2   MS. KINLEY:   That's it.

3   MR. GRIGG:   -- we're not talking about speeding tickets  
4           or parking tickets.  But as long as there's  
5           nothing --

6   MR. THOMPSON:  You're talking about criminal offenses.

7   MS. KINLEY:   Exactly.

8   MR. GRIGG:   As long as there's nothing on there that  
9           would raise an eyebrow, you've got nothing to worry  
10          about.

11  MR. THOMPSON:  Okay.  Then --

12  MS. THOMPSON:  And we have full confidence.

13  MR. THOMPSON:  -- you definitely have nothing to worry  
14          about.

15  MS. THOMPSON:  Yeah.  We have nothing to worry about.  
16          We're to be your cheerleaders.  Go work hard.

17  MS. KINLEY:   Good luck to you.

18  MR. THOMPSON:  Just one more question.

19  MS. KINLEY:   Certainly.

20  MR. THOMPSON:  When and where do I submit the report?

21  MS. KINLEY:   You will submit that to the cosmetology  
22          administrator.

23  MS. CUBITT:   Once a year on average -- the date of you  
24          getting your license.  So if your license is issued  
25          in the month of September, in September of next

1 year. And each September, you'd send it to us.

2 MR. THOMPSON: Okay. Thank you.

3 MS. KINLEY: Good luck. Cindy, that was good to point  
4 out. We never have had that question brought up.  
5 And I think that when we said "probation," that's  
6 what he thought.

7 MS. RODGERS: That's what he was thinking. And I felt  
8 that's what he was thinking.

9 MS. KINLEY: I appreciate you bringing that to his  
10 attention because we know what we're talking about,  
11 but unfortunately sometimes we don't get that  
12 across to the public or the licensee.

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14 MS. KINLEY: Next on our list, Solomon Hill. I heard  
15 his name back there. Come forward, please, sir.  
16 I.D. and be sworn in by the court reporter, please.

17 (The witness is sworn in.)

18 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF SOLOMON HILL

19 MS. KINLEY: Mr. Hill, you're here before us today  
20 because you have a intensive arrest record. Could  
21 you please start in 2007 and explain this to this  
22 board, please, sir?

23 MR. HILL: Well, I was first -- I had my first two  
24 charges, my only two charges, in 2007. I got  
25 locked up on January 5th, and I was in Richland

1 County Detention Center till August of 2008, where  
2 I was convicted for my crime. And I stayed in the  
3 penitentiary until December of 2009, where I was  
4 released. In April 2010, I enrolled in Kenneth  
5 Shuler School of Cosmetology, and I completed this  
6 year in May.

7 MS. KINLEY: Tell me about the assault and battery with  
8 intent to kill.

9 MR. HILL: Well, I was with some guys --

10 MS. KINLEY: And armed robbery.

11 MR. HILL: I was with some guys, and I admit my part. I  
12 knowingly took place. But I -- afterward, I was  
13 with some guys and they -- they robbed somebody and  
14 somebody got shot. But I didn't have any weapons  
15 or I didn't saw anybody. And my solicitor has said  
16 that -- in one of your reports, I actually got  
17 caught with the hands of one, hands of all law.

18 COURT REPORTER: Can you say that one more time?

19 MR. HILL: I got charged with the hands of one, hands of  
20 all law because I was there.

21 But I do acknowledge my place of being there.

22 I was willing there, but --

23 MS. KINLEY: You robbed an individual? Not a business?

24 MR. HILL: It was a individual.

25 MS. KINLEY: And that individual was shot by someone --

1 MR. HILL: Else.

2 MS. KINLEY: -- that you were with.

3 MR. HILL: Yes, ma'am.

4 MS. KINLEY: Were they killed?

5 MR. HILL: No, ma'am.

6 MS. BROWN: Did you say you had no weapon?

7 MR. HILL: No, ma'am.

8 MS. KINLEY: I'm sorry, Selena --

9 MS. BROWN: I asked him if he had the weapon. He said

10 "no."

11 MS. KINLEY: So you served --

12 MR. HILL: I was given a five year sentence.

13 MS. KINLEY: -- the better part of three years then.

14 MR. HILL: Yes, ma'am. I was given a five year

15 sentence, and I did 36 months.

16 MS. THOMPSON: I'm sorry, you did 36? Is that what you

17 said?

18 MR. HILL: Thirty-five or thirty-six.

19 MS. THOMPSON: Thirty-five. And was there probation

20 after that for you?

21 MR. HILL: No, ma'am.

22 MS. THOMPSON: No. It was the same --

23 MR. HILL: I finished my sentence completely.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

25 MS. KINLEY: So you were released December of 2009. You

1           said you enrolled in Kenneth Shuler's school when?

2   MR. HILL:   In April of 2010.   But previous to my arrest,  
3           I was in barber school.   I was going to Harland  
4           Barber College, but I did not finish.   I had about  
5           200 hours.   And while I was there, I was just  
6           hanging around the wrong crowd, trying to fit in.  
7           But once I got locked up, I realized that what I  
8           wanted to do with my life.   Ever since I was 15, I  
9           wanted to just -- only thing I could think about  
10          doing was being in the hair care industry, and I  
11          did not get to finish.   So when I got home, I  
12          decided that's what I was going to do with my life.  
13          And I pursued that and I -- I excelled at it  
14          actually.   And I realized that this is what I  
15          needed to do for the rest of my life.

16   MS. KINLEY:   And have you tested?

17   MR. HILL:   Yes, ma'am.   I passed both of my state  
18          boards.

19   MS. KINLEY:   Anyone have any other questions for Mr.  
20          Hill?

21   MS. RODGERS:   Is there a time on here?   Maybe I'm  
22          missing it where you served time?

23   MS. KINLEY:   Yes, he served from the time he was  
24          arrested, January of '07, till December of '09.

25   MS. GILMER:   No probation, right?

1 MR. HILL: No ma'am and I have a letter of  
2 recommendation. Could I --

3 MS. THOMPSON: Yes, sir.

4 COURT REPORTER: Board members, we've got to let one  
5 person talk at a time, please.

6 MS. KINLEY: You're talking to women.

7 COURT REPORTER: I know. I'm just as bad.

8 MS. GILMER: Do you have a position lined up already?

9 MR. HILL: Yes, ma'am. I'll be working at a shop called  
10 Alexander Styling Center.

11 MS. KINLEY: Alexander Styling Center?

12 MR. HILL: Yes, ma'am. It's in Elloree, South Carolina.

13 MR. GRIGG: Mr. Hill, is this a copy that the board can  
14 keep? Or is this your copy? Do we need to make a  
15 copy? Is this your only copy?

16 MR. HILL: That's my only copy.

17 MR. GRIGG: All right. We'll make you a copy. Let them  
18 look at it. We'll make you a couple copies.

19 EXAMINATION CONTINUES:

20 MS. KINLEY: I do like seeing the fact that you're  
21 attendance rate was 96.45 percent. I actually am  
22 more impressed by attendance rate than GPA. That  
23 shows more of a commitment to me when you care  
24 enough to be at school the biggest majority, you  
25 know, close to 100 percent of the time that the

1 school is open and you're eligible to be there.

2 MR. HILL: That is because this is what I committed  
3 myself to. And I actually feel like this is my  
4 passion. I found a passion in it. I feel like  
5 when I came home, the career that I chose, I didn't  
6 want to choose a career that I would wake up and  
7 not want to go to work. This is a career where I  
8 actually -- it's always something new, always  
9 something different to do and I can show my  
10 creativity.

11 MS. KINLEY: I understand that a hundred percent. I  
12 think probably everyone in this room that is  
13 licensed loves getting up and going to work every  
14 day. And I hope that you're like I am anyway.  
15 I've been here 26 years and I still love walking  
16 into my salon every morning.

17 What's being passed around is a letter from  
18 Kenneth Shuler School from his instructor, speaking  
19 of his character, his attendance rate, his GPA and  
20 vouching for his --

21 MS. RODGERS: Attendance.

22 MS. KINLEY: -- character, yes. So just so y'all know,  
23 that's what's going around.

24 MS. BROWN: Now, you'll be working where?

25 MR. HILL: Alexander Styling Center.

1 MS. WEBB: Styling Center? Okay. Thank you.

2 MS. KINLEY: Ma'am, while they're looking at that, is  
3 there anything you'd like to say?

4 MS. HILL: I just want to -- I'm not sure what that is?  
5 But what he also didn't say is that --

6 COURT REPORTER: She needs to state her name for the  
7 record.

8 MS. HILL: I'm Fatina Hill. I'm Solomon's mom. But I  
9 brought for everyone to see that when we moved into  
10 a particular neighborhood, it was very easy for me  
11 to see that he was being targeted by gentlemen for  
12 a lifestyle that neither he lives or my family.  
13 And so what I did was, just in case you need it,  
14 from the moment I saw when he would walk out and  
15 they would break his nose and do everything, I saw  
16 "Well, this is not the typical bullying." So I  
17 sought help with Governor Hodges, Sheriff Leon  
18 Lott, Senator Pastor -- Pastor Jackson, Inez  
19 Tenenbaum, because it would carry on in school.

20 I had to eventually -- actually take him out  
21 of school and home-schooled him because of beatings  
22 and these kids going after him to entangle him,  
23 just kept pursuing. So I took him out and home-  
24 schooled. He went on for his GED. But I brought  
25 these letters that that lifestyle, that they tried

1 to entangle him was never his thought of being,  
2 it's not his character, it is not his family. We  
3 are not into that. And just in case you wanted to  
4 see, I sought everybody, NAACP, Governor Hodges,  
5 "Everybody listen, something is going on. These  
6 guys are coming after my son. They are trying to  
7 draw him in a lifestyle we don't -- we don't want  
8 to be into that." And we eventually moved out of  
9 that neighborhood.

10 MS. THOMPSON: It sounds like you did everything you  
11 could as a parent.

12 MS. KINLEY: As a mother.

13 MS. THOMPSON: And we commend you for that.

14 MS. HILL: I don't think it's anything worse than seeing  
15 that your child is being targeted and no one's  
16 listening.

17 MS. THOMPSON: Absolutely not.

18 MS. HILL: And no one's helping.

19 MS. THOMPSON: Everyone needs a voice.

20 MS. HILL: And so eventually, he's in this car.

21 Thankfully, Solicitor David Ross, who was actually  
22 supposed to be prosecuting him -- I didn't want him  
23 to take that charge. But he said, "Mom, you know,  
24 I've been in jail already 15 months. I'm not going  
25 to be here too much longer." Because I wanted him

1 to go to trial, so I could show them, no, wait a  
2 minute now. When they said he was running away,  
3 which the solicitor and everybody documented, he  
4 actually was doing that. Solicitor actually spoke  
5 on his half -- behalf. And -- but he chose to take  
6 that charge and --

7 MS. KINLEY: He manned up to it.

8 MS. HILL: He manned up to it. He just did not want to  
9 go before the court. He was like --

10 MS. KINLEY: I understand.

11 MS. HILL: -- put the solicitor -- and it's on record  
12 at the sentencing hearing, said he "Oh, man, he was  
13 -- he was running away." All the records, all the  
14 witnesses, everybody shows that. And I can only  
15 charge only charge him with hands of one, hands of  
16 all. And so that's on record. So it is his choice  
17 to have gone to jail.

18 EXAMINATION OF MR. HILL CONTINUES:

19 MS. KINLEY: And, Mr. Hill, without me exerting any  
20 effort over here, how old were you when this took  
21 place in January of '07?

22 MR. HILL: I was 18.

23 MS. KINLEY: You were 18 at that time.

24 MR. HILL: Yes, Ma'am.

25 MS. KINLEY: Okay. Thank you.

1 MR. HILL: I'm 23 now.

2 MS. KINLEY: I'm sorry?

3 MR. HILL: I'm 23 now.

4 MS. KINLEY: Does anyone have anything else for Mr.  
5 Hill?

6 (NO RESPONSE.)

7 MS. KINLEY: Does anyone want to make a motion?

8 MS. GILMER: Make a motion to approve.

9 MS. BROWN: Is she making a motion?

10 MS. KINLEY: She made a motion to approve.

11 MS. BROWN: I second it.

12 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second. Any  
13 discussion?

14 MS. THOMPSON: Again, I would respectfully request  
15 that we amend the motion, if Ms. Gilmer would  
16 consider --

17 MS. GILMER: Yes.

18 MS. THOMPSON: -- amending the motion with a  
19 probationary period.

20 MS. GILMER: Probationary period of approximately two  
21 years.

22 MS. THOMPSON: Do I have a second on that?

23 MS. RODGERS: Second.

24 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion with an amendment that has  
25 been seconded for approval of licensure for Solomon

1 Hill with a two year probationary status attached  
2 with a SLED --

3 MS. GILMER: Report.

4 MS. RODGERS: At his expense?

5 MS. GILMER: At his expense yearly.

6 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. With a SLED report being  
7 submitted at his expense on a yearly basis for two  
8 years. Any further discussion?

9 (NO RESPONSE.)

10 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all in favor signify by  
11 saying aye.

12 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

13 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Good luck to  
14 you, Mr. Hill. We do not want to see you fail; we  
15 want to see you succeed.

16 MR. HILL: Thank you very much.

17 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Good luck.

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19 MS. KINLEY: Laquadra Howze.

20 MR. LOCHRIDGE: She wasn't here earlier, Madam Chairman,  
21 and just now checked again.

22 MS. KINLEY: For the record, I couldn't read this.

23 MS. THOMPSON: I could not either.

24 MS. KINLEY: The copy. And I don't know if that was  
25 what she submitted. Now, obviously with the

1 glasses, obviously I'm blind as can be. But I had  
2 trouble reading what was submitted.

3 MS. THOMPSON: And, Doris, maybe you can help me with  
4 this. I understand that these packets come in and  
5 then staff has the task of making all the  
6 photocopies for all the board members. But at some  
7 point, I mean, I'm assuming that it was hard to  
8 read when the originals came in, which then will  
9 make it even harder to read as the copies are made.

10 MS. CUBITT: Yeah.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Which is pretty much pointless in us  
12 receiving this, because I couldn't read the  
13 information involved. So is there a way that we  
14 can kind of do a checkup system to make --

15 MS. CUBITT: We can.

16 MS. THOMPSON: -- And somewhere further back in the  
17 agenda, there's a photocopy where the size has been  
18 shrunk.

19 MS. KINLEY: Yeah.

20 MS. THOMPSON: I can't see it either, so --

21 MS. WEBB: And she's young.

22 MS. KINLEY: So back to Ms. Howze, H-O-W-Z-E.

23 MS. WEBB: I make a motion to deny.

24 MS. THOMPSON: And I'll second.

25 MS. KINLEY: Motion has been made and seconded, made by

1 Kathy, seconded by Melanie, for denial of Laquadra  
2 Howze. Is there any further discussion?

3 (NO RESPONSE.)

4 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
5 saying aye.

6 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

7 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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10 MS. KINLEY: Tiffany Lee. She was up front.

11 (The witness is sworn in.)

12 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF TIFFANY LEE

13 MS. KINLEY: Ms. Lee.

14 MS. LEE: Yes, ma'am.

15 MS. KINLEY: I'm going to fast-forward you to 2000. You  
16 have --

17 MS. THOMPSON: I can't read most of this. So I'm not --  
18 we have the benefit of the applicant being here, so  
19 that she can clarify the information.

20 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. Because I was just starting at the  
21 first page.

22 MS. THOMPSON: I can't read any of this, really.

23 MS. KINLEY: Again, yours is one of these that we're  
24 having trouble seeing. Obviously, I'm sure that's  
25 not your fault. You have an arrest record. Can

1           you tell me about your arrest charges starting in  
2           2000 with a disorderly conduct in '03, shoplifting  
3           and moving on through there?

4   MS. LEE:   Like what was charging -- you say 2000?

5   MS. KINLEY:  Yes, ma'am.  In 2000 you were -- in April  
6           of 2000, you were charged with disorderly conduct.

7   MS. LEE:  Yeah.  That happened in Greenville -- I was at  
8           Greenville in a club.  And my kids father was like  
9           harassing me, trying to take my battery out my car.  
10          And I was telling him to stop.  Well, the cops road  
11          by and they heard me fussing at him.  So they came  
12          -- it was like that; I was disturbing the peace by  
13          hollering and yelling at him.  Both of us end up  
14          going to jail because he told him not to arrest me.  
15          And I was like, "Well, don't arrest him.  I want  
16          somebody to go home with my kids."  We both got  
17          arrested for public disorderly conduct like yelling  
18          at each other.  And we got like time served because  
19          we stayed in jail for like a long time, like a --  
20          like more hours than we supposed to had, because a  
21          inmate was in there showing out.  So we went to  
22          court and they gave us, I think, time served, or  
23          something like that.

24   MS. KINLEY:  And in '03, we're going to go through some  
25          misdemeanors.  You had shoplifting, fraudulent

1 checks, shoplifting again in 2009.

2 MS. LEE: Okay, for the shoplifting, you say 2003

3 MS. KINLEY: You had one in 2003. You had a fraudulent  
4 check in '4 and shoplifting in '9.

5 MS. LEE: Okay. The fraudulent -- the shoplifting,  
6 think I was found guilty of that and I paid my --  
7 my fine. I'm not sure how much the fine was cause  
8 I don't have the paperwork with me. I sent it all  
9 in to y'all. And I was -- I had to pay a fine for  
10 that. For fraudulent check, I did not check the  
11 balance out my checkbook. I wrote a check out to  
12 Jing Jing's Chinese Food, not knowing that I didn't  
13 -- I didn't like write it out and balance out my  
14 checkbook. Therefore, I had a -- a bad check out.  
15 And I was arrested for it, and I paid all the money  
16 that I had to pay for the check to get cleared. It  
17 was a honest mistake.

18 MS. CUBITT: We're not showing a conviction on that.

19 MS. LEE: It was like twelve dollars and thirty-three  
20 cent.

21 MS. THOMPSON: Just for clarification, Madam Chair, on  
22 this SLED report, there are some notations made to  
23 the side, and the --

24 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

25 MS. THOMPSON: -- handwriting isn't typed. I would like

1 to know who actually made those notes.

2 MR. GRIGG: That's actually mine, and that shouldn't  
3 have -- y'all should have been handed a clean copy.  
4 So those are notes I was taking, looking at the --

5 MS. WEBB: Oh, okay.

6 MS. THOMPSON: And that's fine. I just wanted to verify  
7 whether or not it was -- so it's no problem.

8 MS. RODGERS: Could you read that, when it got to you  
9 then?

10 MR. GRIGG: The original copy I could, yes.

11 MS. RODGERS: Can I ask a question?

12 MS. KINLEY: Certainly. Cindy.

13 MS. RODGERS: In your shoplifting, what did you steal?

14 MS. LEE: What year was that?

15 MS. RODGERS: In '3 and '9.

16 MS. LEE: 2003, I think it's like a stroller or  
17 something. Like I had -- I put my baby in a  
18 stroller and rode around the store and me and my  
19 friend was shopping. And when I went out the door,  
20 a loss prevention lady was like, "We need to take  
21 you in," me and my friend; she went to jail as  
22 well, for the stroller that I had my baby in. I  
23 didn't -- I didn't intentionally steal the  
24 stroller. I just got tired of holding her, so I  
25 unfolded the stroller, put her in it. We were

1 shopping. We was in Wal-Mart for like a while.

2 And then I -- we end up going to jail.

3 MS. RODGERS: So it was a stroller.

4 MS. LEE: Yes.

5 MS. RODGERS: And in '09?

6 MS. LEE: '09. We was at -- we was like in a self

7 checkout scan. And my nephew, he was -- I think he

8 was 16 or 17, I asked him to scan the items. I ran

9 to the restroom, me and my oldest daughter. We can

10 back out of the restroom. He gave me my receipt

11 and my EBT card back. We were leaving out the

12 door, because he had my EBT card and my bank card.

13 He gave me my cards back.

14 And we were stopped. And she said that he

15 didn't scan all the items. So she was like, you

16 know, I'm going to get arrested because I'm his

17 guardian; I got custody of my nephew when he was

18 12. So she was like, I'm getting arrested for

19 shoplifting. And I was like "Really?" She's like,

20 "It's either you or him." And yeah, I had my kids

21 with me as well. So they were like -- DSS was

22 going to take custody of my kids and all kinds of

23 stuff. So I was like, "No, let my nephew take my

24 kids home and I'll go to jail for him." And I

25 think I paid a fine for that as well. I'm almost

1 positive I paid a fine of like \$470

2 MS. KINLEY: And I can't read it on the other page, but  
3 apparently, thanks to Dean, there was malicious  
4 injury and assault of high and aggravated nature.

5 MS. THOMPSON: That was dismissed.

6 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

7 MS. LEE: Yeah, all my charges was dismissed.

8 MS. THOMPSON: I'm just curious as to why I've heard you  
9 say twice that you were arrested and you made that  
10 choice for you to be the one that was arrested, so  
11 that the other party there would --

12 MS. LEE: I have four kids.

13 MS. THOMPSON: -- go home with your children --

14 MS. LEE: I'm sorry, I didn't include that.

15 MS. THOMPSON: No, no. No, I understand that you had  
16 children and I understand what mothers do on behalf  
17 of their children. But if the other two parties  
18 that were with you at both of these times, why  
19 would you opt to be arrested and not have them be  
20 arrested?

21 MS. LEE: The first one, my -- it was my kid's father.  
22 I was actually -- I was yelling at him when the  
23 cops rolled by. So I was yelling at him; he  
24 started yelling at me. When the cops came, they  
25 was questioning both of us. And they told him,

1 "We're going to arrest her." He was like, "No.  
2 Take me to jail. Let her go home." And I was  
3 like, "I'm -- I'm doing this. I'm committing this  
4 crime let me go to jail." Both of us end up going  
5 to jail, because he says some stuff to the cops,  
6 that he had no business saying -- so he went to  
7 jail as well.

8 MS. THOMPSON: And the second time with your nephew, how  
9 old was your nephew at the time?

10 MS. LEE: In 2009. He's 18 now. I want to say he was  
11 like --

12 MS. THOMPSON: Sixteen?

13 MS. LEE: -- 16 or 17, yeah. Now I have custody of him,  
14 full custody -- I've had custody of him since he  
15 was 12, along with my four kids.

16 MS. KINLEY: Does anyone have any other questions for  
17 Ms. Lee?

18 MS. BROWN: Ms. Lee, you've completed school?

19 MS. LEE: Yes, ma'am. I -- I went and got my GED and  
20 then I went to enroll in Kenneth Shuler, and I'm  
21 actually enroled in Spartanburg Community College  
22 as well.

23 MS. KINLEY: What are you enrolled in there?

24 MS. LEE: Business management.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Good for you. Good for you.

1 MS. WEBB: Its' a junior college?

2 MS. LEE: Yes. I'm going for two years.

3 MS. KINLEY: And you've already tested, licensure  
4 examinations?

5 MS. LEE: Yes. On my written, I made a 91, and on my --

6 MS. KINLEY: Practical.

7 MS. LEE: -- last, I made a 98. And I had like great  
8 attendance, even though I went through a lot of  
9 stuff. Like my car was stolen, I still managed to  
10 go to work --

11 MS. KINLEY: Bless your heart.

12 MS. LEE: Yeah. -- at Carowinds with my kids. So yeah.

13 MS. KINLEY: Anymore questions?

14 MS. BROWN: Make a motion to approve.

15 MS. KINLEY: Do I have a second?

16 MS. RODGERS: Second.

17 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for approval of  
18 licensure for Tiffany Lee. Any further discussion?  
19 Hearing none, all those in favor, signify by saying  
20 aye.

21 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

22 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Good luck, Ms.  
23 Lee. We wish you the best.

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25 MS. KINLEY: Hoang Nguyen. If you'll come forward,

1 please, sir. I have a feeling Mr. Lochridge has  
2 already told you what to do.

3 (The witness is sworn in.)

4 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF HOANG NGUYEN

5 MS. KINLEY: Mr. Nguyen, again, due to no fault of your  
6 own, this is pretty light, but I can read it, I  
7 think. And the one I'm concerned with is not the  
8 driving violations. It is in 2001, you were  
9 arrested, charged and convicted of lynching second  
10 degree. Can you talk to me about that?

11 MR. NGUYEN: I never knew I was charged for it because  
12 when I went to the police station, they say it was  
13 dropped and I never went to court or anything for  
14 it.

15 MS. KINLEY: It says you were convicted.

16 MS. THOMPSON: For five years.

17 MR. NGUYEN: No. The five years for back in -

18 MR. GRIGG: Lynching?

19 MS. THOMPSON: Uh-huh.

20 MR. GRIGG: It says --

21 MR. NGUYEN: --2004 --

22 MR. GRIGG: -- "non-conviction."

23 MR. NGUYEN: --it was --

24 MS. KINLEY: Oh, it says non-convict? It does say  
25 "non." I'm sorry.

1 MR. NGUYEN: -- for distribution of Ecstasy.

2 MS. KINLEY: Hold on one second.

3 MR. GRIGG: Hold on just a second, sir.

4 MS. KINLEY: It did say "non-conviction." I do  
5 apologize. Again, they need to replace the ink  
6 upstairs, and they haven't. And they forget that  
7 I'm blind.

8 MS. WEBB: Okay. Now, where is that on here?

9 MS. RODGERS: That was a non-conviction.

10 MS. KINLEY: It was the very first page.

11 MS. THOMPSON: That's the very first one.

12 MS. KINLEY: 2001. At the very bottom it says "non-  
13 conviction."

14 MS. THOMPSON: Now we're moving onto the next page.

15 MS. KINLEY: On the second page were some driving  
16 offenses that this office doesn't hold licensure --  
17 what am I trying to say? That's not something --

18 MR. GRIGG: We are concerned with.

19 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

20 MR. GRIGG: We're not concerned with.

21 MS. KINLEY: I don't want to say I'm not concerned, but  
22 we don't care.

23 MS. THOMPSON: It's not within our jurisdiction.

24 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. Over -- and I can't see the date on  
25 the traffic --

1 MR. GRIGG: October 16.

2 MS. KINLEY: Is it October? Of what year?

3 MR. GRIGG: 2004.

4 MS. KINLEY: Young eyes again, over here.

5 2004, we have -- God, I can't even read what

6 it is -- trafficking in --

7 MR. GRIGG: Trafficking Ecstasy.

8 MS. KINLEY: -- Ecstasy and manufacturing. Talk to me

9 about that one, please, sir.

10 MR. NGUYEN: I was arrested on October 2004 for

11 trafficking Ecstasy, and I was convicted on May

12 2005, on a five-year sentence. It was a non-

13 violent sentence, and so I was incarcerated for

14 almost a year and a half. Then they released --

15 released me on parole, due to good behavior August

16 2006. And then I served all that parole time

17 already.

18 MS. KINLEY: So you were convicted and sentenced to five

19 -- that says five, I'm just --

20 MR. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

21 MS. KINLEY: -- clarifying, for five years.

22 MR. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

23 MS. KINLEY: Released after approximately 18 months.

24 MR. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

25 MS. KINLEY: And again, you said that was October 2004.

1 Do we have anything since that time?

2 MR. NGUYEN: No, ma'am.

3 MS. KINLEY: No arrests? No convictions since --

4 MR. NGUYEN: No, ma'am.

5 MS. KINLEY: -- 2004.

6 Any questions from this board for Mr. Nguyen?

7 MS. BROWN: Mr. Nguyen, what are you doing now?

8 MR. NGUYEN: Currently I'm working in Charlotte, North  
9 Carolina. I'm a nail technician up there. But I  
10 live in Rock Hill, so it's a pretty far drive every  
11 day, but I still manage to do it. So my mother  
12 wants me to -- she wanted me to get a South  
13 Carolina license down -- down in South Carolina.

14 MS. RODGERS: Does your mother do nails?

15 MR. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

16 MS. RODGERS: What salon?

17 MR. NGUYEN: I forgot the name, but it's in Fort Mill,  
18 South Carolina.

19 MS. RODGERS: It's in Fort Mill

20 MR. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am. Oh yeah, the name of the shop  
21 is Pretty Girls.

22 MS. RODGERS: Pretty Girls.

23 MS. THOMPSON: And you forgot that name?

24 MS. KINLEY: Well, I think that's grounds right there.

25 MS. BROWN: May I ask, have you tested? Have you tested

1 for the exam?

2 MR. NGUYEN: For?

3 MS. BROWN: For the nail.

4 MR. NGUYEN: I did, I think back in 2000, I tested in --  
5 in Raleigh, North Carolina. So I got a North  
6 Carolina license, not -- not a South Carolina.

7 MS. BROWN: Okay.

8 MS. KINLEY: He is seeking endorsement into South  
9 Carolina --

10 MS. BROWN: Okay.

11 MS. KINLEY: -- and --

12 MS. THOMPSON: You said you attended school where again?  
13 I'm sorry.

14 MR. NGUYEN: At the Nails Academy, Charlotte, North  
15 Carolina.

16 MS. THOMPSON: Charlotte, okay.

17 MS. KINLEY: What you looking at?

18 MS. WEBB: Looking at the North Carolina - in 2001,  
19 he was re-licensed.

20 MS. KINLEY: Right.

21 (Talking off the record.)

22 COURT REPORTER: Girls you got to speak up if you want  
23 it on the record.

24 MS. WEBB: Madam Chair, I make a motion to approve.

25 MS. GILMER: Second.

1 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for approval  
2 of licensure for Hoang Nguyen. Is there any  
3 further discussion?

4 (NO RESPONSE.)

5 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
6 saying aye.

7 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

8 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Good luck, Mr.  
9 Nguyen. Thank you.

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11 MS. KINLEY: Ms. Dingle, I see you're back.

12 MS. DINGLE: Yeah. It was in a hole in my purse.

13 MS. BROWN: She said what?

14 MS. KINLEY: It was in a hole in her purse. I am so  
15 glad. Well, I'm very pleased you were able to come  
16 back.

17 (The witness is sworn in.)

18 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I'd like to make a motion at  
19 this time that we re-open the application process  
20 for Ms. Dingle, since there was a previous vote  
21 taken.

22 MS. KINLEY: And if I have a second?

23 MS. BROWN: Second.

24 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. I have a motion and a second to  
25 rescind our original decision with Ms. Dingle,

1 since she has been able to reappear. Any  
2 discussion? Hearing none, all those in favor  
3 signify by saying aye.

4 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

5 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Thank you. Just  
6 for the record, we needed to get that back up for  
7 you.

8 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF CANDID DINGLE

9 MS. KINLEY: Okay. Ms. Dingle, we have conviction. Let  
10 me find it; hold on. In 2008, you have as felony  
11 offenses, financial identity fraud and credit card  
12 theft. Were there any convictions in that? That  
13 was in 2008.

14 MS. DINGLE: As in like am I a felon? (Phonetically)

15 MS. KINLEY: Well, were you convicted of those charges.

16 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

17 MS. KINLEY: Well, can you talk to me about them?

18 MS. DINGLE: Yes. I got a hold of some cards and I used  
19 them, which linked me to stolen identity fraud on  
20 card transactions on all of that and, that was my  
21 first and my last offense ever. And now I'm trying  
22 to get my license so I can become a working member  
23 of society again.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Were you working when you obtained these  
25 fraudulent documents?

1 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

2 MS. THOMPSON: So tell me, were they friends of yours?  
3 Were they family members? Whose cards did you gain  
4 access to?

5 MS. DINGLE: I got them through a friend, and I just  
6 used them.

7 MS. THOMPSON: So a friend provided you stolen credit  
8 cards and then you used them.

9 MS. DINGLE: Uh-huh.

10 MS. THOMPSON: Were there charges brought against the  
11 friend --

12 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Were there charges brought against the --

14 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

15 MS. THOMPSON: -- the friend who provided the cards to  
16 you?

17 MS. DINGLE: No.

18 MS. THOMPSON: No. So you were arrested and convicted  
19 for stolen property, but the person who supplied  
20 you with the stolen property has never been  
21 charged.

22 MS. DINGLE: No.

23 MS. KINLEY: You were sentenced to five years, suspended  
24 to five years probation; is that correct?

25 MS. DINGLE: Uh-huh.

1 MS. KINLEY: Are you still on --

2 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

3 MS. KINLEY: Are you still on probation?

4 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Are you still friends with the person who  
6 provided you the stolen --

7 MS. DINGLE: No.

8 MS. THOMPSON: -- cards?

9 MS. RODGERS: That's a good thing.

10 MS. GILMER: When does your probation end, ma'am?

11 MS. DINGLE: When my payments are in full.

12 MS. KINLEY: And how much was that?

13 MS. DINGLE: It was roughly 3500, and I still owe  
14 twenty-eight.

15 MS. KINLEY: So you started making restitution for that,  
16 I'm assuming, in 2009?

17 MS. DINGLE: Correct.

18 MS. KINLEY: So you've paid less than a thousand of it  
19 back in two and a half years. So I'm figuring  
20 you're going to have at least another two and a  
21 half years before that's -- I'm just stating it for  
22 my records.

23 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

24 MS. KINLEY: Probably two and a half, three years  
25 probably before that's paid off.

1 MS. THOMPSON: Ms. Dingle, can you tell us anything that  
2 will give us the assurance that in this industry  
3 where there are credit card transactions taking  
4 place many times throughout the day possibly, that  
5 you aren't going to be tempted to obtain someone's  
6 credit card number and use it again?

7 MS. DINGLE: That was my first crime, my last crime.  
8 There's been credit cards in purses laying around  
9 on a daily basis and at the grocery store and at  
10 your friend's house, at your family member's house.  
11 I have no intent on going back to jail or putting  
12 my kids in jeopardy of going to stay with someone  
13 else. Obviously, I don't have a job and I don't  
14 have a lot of money. And if I wanted to be a  
15 criminal, I would have done so by now. I probably  
16 would have been back in jail, but I have no intent  
17 on stealing or going to jail. I just want my  
18 license, so I can provided for my kids and do what  
19 needed to be done.

20 MS. KINLEY: Do you have a job lined up?

21 MS. DINGLE: I have a salon who's willing to  
22 let me come in, yes.

23 MS. KINLEY: And you've already tested? Have you  
24 already taken your examinations?

25 MS. DINGLE: I've done all that.

1 MS. KINLEY: You have. And successfully passed?

2 MS. DINGLE: Yes.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Have you been employed somewhere in these  
4 last two and a half years while you've been paying  
5 restitution for your crime?

6 MS. DINGLE: I was employed at one part-time job,  
7 cleaning up at banks at night. It's called BY  
8 Group of North Carolina. And that's about the only  
9 job I've really had.

10 MS. WEBB: Madam Chair, with a probation already in  
11 place --

12 MS. KINLEY: Yeah, that's criminal.

13 MS. WEBB: Yes. How does that --

14 MS. KINLEY: It doesn't have any relevance on ours.

15 MS. WEBB: Any relevance at all? Or relevant.

16 MS. KINLEY: Relevance. No relevance to that at all.  
17 We can or cannot, whatever we decide.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Right. If we decide to do a probationary  
19 period, we can run it concurrent with the criminal  
20 probation, were we so to deem necessary. But it  
21 doesn't necessarily have to.

22 MS. KINLEY: For the record, her probation lasts until  
23 she's paid back the remaining \$2800. I guessed it  
24 to be two and a half to three years. It could  
25 be five years; it could be a year, you know,

1           depending --

2   MS. RODGERS:   Which is a criminal probation.

3   MS. KINLEY:    Yeah.  But I mean the discussion was a  
4           concurrent probation --

5   MS. RODGERS:   In line with --

6   MS. KINLEY:    It would -- yeah.  Uh-huh.

7   MS. BROWN:     But wouldn't her probation, the criminal  
8           probation, still cover if she should not --

9   MS. KINLEY:    That wouldn't have anything to do with her  
10           licensure.  There would need to be a separation  
11           probation placed, if that's what the board  
12           determines.  And I'm not trying to lead anyone down  
13           a path.  I'm just telling everybody that if a  
14           probation was put in place, it is totally separate  
15           from her criminal probation.  That has nothing to  
16           do with her licensure.  That has to do with -- this  
17           probation would link directly to her licensure.  
18           Her criminal probation has nothing to do with her  
19           licensure.

20   MS. BROWN:    I make a motion that we approve her with a  
21           probation to run in concurrent with what her other  
22           probation is.

23   MS. GILMER:    Second.

24   MS. BROWN:    Second.

25   MS. DINGLE:     So does that mean when I --

1 MS. KINLEY: Hold on one second.

2 MS. DINGLE: Oh, okay.

3 MS. KINLEY: There has not been a determination. Once  
4 there is, I will -- did I have a second?

5 MS. GILMER: Yes, you did.

6 MS. KINLEY: Okay. I have a motion and a second. The  
7 motion and the second was in regards to approving  
8 licensure with a probation within this agency to  
9 run concurrently with her criminal probation.

10 MS. THOMPSON: And my comment was that we -- since there  
11 was not a specified time --

12 MS. KINLEY: Time line.

13 MS. THOMPSON: -- with her criminal probation -- it was  
14 upon payment of her restitution -- that we would  
15 probably need to implement a specific guideline  
16 time frame.

17 MS. KINLEY: Or that she would just have to submit to  
18 this agency when she has satisfied her criminal  
19 probation, so that we could release the --

20 MS. THOMPSON: I think --

21 MS. KINLEY: -- LLR probation.

22 MS. THOMPSON: -- in my opinion, that leaves too many  
23 things lose and unkept.

24 MS. BROWN: You said two years, approximately.

25 MS. KINLEY: Yeah.

1 MS. BROWN: You're saying that, but --

2 MS. KINLEY: And that's fine. We need clarification on  
3 what the motion is.

4 MS. BROWN: All right. My motion is that we --

5 MS. KINLEY: Do you want to amend your motion.

6 MS. BROWN: -- amend the present motion that's on the  
7 table. And I recommend that we approve it, based  
8 upon a probationary period of two years.

9 MS. THOMPSON: I'll second the amendment.

10 MS. BROWN: With her, you know, --

11 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for an  
12 amendment to the original motion, that would allow  
13 licensure for Ms. Dingle, with a two-year  
14 probationary status. Do we want a clean SLED  
15 report submitted at her expense?

16 MS. BROWN: Yes.

17 MS. KINLEY: Okay. Discussion? Yes, ma'am.

18 MS. GILMER: Is this two years after she has  
19 completed --

20 MS. KINLEY: No, ma'am. It starts immediately.

21 MS. GILMER: Okay. This start -- but suppose her other  
22 probationary period rides over because she doesn't  
23 pay? So that's just --

24 MS. KINLEY: The motion that is put out there is  
25 irrelevant to that. It's saying a two-year



1 marijuana in my bra pulled over on 85 and they

2 locked me up. I have two misdemeanors.

3 MS. THOMPSON: I'm sorry. You had marijuana and

4 something about 85. What did you say? I'm sorry.

5 MS. MARTIN:: I was on 85 and --

6 MS. KINLEY: I-85.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Oh, I-85, okay.

8 MS. KINLEY: Those of us that travel 85 all the time

9 know what she meant.

10 MS. BROWN: That was in 2008?

11 MS. KINLEY: That was in 2008 and 2006. Anything other

12 than traffic or vehicle violations since then?

13 MS. MARTIN: No, ma'am.

14 MS. KINLEY: You were convicted and served 30 days; is

15 that correct --

16 MS. MARTIN: No, ma'am.

17 MS. KINLEY: -- for the -- excuse me?

18 MS. MARTIN: No, ma'am. I didn't serve 30 days.

19 MS. KINLEY: Oh, \$565?

20 MS. MARTIN: Yes, ma'am.

21 MS. KINLEY: Do I need to worry about this happening

22 again?

23 MS. MARTIN: No, ma'am.

24 MS. KINLEY: Tell me why.

25 MS. MARTIN: Because I has changed and that's in the

1 past and I been in the past.

2 MS. KINLEY: You've been --

3 MS. THOMPSON: What changed? I'm sorry. What changed?

4 MS. MARTIN: I don't smoke anymore. I don't carry  
5 drugs on me anymore.

6 MS. THOMPSON: Since when?

7 MS. MARTIN: Since '08.

8 MS. RODGERS: What changed you? What changed you?

9 MS. MARTIN: I have kids now and I go -- I went to  
10 school at Virginia College.

11 MS. RODGERS: Your kids changed you?

12 MS. MARTIN: Yes, ma'am.

13 MS. BROWN: Do you have a job?

14 MS. MARTIN: No, ma'am. I have one lined up, but she  
15 will not let me work in her salon until I get my  
16 license.

17 MS. THOMPSON: Good for her.

18 MS. KINLEY: And you've taken and successfully passed  
19 the examinations?

20 MS. MARTIN: Yes, ma'am. I passed my practical with a  
21 98 and my written with a 90.

22 MS. BROWN: That's good.

23 MS. WEBB: Madam Chair, I make a motion to approve.

24 MS. BROWN: I second.

25 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for approval of

1 licensure for Cassandra Martin. Any further  
2 discussion?

3 (NO RESPONSE.)

4 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
5 saying aye.

6 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

7 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Thank you, Ms.  
8 Martin. Good luck.

9 MS. MARTIN: Thank you.

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11 MS. KINLEY: Lamika Patterson.

12 (The witness is sworn in.)

13 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF LAMIKA PATTERSON

14 MS. KINLEY: Ms. Patterson, thank you for coming today.  
15 In 2007, you were arrested and convicted for  
16 malicious injury to property. In 2008, arrested  
17 and convicted for burglary second degree. Can you  
18 tell us about these offenses, please, ma'am?

19 MS. PATTERSON: For malicious intent, I came home and  
20 found someone, my neighbor, in the bed with my  
21 husband, and I did behave in a irrational manner.  
22 And there was some damage to personal properties  
23 and persons.

24 MS. KINLEY: No doubt. Kind of get it. I mean, didn't  
25 know that was a criminal offense. Was he arrested?

1 MS. PATTERSON: No. They were both on the other side of  
2 the courtroom. Like the judge was like "You see  
3 this?" And he was like -- he sent -- he end up  
4 sending me home.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Say what?

6 MS. BROWN: It was dismissed?

7 MS. PATTERSON: It wasn't dismissed. I paid restitution  
8 for the damages to the property. But's that's all  
9 that happened.

10 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, when you ask about him being  
11 arrested, were you talking about at the actual day  
12 that this event occurred?

13 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

14 MS. THOMPSON: Because she said something about across  
15 the court, and that's why --

16 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. And the burglary?

17 MS. PATTERSON: The burglary, I have a -- well, I  
18 had a cleaning company in Hilton Head and \$172 -- a  
19 client was supposed to pay \$125. Whatever she left  
20 was \$172, so the girl took it. She thought that it  
21 was payment. So it was a little bit over. When  
22 she asked me to reimburse the whole payment, I  
23 refused. So she was irrate; she decided to press  
24 criminal charges. I was the one that was  
25 responsible for it. I didn't want to -- I wasn't

1           trying to accept a burglary charge. I thought that  
2           was just crazy for a hundred and seventy-something  
3           dollars. So they let me sit in jail, and I still  
4           have refused those charges. And then they came  
5           like five months later and was like, "We'll let you  
6           out today if you give her back her 172," so I did.

7   MS. KINLEY: Anything that I need to know about since  
8           2008?

9   MS. PATTERSON: Nothing.

10   MS. KINLEY: Anything that's going to put the public in  
11           jeopardy if this board licensed you?

12   MS. PATTERSON: No. I've never been in trouble since  
13           that last time.

14   MS. THOMPSON: Could I just -- a point of clarity.

15   MS. KINLEY: Certainly.

16   MS. THOMPSON: And I may have missed something. But you  
17           said that you were arrested because the client of  
18           the cleaning company said that you owed her the  
19           money. You said you were not going to accept the  
20           burglary charge, so you sat in jail. They wanted  
21           you to pay back the full \$172. So after five  
22           months, you decided to go ahead and pay the \$172?

23   MS. PATTERSON: They didn't offer me the option to pay.  
24           They didn't -- when they offered burglary, what  
25           they offer you is five to eight years.

1 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. So they didn't offer you in the  
2 beginning the option to pay the money back. Okay.  
3 That's the part I missed. Thank you.

4 MS. KINLEY: So you stayed in jail for five months?

5 MS. PATTERSON: Yes.

6 MS. RODGERS: For \$172.

7 MS. PATTERSON: Well, it was for not wanting to accept  
8 the burglary charge. They put that on my record.  
9 So now that's a conviction.

10 MS. RODGERS: But she owed you \$125 for cleaning  
11 services --

12 MS. PATTERSON: Right.

13 MS. RODGERS: -- is that right?

14 MS. PATTERSON: Right.

15 MS. RODGERS: So the difference was a tip to the girl?  
16 Or that's what she thought?

17 MS. KINLEY: Or she thought.

18 MS. PATTERSON: Yeah. It was a -- it was a issue in the  
19 difference, which I would have reimbursed the  
20 difference. But she owed us -- she rightfully owed  
21 us the \$125.

22 MS. RODGERS: Okay.

23 MS. KINLEY: Anymore questions for Ms. Patterson?

24 MS. WEBB: Madam Chair, I make a motion to approve.

25 MS. RODGERS: I second.

1 MS. KINLEY: Motion and a second for approval for  
2 licensure for Lamika Patterson. Is there any  
3 further discussion?

4 (NO RESPONSE.)

5 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
6 saying aye.

7 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

8 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Good luck.

9 MS. PATTERSON: Thank you.

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11 MS. KINLEY: Mandy Romero.

12 (The witness is sworn in.)

13 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF MANDY ROMERO

14 MS. KINLEY: Thank you for coming today, Ms. Romero.

15 MS. ROMERO: Yes, ma'am.

16 MS. KINLEY: We have on your record --

17 MS. ROMERO: I have a dual license, an aesthetics  
18 license, which I've had for six years. And when I  
19 sent in all of my renewal stuff, it went through  
20 fine. It was when I went to sit for -- I got my  
21 aesthetics license renewed and sent through the  
22 mail. It was when I went to sit for the nail tech  
23 license that I got the letter to --

24 MS. KINLEY: Well, I mean, we do ask the question, and  
25 you did have a record.

1 MS. ROMERO: Yes, ma'am.

2 MS. KINLEY: And you did absolutely the right thing.

3 And we've had some changes here so maybe they  
4 didn't know. Driving issues are one of those that  
5 we've instructed staff to go ahead and approve for  
6 licensure.

7 MS. ROMERO: There was a -- there was the DUI. And then  
8 just a couple of months after that was the  
9 misdemeanor of public disorderly conduct, which was  
10 also related -- an alcohol-related event.

11 MS. KINLEY: So just talk to me about that one, public  
12 disorderly conduct.

13 MS. ROMERO: I was in a bad relationship for a couple of  
14 years with the DUI and with -- those were really  
15 back-to-back, very close together. It was just an  
16 argument that occurred and we were arrested. There  
17 were -- that was just a bad relationship. I don't  
18 blame it on -- I accept responsibility because I  
19 stayed in it for a couple years.

20 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

21 MS. WEBB: Were you at home? Or is this public?

22 MS. ROMERO: We were out in public. Yes, it was  
23 Valentine's Day and we went to -- to jail on  
24 Valentine's Day.

25 MS. RODGERS: You're not with this fellow anymore.

1 MS. ROMERO: No, ma'am. I married a very good man.

2 MS. KINLEY: Anymore questions for Ms. Romero?

3 MS. THOMPSON: Make a motion to approve.

4 MS. RODGERS: Second.

5 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for approval of  
6 licensure for Ms. Romero. Are there any -- is  
7 there any further discussion?

8 (NO RESPONSE.)

9 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
10 saying aye.

11 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

12 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Thank you.

13 MS. ROMERO: Thank you.

14 MS. KINLEY: Good luck.

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16 MS. KINLEY: Crystal Smith.

17 COURT REPORTER: Her name on our paperwork says Crystal  
18 Smith. Her license says Crystal Collette Maxwell.  
19 Just wanted to bring it to the board's attention.  
20 I'll go ahead and swear you in while they decide  
21 what they're going to do.

22 (The witness is sworn in.)

23 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, just a point of

24 clarification that may prohibit us from going

25 forward. The affidavit is incomplete. I have it

1 in my notes, but I'm trying to get to it the actual  
2 packet.

3 MS. KINLEY: Ciel.

4 COURT REPORTER: Ma'am.

5 MS. KINLEY: On that driver's license that you just saw  
6 too, because the one I have says Crystal Smith.  
7 What is it dated?

8 COURT REPORTER: It says Crystal Collette Maxwell. And  
9 it is dated 1/12/2006, expires 3/24/2016.

10 MS. KINLEY: The one I've got expires that same day, but  
11 it has -

12 MS. THOMPSON: Can we see that, to compare, please?

13 MS. KINLEY: Are you Crystal?

14 MS. SMITH: Yeah.

15 MS. KINLEY: What is your name?

16 MS. SMITH: I got married. It's Maxwell now.

17 MS. KINLEY: When did you get married?

18 MS. SMITH: Last year. I lost my license. So when I  
19 lost my license, I had to go to the DMV.

20 MS. KINLEY: Driver's license.

21 MS. SMITH: Yes. So, you know, they ask you whatever  
22 and I had to take my marriage license -- I mean, my  
23 marriage certificate, and that's --

24 COURT REPORTER: She's got it. Somebody's got it.

25 MS. KINLEY: I know. I'm just --

1 MS. THOMPSON: But this says issued the same day.

2 MS. KINLEY: And her application --

3 MS. THOMPSON: Issued January 12th, 2006; issued January  
4 12th, 2006.

5 COURT REPORTER: You know, I just got mine --

6 MS. SMITH: Well, I got it renewed.

7 COURT REPORTER: -- and it had that original date on  
8 mine.

9 MS. THOMPSON: So it's the original issuance date --

10 COURT REPORTER: Yes.

11 MS. THOMPSON: -- on all of them?

12 MS. SMITH: Yes.

13 MS. THOMPSON: No matter if you go and get a --

14 COURT REPORTER: And mine expires in one year.

15 MS. THOMPSON: Why?

16 (Talking off the record.)

17 MS. CUBITT: Did you recently change your name?

18 MS. SMITH: Yes ma'am. It was last year.

19 MS. CUBITT: Well if it was last year, why would you  
20 file this application -- does it have the old  
21 license on it?

22 MS. SMITH: That was the license that I had. I got  
23 married last year.

24 MS. CUBITT: You filed the application more than a year  
25 ago?

1 MS. SMITH: Yes, Ma'am. I just took my test -- I  
2 finished school last year. I took my test this  
3 year. And they had all of the information that  
4 they said when I took my test. They had all the  
5 information that they needed when I took my test.

6 MS. RODGERS: So if this is up-to-date and you sent this  
7 in, why did this come in as Smith and this as a  
8 different name?

9 MS. SMITH: When I filled out my initial paperwork, when  
10 I was at Charleston Cosmetology, that's --

11 MS. KINLEY: Hold on a minute. She said you hadn't been  
12 sworn in; is that right?

13 MS. THOMPSON: We actually can't at this point.

14 MR. GRIGG: I thought she had.

15 COURT REPORTER: I swore her in while y'all were having  
16 your discussion.

17 MR. GRIGG: Yeah, I thought she had, yeah.

18 MS. RODGERS: Go ahead. I'm sorry.

19 MS. KINLEY: Okay. We've got several issues here.  
20 She's on the agenda due to the fact that she had a  
21 SLED report. But backing up from there, we have  
22 several other issues. And one, we require that  
23 their identification has to be the same on their  
24 application. You know, we require a marriage  
25 license, divorce decree, birth certificate,

1 something, to verify. They all have to match.

2 And then we have some -- excuse me, I'm going  
3 to let you pass this down -- affidavit issues that  
4 need to be dealt with before we even get to the  
5 SLED report.

6 MS. RODGERS: That's what I was asking her about, why  
7 her name was one thing, and here another. If she  
8 had just went and got a new license, it should have  
9 been corrected on here.

10 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, based on the problems with  
11 the application, the missing documentation of name  
12 change, unfortunately, we are not going to be able  
13 to proceed with this, so I'm going to make a motion  
14 that we deny at this time and give the applicant  
15 the opportunity to gather the additional  
16 information needed.

17 MS. GILMER: Second.

18 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second to deny Crystal  
19 Smith. Is there any further discussion?

20 (NO RESPONSE.)

21 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
22 saying aye.

23 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

24 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Smith, we're  
25 going to have to ask that you come back.

1 Everything has to match. We can't have an  
2 application with one name and identification with  
3 another name submitted. They have to match. All  
4 you have to do is bring forward a marriage  
5 certificate, marriage license, divorce decree,  
6 whatever it is that changed the name. They have to  
7 match. That's just the plain and simple truth of  
8 it.

9 MS. SMITH: I understand that. This is -- when I took  
10 my test, when they sent you the -- when they sent  
11 me this information to take my test, I called them  
12 and I told them that my identification has Maxwell  
13 on it. They told me as long as I brought my Social  
14 Security card and the -- a bank card that has my  
15 previous name on it, that's how I took the test,  
16 and --

17 MS. KINLEY: But what you submitted here is a driver's  
18 license that shows the name that's on your  
19 application, and what you handed in here -- even if  
20 you were already licensed, you have to notify this  
21 board if your name changes, because your legal --  
22 you are no longer legally that person. You have to  
23 show us who you legally are.

24 Plus, there were -- the affidavit was  
25 incomplete, so you need to --

1 MS. SMITH: Meaning?

2 MS. THOMPSON: The printed part --

3 MS. KINLEY: The part that's -- Melanie will show you.  
4 She's got it underlined.

5 MS. THOMPSON: It's Page 2 on the affidavit. Where you  
6 signed, you also have to print your name, as it's  
7 stated on the documentation that you provide,  
8 telling us who you are. So you just have to print  
9 your name there.

10 MS. KINLEY: So we had a motion. We've already placed a  
11 vote. So when you get those things corrected, then  
12 we can put you on the November agenda to come back  
13 for the SLED report. I'm sorry, but that's -- I'm  
14 sorry. Thank you.

15 MS. SMITH: That's fine.

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17 MS. WEBB: I make a motion for a 30 minute recess.

18 MS. GILMER: Second.

19 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for a 30 minute  
20 recess. All those in favor, signify by saying aye.

21 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

22 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Everyone, we're  
23 going to do a 30 minute break. I know this is  
24 unusual for us, but if y'all want to run get  
25 something to eat and come back in 30 minutes. It

1 is 1:30 now; we will reconvene at two o'clock.

2 (Off the record.)

3 MS. KINLEY: Call this meeting back to order. Moving  
4 along on our agenda, we have approval of work  
5 experience for substitution of missing hours.  
6 Desiree Stookey. If you too would show your  
7 identification and be sworn in.

8 (The witness is sworn in.)

9 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF DESIREE M. STOOKEY

10 MS. KINLEY: You are seeking endorsement -- well, you're  
11 coming from Florida .

12 MS. STOOKEY: Uh-huh.

13 MS. KINLEY: And you have as a licensed cosmetologist.

14 MS. STOOKEY: Yes, ma'am.

15 MS. KINLEY: With less hours than what South Carolina  
16 requires.

17 MS. STOOKEY: Yes, ma'am.

18 MS. KINLEY: Plus they are not an NIC examination  
19 licensure state? And just to speed this along, how  
20 many hours does Florida require?

21 MS. STOOKEY: A thousand.

22 MS. KINLEY: Thousand. And we require 1500. You got  
23 licensed in Florida in --

24 MS. STOOKEY: 2006.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, just a point of clarity, it

1           says on this paperwork from Florida that 1200 hours  
2           of schooling was completed.

3                           (Discussion off the record.)

4 MS. THOMPSON: Ms. Thompson just pointed out to me that  
5           this says you took 1200 hours.

6 MS. STOOKEY: I mean, it's been a while. I don't  
7           remember --

8 MS. THOMPSON: But I thought it was a thousand hours  
9           also. So that's why I didn't question it when you  
10          said a thousand. I know most of the states and  
11          their requirements. You also have submitted an  
12          affidavit that is notarized from a payroll and  
13          benefits representative for --

14 MS. STOOKEY: That's just proof of employment.

15 MS. KINLEY: Yes. From November 2007 through April  
16          2009 as a full-time stylist.

17 MS. STOOKEY: Yes, ma'am.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Ms. Stookey, according to this, it says  
19          your initial license was issued on September 6th of  
20          2006. But your record of employment starts  
21          November 23rd of 2007. What did you do for almost  
22          that year that --

23 MS. STOOKEY: I actually have more employment, but I  
24          didn't want to have to get every single -- because  
25          I knew that would take a long time. And actually

1           just at the one place that was the longest place  
2           I'd worked, and that the hours exceeded the  
3           requirement, so I thought one would be sufficient.

4           But I do have previous --

5   MS. THOMPSON:   So --

6   MS. STOOKEY:   -- experience too.

7   MS. THOMPSON:   -- you were employed as a cosmetologist  
8           from the time of initial licensure until you began  
9           employment with this particular company that you  
10          submitted.

11   MS. STOOKEY:   Correct.

12   MS. THOMPSON:   What is the name of the salon that you  
13          worked in?

14   MS. STOOKEY:   It was actually several.  I worked at  
15          Dillard's, and then I worked at Regis for a while,  
16          and then I also worked --

17   MS. THOMPSON:   All at the same time?  Or one --

18   MS. STOOKEY:   No.

19   MS. THOMPSON:   -- after the other?

20   MS. STOOKEY:   Different times.

21   MS. THOMPSON:   And why were you changing employment so  
22          frequently?

23   MS. STOOKEY:   One, was a car issue, two, was a better  
24          opportunity.  And the other one, I relocated on a  
25          different side of town.

1 MS. KINLEY: Does anybody have anymore questions?

2 MS. BROWN: It is 1200 in Florida.

3 MS. THOMPSON: She took in Florida a state-written exam.

4 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

5 MS. RODGERS: Do we have a copy of it?

6 MS. KINLEY: Copy of what?

7 MS. RODGERS: Her license.

8 MS. KINLEY: Well, she's licensed. Florida is not a  
9 NIC state. She's here today to establish the hours  
10 that we require in order to sit for examination,  
11 because their hours are less than ours.

12 MS. RODGERS: Will she still have to take that NIC  
13 test?

14 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

15 MS. THOMPSON: So we'll have to establish you're going  
16 to accept her employment record as evidence of the  
17 makeup for the deficiency in the hours, the 300  
18 hours that she's lacking, according to South  
19 Carolina law. Then at that point, if we so choose  
20 to accept that in lieu of those hours, at that  
21 point then she would have to take the NIC exam.

22 MS. BROWN: So what does one year represent, the hours?

23 MS. THOMPSON: Hold on one second.

24 MS. BROWN: Is it like eight hours a day?

25 MS. KINLEY: Typically, our policy was 300 hours for six

1 months.

2 MS. THOMPSON: Exactly.

3 MS. KINLEY: For six months employment, we granted 300  
4 hours. So and she's 300 hours deficient.

5 COURT REPORTER: I'm not hearing all of you, if y'all  
6 want me to put it on the record. Tell me if you  
7 want me to get it, okay?

8 MS. WEBB: Right. Okay.

9 MS. BROWN: We're just confirming.

10 COURT REPORTER: Okay.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I make a motion that we  
12 accept her work experience proof --

13 MS. WEBB: Second.

14 MS. THOMPSON: -- as the compensation for the deficiency  
15 in the hours. However, I request that we require  
16 that she sit for the NIC exam.

17 MS. KINLEY: Motion and a second on the table to grant  
18 the required hours and sit for examination. Is  
19 there any further discussion?

20 (NO RESPONSE.)

21 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
22 saying aye.

23 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

24 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. You're eligible  
25 to test now.

1 MS. STOOKEY: Thank you.

2 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Good luck.

3 MS. CUBITT: Does that mean she has to sit for --

4 MS. KINLEY: Both.

5 MS. CUBITT: -- both part --

6 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am.

7 MS. CUBIT: Okay.

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9 MS. KINLEY: Rebekah Bianchi. If you would please  
10 present your identification to the court reporter  
11 and be sworn in, please, ma'am.

12 COURT REPORTER: We have a New York state driver's  
13 license.

14 (The witness is sworn in.)

15 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF REBEKAH BIANCHI

16 MS. KINLEY: Ms. Bianchi, you're here today. I think  
17 it's New York that's only a thousand hours. Knew I  
18 knew one of them. You're still a resident of New  
19 York state?

20 MS. BIANCHI: Yes.

21 MS. KINLEY: And you're wanting to move to South  
22 Carolina?

23 MS. BIANCHI: Yes.

24 MS. KINLEY: And you have proof of work experience in  
25 here.

1 MS. THOMPSON: She submitted several.

2 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. For the record, we didn't need to  
3 see a lot of the financials and stuff that you  
4 submitted, so --

5 MS. THOMPSON: But thank you for over-submitting instead  
6 of under-submitting. Thank you for that.

7 MS. BIANCHI: I have more, if you want.

8 MS. THOMPSON: No, we're good.

9 MS. KINLEY: Where you were deficient 500 hours, you've  
10 got tax returns submitted in here back to -- a long  
11 way, that more than show the -- in my opinion,  
12 would show the work experience for the additional  
13 500 hours.

14 MS. THOMPSON: And is New York an NIC state?

15 MS. KINLEY: It is not an NIC state.

16 (Discussion off the record.)

17 MS. THOMPSON: Make a motion to approve her work  
18 experience in lieu of the 500 hours, but require  
19 that she sit for both NIC exams.

20 MS. RODGERS: Second.

21 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for approval of  
22 makeup hours for Rebekah Bianchi and sit for  
23 examination. Any further discussion?

24 (NO RESPONSE.)

25 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by

1 saying aye.

2 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

3 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Good luck.

4 MS. BIANCHI: Thank you.

5 MS. KINLEY: And Doris that was both.

6 MS. CUBITT: I'll know that now. I just needed to  
7 clarify.

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9 MS. KINLEY: Amy Elmore.

10 (The witness is sworn in.)

11 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF AMY ELMORE

12 MS. KINLEY: And you have moved from Florida to South  
13 Carolina.

14 MS. ELMORE: Yes.

15 MS. KINLEY: With 1200 -- I'm assuming cosmetology here.

16 MS. ELMORE: Actually, I have 1080 hours. In Florida  
17 when I went to school, it was 1500 hours. You  
18 could go take your board at 1080, and if you  
19 passed, you were done. So I had 1080.

20 MS. KINLEY: Board is 1500 hours now?

21 MS. THOMPSON: She said at the time.

22 MS. ELMORE: It was ten years, eleven years ago.

23 MS. KINLEY: And they reduced their hours?

24 MS. ELMORE: I believe.

25 MS. THOMPSON: She's saying she only completed 1080.

1 MS. WEBB: 1080.

2 MS. THOMPSON: So, Dean, this would be a question for  
3 you then. We have a document here from Florida  
4 that's sealed, signed, is official, that states she  
5 has 1200. Now, she's honestly tell us she only  
6 completed 1080. There's a discrepancy there.

7 MR. GRIGG: There is. I guess the question for y'all  
8 is, she's been honest with you about it, so do you  
9 want to give her credit for --

10 MS. THOMPSON: I don't necessarily want to penalize her.  
11 I'm just --

12 MR. GRIGG: Yeah. Do you want to give her credit for  
13 what's been presented to you by the state.

14 MS. ELMORE: I don't have proof of the 1080. I thought  
15 that's what it was, so maybe I'm mistaken.

16 MS. KINLEY: But, I mean, she still is showing more than  
17 that work experience. But it's just --

18 MS. THOMPSON: No, my question was just that here's an  
19 official documentation that we've been told to rely  
20 upon.

21 MR. GRIGG: Right.

22 MS. THOMPSON: But now, based on her honesty, we realize  
23 that it's not necessarily accurate, so --

24 MR. GRIGG: And all we can assume is, you know, mistakes  
25 happen even with the other state licensing boards.

1           So I would say take her at her sworn testimony.  
2           You know it's not obviously something you hold  
3           against her. She didn't do it.

4   MS. THOMPSON: Well, no, I mean, I've got enough work  
5           hours. Personally, as one singular board member, I  
6           would be basing my recommendation on her work  
7           experience, did that match up or not. I just, for  
8           future references, wondering about --

9   MR. GRIGG: We just ought to keep an --

10   MS. THOMPSON: -- the validity of that.

11   MR. GRIGG: -- eye on that. Yeah. We ought to keep an  
12           eye on that.

13   MS. KINLEY: And she has submitted a notarized affidavit  
14           that she was employed at this particular place for  
15           a little over three years. And then again for a  
16           few months -- for three years, from 2002 to '05,  
17           and then again with this one during 2010, The  
18           Moustache and Madam.

19   MS. THOMPSON: I make a motion that we approve the work  
20           experience in lieu of the hours, but require that  
21           she sit for the exam.

22   MS. RODGERS: Second.

23   MS. GILMER: Second.

24   MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and multiple seconds for  
25           approval of hours to sit for licensure examination.

1           Is there any further discussion?

2                               (NO RESPONSE.)

3   MS. KINLEY:   Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
4           saying aye.

5   BOARD MEMBERS:   Aye.

6   MS. KINLEY:   Opposed?   Motion carries.   Good luck.

7   MS. ELMORE:   I did sit for the board.   Do you have  
8           record of that?

9   MS. KINLEY:   That you've already sat for the board?

10   MS. THOMPSON:   I did not see it.   But it's possible --

11   MS. RODGERS:   Are you talking about the Florida board?  
12           Or --

13   MS. ELMORE:   No.   South Carolina.

14   MS. RODGERS:   South Carolina Board?

15   MS. KINLEY:   They'll let her go and sit for the whole  
16           licensure.   But the office staff can check on that.  
17           And if it's all in place, then you would be  
18           licensed.

19   MS. ELMORE:   Okay.

20   MS. KINLEY:   Thank you.

21                               \*\*\*\*\*

22   MS. KINLEY:   Courtney McDaniel.

23                               (The witness is sworn in.)

24                               DIRECT EXAMINATION OF COURTNEY MCDANIEL

25   MS. KINLEY:   Ms. McDaniel, again, you completed

1 school in Florida at a thousand hours. Initially  
2 licensed July of 2010. A statement -- it's not  
3 notarized -- it's a statement from the payroll  
4 administrator, documenting your work from July  
5 13th, 2010 to February of 2011.

6 MS. MCDANIEL: Yes.

7 MS. KINLEY: And that she -- her total hours worked  
8 during that time was a thousand hours.

9 MS. THOMPSON: What is the history from the board of  
10 accepting documentation that's not notarized?

11 MS. KINLEY: Considering that one came from the payroll  
12 department, I --

13 MS. THOMPSON: There were other statements from a  
14 company.

15 MS. KINLEY: And they were -- it's up to the board.

16 MS. GILMER: Say it again.

17 MS. KINLEY: It was not a notarized statement from the  
18 work place. But it is from the payroll  
19 administrator for a corporate office, as opposed to  
20 a privately-owned salon. Just pointing it out for  
21 the board's consideration.

22 MS. THOMPSON: And I'm just asking precedents of  
23 accepting -- historically, everything that we've  
24 approved, I don't know that it was set forth in  
25 policy, but everything that we've approved

1 historically has been notarized. Just wondering  
2 about a precedents.

3 MS. KINLEY: Mr. Dean?

4 MR. GRIGG: I mean, it's a valid question and you  
5 certainly -- I would recommend you stay with what  
6 you've been doing. You know, you don't want to  
7 start setting, you know, different guidelines --

8 MS. RODGERS: You could it pending that --

9 MR. GRIGG: You could do it pending, yeah.

10 MS. THOMPSON: We can approve the work experience, but  
11 then not the actual --

12 MS. KINLEY: She couldn't get licensure till she gets  
13 that notarized from them.

14 MR. GRIGG: Yeah. Send you a notarized copy of that.

15 MS. MCDANIEL: Can I ask a question first?

16 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am.

17 MS. MCDANIEL: One of the girls showed me -- I'm a  
18 military spouse. And the permit for here, like a  
19 temporary permit, I don't know, she was telling me  
20 about that they offer here now, from moving from  
21 state to state. Actually, it was a paper that she  
22 gave it to me.

23 MS. KINLEY: May I see that --

24 MS. MCDANIEL: Yeah.

25 MS. KINLEY: -- please? And I have spoken with that

1 young lady several times. But we don't do permits.

2 MS. CUBITT: And Dean did give me an opinion on that the  
3 other day.

4 MS. KINLEY: But this is not related to -- I've seen  
5 this.

6 MS. MCDANIEL: Oh, okay.

7 MS. KINLEY: That doesn't relate to cosmetology per se.

8 MR. GRIGG: The best way I can explain it is, that has  
9 been something that has been considered by our  
10 state legislature.

11 MS. MCDANIEL: Okay.

12 MR. GRIGG: I'm not saying it won't happen in the  
13 future, but right now, that's not been adopted. So  
14 it's not a statute or anything that they could base  
15 a decision on at this point.

16 MS. MCDANIEL: Okay.

17 MS. KINLEY: But yours is a little different situation  
18 than what we have coming up later, that you already  
19 are licensed in a state. You're just lacking the  
20 hours, but you probably have the hours too. So --

21 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I'd like to make a motion  
22 that we accept the work experience for the  
23 deficiency in the hours. However, that we will not  
24 be able to grant licensure until we receive a  
25 notarized statement from her employer, as to those

1           documented hours of work experience.

2   MS. WEBB:    Second.

3   MS. THOMPSON:  I think that I saw a PCS application  
4           at the beginning of her packet.

5   MS. KINLEY:   I did.

6   MS. THOMPSON:  I think that she already --

7   MS. KINLEY:   Have you already --

8   MS. THOMPSON:  -- tested?

9   MS. MCDANIEL:  Tested here?

10  MS. KINLEY:    But you simply applied for it.

11  MS. THOMPSON:  Yeah.  That she be required to sit for  
12           the exam.

13  MS. MCDANIEL:  Do I send --

14  MS. KINLEY:    Hold on.  I'm waiting for a second.

15  MS. WEBB:      I did.

16  MS. KINLEY:    Okay.  I'm sorry.  I have a motion and a  
17           second for approval of Courtney McDaniel's hours  
18           and abilities to sit for examination.  Licensure  
19           would be pending a notarized statement from  
20           Springline Corporation as to valid work experience.  
21           Is there any further discussion?

22                                (NO RESPONSE.)

23  MS. KINLEY:    Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
24           saying aye.

25  BOARD MEMBERS:  Aye.

1 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Now you may ask  
2 your question.

3 MS. MCDANIEL: Where do I send it to?

4 MS. KINLEY: Where do you send the affidavit to? Ms.  
5 Cubitt will explain that to you. Thank you and  
6 good luck.

7 MS. MCDANIEL: Thank you.

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9 MS. KINLEY: Approval of licensure, Mai Thien Nguyen.

10 (The witness is sworn in.)

11 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF MAI THIEN NGUYEN

12 MS. KINLEY: Ms. Nguyen.

13 MS. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

14 MS. KINLEY: There are several questions going on here  
15 today. Number one, it looks like you made  
16 application for examination April of 2009?

17 MS. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

18 MS. KINLEY: It is now -- when is it? -- September of  
19 2011. Where have you been?

20 MS. NGUYEN: Yeah. I lived in Florence 213 Blackwood  
21 Drive, Florence, South Carolina.

22 MS. KINLEY: That's not what I asked you. I said where  
23 has this application been, if you applied in 2009?  
24 Which means at that point, as far as I'm seeing and  
25 -- you do not have a valid, current license, to

1 endorse --

2 MS. NGUYEN: What license? My driver license or --

3 MS. THOMPSON: No. Your nail license.

4 MS. NGUYEN: Nail license, I -- I have moved from  
5 Georgia. I -- I had a license in Georgia in 1988.  
6 And -- and when I moved to South Carolina I  
7 application for. They helped me for exam and I got  
8 to exam (inaudible) and practical -- and practical  
9 test and they give me for the license.

10 MS. THOMPSON: What we're trying to understand is you  
11 applied or started the process of trying to obtain  
12 your South Carolina license --

13 MS. NGUYEN: Yeah, I applied in --

14 MS. THOMPSON: -- in 2009. It is now two years later.  
15 We're just wondering what caused the delay. Why  
16 are you just now before us?

17 MS. NGUYEN: Delay, yeah.

18 MS. THOMPSON: What caused the delay?

19 MS. NGUYEN: When I applied for renewal, and they not  
20 send me for renewal.

21 MS. THOMPSON: So you've been granted a South Carolina  
22 license?

23 MS. NGUYEN: Yeah.

24 MS. THOMPSON: But you wanted to renew.

25 MS. NGUYEN: Renew, yeah.

1 MS. THOMPSON: And then you received a letter about your  
2 renewal.

3 MS. NGUYEN: Yeah, renewal.

4 MS. THOMPSON: Do you have your South Carolina license  
5 with you?

6 MS. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Could we see that, please?

8 MS. NGUYEN: Yes, ma'am.

9 (The witness complies.)

10 MS. KINLEY: Okay. I'm a little bit more confused now.  
11 What I've got on my agenda says "approval for  
12 licensure, apprentice hours received."

13 MS. NGUYEN: In Georgia -- in Georgia rule if -- when  
14 people have the license, the master license  
15 (inaudible) for one student and the hour, it about  
16 three, four -- I think about three, four hour I do  
17 not remember. But the school 320 hour. And I had  
18 people (inaudible) on me, and I take a test over  
19 there. And I passed over there and I had -- I  
20 stayed over there for almost ten year. Then when  
21 I'm moved here asked for general license. And they  
22 send me the letter, go to take re-test, my driving  
23 test, (inaudible) test. And then --

24 MS. KINLEY: Give me one minute, okay?

25 MS. NGUYEN: Yeah.

1 MS. KINLEY: I'm just trying to figure out what your  
2 application actually is.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, can I make a motion that --

4 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

5 MS. THOMPSON: -- we defer this to executive session.

6 Because what I would like to do is I would like for  
7 us to be able to contact --

8 MS. KINLEY: For more research.

9 MS. THOMPSON: Yes. To find out what this stamp is.

10 I'd like to defer to executive session, please.

11 MS. KINLEY: Just have a seat, Ms. Nguyen, and we'll be  
12 back with you in just a little bit. We just need  
13 to figure out what we're here for.

14 MR. GRIGG: Do you want to make a copy of that?

15 MS. THOMPSON: Yeah, she's going to.

16 MS. THOMPSON: Did I have a second?

17 MS. WEBB: Second. I seconded that.

18 MS. KINLEY: All those in favor signify by saying aye.

19 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

20 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Nguyen, if  
21 you'll just have a seat, we'll -- it may be a  
22 while, but we'll be back with you, okay?

23 MS. NGUYEN: Okay.

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25 MS. KINLEY: Approval of hour of training, Thu Anh Pham.

1 (The witness is sworn in.)

2 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF THU ANH PHAM

3 MS. KINLEY: Ms. Pham.

4 MS. PHAM: Yes, ma'am.

5 MS. KINLEY: We have an application, an endorsement  
6 application from -- where were you licensed?

7 MS. PHAM: Florida, ma'am.

8 MS. KINLEY: Florida?

9 MS. PHAM: Yes, ma'am.

10 MS. KINLEY: We have some questions about the school  
11 that you attended.

12 MS. THOMPSON: Actually, I have one quick question. How  
13 many license -- what license do you currently hold  
14 in Florida?

15 MS. PHAM: In Florida, we have a --

16 MS. THOMPSON: No, no. What do you hold?

17 MS. PHAM: I have a full specialist.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Which is what?

19 MS. PHAM: Which combine of the nail technicians and an  
20 aesthetician.

21 MS. THOMPSON: So a full specialist in the State of  
22 Florida is an aesthetician --

23 MS. PHAM: And --

24 MS. THOMPSON: -- as well as a nail technician.

25 MS. PHAM: Right.

1 MS. THOMPSON: And how many hours do you have to attain  
2 in order to get a full specialist's license?

3 MS. PHAM: Five hundred hours before --

4 MS. THOMPSON: Five hundred total.

5 MS. PHAM: Right.

6 MS. RODGERS: It's nail and aesthetician?

7 MS. PHAM: Yes, ma'am.

8 MS. THOMPSON: Yes, yes, okay. And how do you -- how do  
9 they break down those 500 hours that you obtained  
10 in school? How do they break that down, aesthetic  
11 hours and nail hours?

12 MS. PHAM: Well, the -- the nails hour is 240 and  
13 the aesthetician is 260.

14 MS. THOMPSON: But how do they -- do you go to -- you  
15 completed all 240 nail hours and then you begin  
16 your aesthetic hours? Or do you have nails and  
17 aesthetic, theory and instruction in the same day?  
18 Or how is that done?

19 MS. PHAM: It's done in the same days. It's just up to  
20 you, because if you do a particular nail, then you  
21 just do everything in nail. And if I say, okay.  
22 The morning, I can do nails, and then afternoon I  
23 can do aesthetician.

24 MS. THOMPSON: So are you self-taught? I mean, is it a  
25 self-teaching classroom? Or do you --

1 MS. PHAM: No.

2 MS. THOMPSON: -- have instructors?

3 MS. PHAM: No, they have instructors. We have three  
4 instructors in that class for nail, hair and  
5 aesthetician.

6 MS. THOMPSON: So nails and hairs and skin are all in  
7 the same classroom?

8 MS. PHAM: School. No, no. We -- we section it out.  
9 They do like rotation. So if you do your nails,  
10 then you go to the nail group instructor. You do  
11 your hair, you go to the hair instructor. And then  
12 you rotate around.

13 MS. BROWN: So how many hours did you get for nails?

14 MS. PHAM: I did -- because for me as -- I'm not from  
15 the beauty industry; I'm a teacher. So when I  
16 applied for, you know, going to the school, I say I  
17 -- I'm slow, so I have to advance myself, so I  
18 applied for extra hours. So the school, they have  
19 two programs. They have the 500, which is the  
20 basics the state require. Or you can pay more to  
21 get more hours. So I apply for the 600 hours  
22 program. So that's how I got more hours than the  
23 state of Florida require.

24 MS. BROWN: It only says you have 350.

25 MS. PHAM: No, that's a total, the combinations of both

1           nails and aestheticians.

2   MS. THOMPSON: I thought you just said that you had a  
3           combination of 500.

4   MS. PHAM: Right. That's the basic for the state  
5           require, but I did more than that. I did 600  
6           total. And then when I went and, you know, I got  
7           my license, everything, I went and I say, "You  
8           know, I'm not ready." So I went back to the  
9           school, I say, "Can you guys train me some more?"  
10          So that's how I got my advance hour. And I want to  
11          do more on facials, massage and lashes and makeup,  
12          so I went back and I asked them can -- you know,  
13          "teach me some more on that." And I have more  
14          advance hours, so that's why my -- my nail license,  
15          I have -- when I graduated, I had 300 hours. And  
16          when I graduated facial, I have 450, because I want  
17          more on -- more training on the facial. I'm more  
18          into the facial than the nail, so --

19   MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, again, I would like to make  
20          a motion to defer this to executive session because  
21          I would like the opportunity to be able to  
22          investigate a little more this full specialist.  
23          I've never seen that in my years here, and I just  
24          would like a little more information before I'm  
25          comfortable making a vote anyway.

1 MS. WEBB: Second.

2 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second to defer this to  
3 executive session for more research. Any  
4 additional comments? Any discussion?

5 (NO RESPONSE.)

6 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
7 saying aye.

8 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

9 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Pham, if you  
10 would just like to have a seat, we'll get back with  
11 you later in the day.

12 MS. WEBB: Ms. Pham, how old are you?

13 MR. PHAM: I'm 32.

14 MS. WEBB: Thirty-two. Okay. Thank you.

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16 MS. KINLEY: Approval of reinstatement request with two  
17 different names, Thu Nguyen.

18 COURT REPORTER: Her license is the last one, T-H-U  
19 capital T and then --

20 MS. THOMPSON: And that's South Carolina driver's  
21 license?

22 COURT REPORTER: It is.

23 (The witness is sworn in.)

24 MS. THOMPSON: Ciel, I'm sorry, you said --

25 COURT REPORTER: The second name --

1 MS. KINLEY: The second one.

2 COURT REPORTER: -- is the correct name on her license.

3 MS. KINLEY: The T-H-U.

4 MS. THOMPSON: Second one, according to our agenda?

5 COURT REPORTER: Yes, ma'am. T-H-U T. Nguyen.

6 DIRECT EXAMINATION OF THU T. NGUYEN

7 MS. KINLEY: Ms. Nguyen, okay, we have quite a bit of  
8 confusion going on up here. We have one  
9 application to PCS where your name is spelled T-H-  
10 A-O, initial T. We have on the same application --  
11 excuse me, on a reinstatement application in your  
12 handwriting, again, I'm assuming you filled this  
13 out, your name is spelled T-H-U T Nguyen. And  
14 that is the way that you signed it on the affidavit  
15 of eligibility. Yet on your verification of  
16 continuing ed, you have it spelled T-H-A-O. Social  
17 is both ways, but yet your Social Security card  
18 isn't signed, which is a federal offense, which  
19 makes it not valid. On -- Yeah. Tell me how you  
20 spell your name.

21 MS. NGUYEN: T-H-A-O, that's my nickname.

22 MS. THOMPSON: That's your what? I'm sorry.

23 MS. NGUYEN: T-H-A-O.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Is your what name?

25 MS. NGUYEN: Thao.

1 MS. THOMPSON: No, no. You said T-H-A-O is my -- and I  
2 didn't hear the word.

3 MS. NGUYEN: My nick name is Thao. When I home, they  
4 tell me this name. When I come here, I move to  
5 America and they give me the wrong -- look like  
6 first name wrong, the middle name. And I looked.  
7 And when I go school for nail styling, and I forgot  
8 about name. I put my nickname, Thao.

9 MS. THOMPSON: So currently, you're legal full name is  
10 what? Legally, according to the laws of  
11 everywhere, what is your legal name, all of it,  
12 from beginning to end?

13 MS. NGUYEN: Right now my name, legal name, Thu.

14 MS. THOMPSON: T-H-U?

15 MS. NGUYEN: Yes.

16 MS. THOMPSON: And then?

17 MS. NGUYEN: And Thao and --

18 MS. THOMPSON: T-H-A-O?

19 MS. NGUYEN: And T-H-I and Nguyen.

20 MS. THOMPSON: And then N-G-U-Y-E-N.

21 MS. NGUYEN: Yes.

22 MS. THOMPSON: So that is your legally -- that's your  
23 legal, full name.

24 MS. NGUYEN: Yeah. That the full name, right.

25 MS. THOMPSON: But when you sign a check, your checking

1 account, what name do you use to do that?

2 MS. NGUYEN: Right now I do it T-H-U.

3 MS. THOMPSON: T-H-U N-G-U-Y-E-N.

4 MS. NGUYEN: Yes.

5 MS. THOMPSON: So if you just write your name, if you  
6 have to sign your name, those are the two names  
7 that you use for your signature; is that correct?

8 MS. NGUYEN: The -- the -- my -- I sign the name, Thao  
9 Nguyen. And the name in the (inaudible), I put the  
10 -- the Thu Nguyen. When I sign the name, because I  
11 sign for long time the first name Thao Nguyen.

12 MS. THOMPSON: So you usually drop the T-H-I portion of  
13 your name. When you sign, you do T-H-U T-H-A-O  
14 N-G-U-Y-E-N --

15 MS. NGUYEN: Yes.

16 MS. THOMPSON: And you just drop the T-H-I portion; is  
17 that correct?

18 MS. NGUYEN: (Inaudible.)

19 MS. THOMPSON: Yes?

20 MS. NGUYEN: No. Look like everything on the paper I  
21 Thu Nguyen. And when I sign the name I put my  
22 middle name, nickname, Thao Nguyen. I -- I use  
23 that long time ago.

24 MS. KINLEY: So you're saying that's a nickname.

25 MS. RODGERS: It's her middle name.

1 MS. NGUYEN: Look like right now a middle name.

2 MS. RODGERS: Wait a minute. She asked you what your  
3 full name was everywhere. Where ever you go,  
4 what is your full, legal name? Not a middle name,  
5 not --

6 MS. NGUYEN: Full name right now --

7 MS. THOMPSON: What do you mean by right now?

8 MS. RODGERS: Do you change it periodically? Or --

9 MS. NGUYEN: Thao Thu Nguyen, the full name. I have  
10 the --

11 MS. RODGERS: How about sign your name and let us see  
12 it.

13 (Off-the-record discussion.)

14 MS. CUBITT: The permanent residence card and her South  
15 Carolina driver's license card, and both of these  
16 say T-H-U T. Nguyen. But her Social Security card  
17 has T-H-A-O on it also. But I understood her to  
18 say that was a nickname, so I don't know why it's  
19 on her Social Security card.

20 MS. RODGERS: It's a middle name.

21 MS. NGUYEN: When I move here and when I go to  
22 school, I forgot about name.

23 (Off-the-record discussion.)

24 MS. THOMPSON: Ms. Nguyen, just so you understand, there  
25 was a little confusion with one of the documents

1           that you just submitted to us, which appears to be  
2           a birth certificate. The confusion was, I think,  
3           do you have a son?

4   MS. NGUYEN: Yes.

5   MS. THOMPSON: Okay. And what is his name?

6   MS. NGUYEN: Stephen Lee.

7   MS. THOMPSON: Okay. That's what we were looking at and  
8           saw that the name didn't match, the gender didn't  
9           match, so there was some confusion. But after  
10          further review, we realized that it must have been  
11          of a child of yours. So that's what we were doing,  
12          just to get you updated.

13                 Madam Chair, I would like to defer this to  
14          executive session as well, to be able to go over  
15          these documents that Ms. Nguyen has just provided  
16          us.

17   MS. RODGERS: Second.

18   MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Have a motion and a second to  
19          defer this also to executive session. Any  
20          discussion?

21                         (NO RESPONSE.)

22   MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
23          saying aye.

24   BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

25   MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Nguyen,



1 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

2 MS. THOMPSON: I make a motion to deny.

3 MS. GILMER: Second.

4 MS. KINLEY: Motion has been made and seconded for  
5 denial of Mai Thien Nguyen's reinstatement  
6 application. Is there any further discussion?

7 (NO RESPONSE.)

8 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
9 saying aye.

10 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

11 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Nguyen, I'm  
12 sorry. We've denied your application. You'll be  
13 getting a final order in the mail from counsel.

14 MS. NGUYEN: And I want to know what the reason.

15 MS. KINLEY: You'll be getting that in the final order.  
16 Thank you. You'll be receiving something in the  
17 mail.

18 MS. NGUYEN: Okay. And again I for what reason. And I  
19 had -- I had --

20 MS. KINLEY: There were just many questions, and this  
21 board felt like they could not approve your  
22 application, so it is denied.

23 MS. NGUYEN: Can I ask one more question?

24 MS. KINLEY: Excuse me?

25 MS. THOMPSON: She needs to ask one more question.

1 MS. NGUYEN: Yeah. In the May 11, I had a hearing in  
2 here with the aesthetician license for renewal, and  
3 they say --

4 MS. THOMPSON: She probably should not be telling us  
5 that.

6 MS. NGUYEN: -- everything good. And they say will  
7 send the license for me (inaudible). And I need  
8 help.

9 MS. KINLEY: I didn't understand that.

10 MS. THOMPSON: She said --

11 MR. GRIGG: Are you talking about a hearing that  
12 happened in May of 2011?

13 MS. NGUYEN: May 11, yeah.

14 MR. GRIGG: Okay. Whatever happened in that hearing,  
15 they're not considering today. That's not before  
16 the board for consideration and we're just not  
17 going to get into that. So they've addressed your  
18 application and you will be getting a --

19 MS. NGUYEN: My application (inaudible) --

20 MR. GRIGG: Oh, okay. They've addressed what was on the  
21 agenda before them today and you'll be receiving an  
22 order to that affect.

23 MS. NGUYEN: All right.

24 MS. KINLEY: The only thing we look at is what's in  
25 front of us, and that's what we based our ruling

1 on. You'll be receiving a letter. Thank you.

2 MS. NGUYEN: Thank you.

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4 MS. KINLEY: We now have Thu Anh Pham.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I make a motion to deny.

6 MS. RODGERS: Second.

7 MS. KINLEY: Motion has been made and seconded for  
8 denial of Thu Anh Pham. Any further discussion?

9 (NO RESPONSE.)

10 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
11 saying aye.

12 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

13 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Pham, I'm  
14 sorry, your application has been denied. You will  
15 be receiving a final order in the mail.

16 MS. PHAM: Thank you.

17 MS. KINLEY: Thank you.

18 \*\*\*\*\*

19 MS. KINLEY: Approval of reinstatement request, Thao T.  
20 Nguyen.

21 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I make a motion to deny.

22 MS. GILMER: Second.

23 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for denial of  
24 application for Thu T. Nguyen. Is there any  
25 further discussion?

1 (NO RESPONSE.)

2 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
3 saying aye.

4 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

5 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Ms. Nguyen, your  
6 application has been denied. You will also be  
7 receiving a final order in the mail.

8 MS. NGUYEN: Okay.

9 MS. KINLEY: Thank you.

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11 MS. KINLEY: Approval of change --

12 MS. THOMPSON: No, we've got to go back to --

13 MS. KINLEY: Okay. To the IRC report from August 31,  
14 2011.

15 MS. THOMPSON: And the June 22nd.

16 MS. KINLEY: We did that on August 15th.

17 MS. THOMPSON: No, we didn't. This was --

18 MS. KINLEY: We didn't?

19 MS. THOMPSON: -- from the July meeting.

20 MS. KINLEY: I thought that's when we --

21 MS. THOMPSON: We did August 15th.

22 MS. KINLEY: Oh, okay.

23 MS. THOMPSON: August 22nd conference call. This was  
24 June 22nd that was presented to us at the July  
25 meeting. But we weren't able to go over it --

1 MS. KINLEY: Got it.

2 MS. THOMPSON: -- so it was deferred.

3 MS. KINLEY: IRC report for July 2011.

4 MS. THOMPSON: June 22nd and August 31st.

5 MS. KINLEY: They're not in front of me. Make your  
6 motion.

7 MS. THOMPSON: I'm just making sure you're with me.

8 MS. KINLEY: I'm just not going to dig for them.

9 MS. THOMPSON: I make a motion to approve the IRC  
10 reports for June the 22nd, as well as August the  
11 31st.

12 MS. RODGERS: Second.

13 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for approval of  
14 all IRC reports. Any discussion?

15 (NO RESPONSE.)

16 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
17 saying aye.

18 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

19 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

20 (Off the record discussion.)

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22 MS. KINLEY: Approval of change for CEU class. Gloria.

23 MS. THOMPSON: Gloria actually had to leave.

24 MR. MACELHINEY: Gloria had to leave, so I'm Gloria  
25 right now. And what we had -- what she had

1 requested was a cancellation of a class that was  
2 going to be offered by the International Spa  
3 Institute on October the 23rd.

4 MS. KINLEY: In Myrtle Beach.

5 MR. MACELHINEY: The school has closed that location,  
6 and so they wanted to cancel that class. And that  
7 would be one of our three changes; that would be  
8 our second of three changes.

9 MS. KINLEY: Linda, when did you close that school, just  
10 for my notes?

11 MS. BEACH: We actually haven't held classes there in  
12 almost a year. We've been trying to enroll enough  
13 to meet the board's requirements of starting a  
14 class. So I sent a letter to Ms. Wider a while  
15 back, which was lost in the mail, so I faxed her  
16 another one, which was incorrect. So I just  
17 brought her the corrected copy, just to make it  
18 official.

19 MS. KINLEY: I asked because the regs state ten days?

20 MR. GRIGG: Uh-huh.

21 MS. KINLEY: That you have to notify the LLR. Ken?

22 MR. GRIGG: Think it's ten.

23 MS. KINLEY: Think it's ten.

24 MS. BEACH: Yeah, I faxed -- it's been more than ten  
25 days ago that I faxed it. But it contained a typo.

1 MS. KINLEY: Well, I realize it's been more than ten  
2 days since you faxed it. I just wanted to know  
3 when you officially closed it.

4 MS. BEACH: Oh, okay. Well, again, we haven't had  
5 classes in nearly -- we've been trying to enroll  
6 enough students, so the date of the letter I just  
7 -- I gave you was what? August 22nd?

8 MS. WIDER: 22nd. August 22nd.

9 MS. THOMPSON: I make a motion that we approve the  
10 cancellation for class (inaudible) association.

11 MS. WEBB: Second.

12 MS. KINLEY: Motions been made and seconded for approval  
13 of that cancellation. Any discussion?

14 (NO RESPONSE.)

15 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
16 saying aye.

17 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

18 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Thank you,  
19 Gloria.

20 MS. THOMPSON: But now he's Bob.

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22 MS. KINLEY: Next on our list, we have Bob MacElhiney.

23 MR. MACELHINEY: Yeah. And as you know, I sent you a  
24 26-page letter with 45 points that I'm going to be  
25 covering now.

1 MS. THOMPSON: What?

2 MR. MACELHINEY: I have no longer than two-and-a-half  
3 hours.

4 MS. THOMPSON: Oh good. Of course, wait a minute, I  
5 didn't get that copy.

6 MS. WEBB: I don't have it either.

7 MS. KINLEY: It's five o'clock somewhere.

8 MR. MACELHINEY: Actually, the good news is I really  
9 only have two points that I wanted to talk about  
10 today, and hopefully, they won't take very long. I  
11 just thought that you might enjoy the 45 points  
12 session. First point I'd like to bring up is for a  
13 long time, the ratio of instructors for continuing  
14 education classes for cosmetology, aesthetic and  
15 nails has been different. And we don't understand  
16 the reason for that, since these are not hands-on  
17 classes. Obviously, you couldn't have a hands-on  
18 class with one instructor for 50 students, anymore  
19 than you could for one with a hundred.

20 So we're questioning why is it the nails and  
21 aesthetics has to have one instructor per 50  
22 students, and cosmetology has one to a hundred?  
23 That's a policy that was made many years ago and  
24 there's never been any explanation.

25 MS. KINLEY: Actually, there was an explanation because

1 I was around when we made that policy. And I  
2 think, as far as aesthetics goes and -- correct me  
3 if I'm wrong -- cosmetology tends to be on a stage,  
4 in a larger class, big screens, all that.  
5 Aesthetic always tends to be a more hands-on. Not  
6 necessarily hands-on, but more intense -- and maybe  
7 that's not the right word. I don't mean to insult  
8 anybody when I say "intense" education. And then  
9 with the nails, quite honestly, they reduce -- we  
10 were requested to reduce the size of those classes  
11 from one to 50 because of the language barrier in  
12 many of those classes.

13 MR. MACELHINEY: So that's not anything that we  
14 revisited, though.

15 MS. KINLEY: We haven't. I did get the letter from Joe?

16 MR. MACELHINEY: Right.

17 MS. KINLEY: And did Joe receive that response?

18 MR. MACELHINEY: From you?

19 MS. KINLEY: Well, no. I addressed the comments to Lisa  
20 and asked Lisa.

21 MR. MACELHINEY: Right. She said to bring it up at the  
22 meeting.

23 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

24 MR. MACELHINEY: That's why I'm bringing it up.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Just for the record, though, there was a

1 letter sent to the board chair, and then the rest  
2 of the board members are not privy to the  
3 information within that letter. So I don't know if  
4 it's something that we need to be made privy to, or  
5 if it's something that is intended and accepted to  
6 be handled between the board chair and the writer  
7 of the letter.

8 MR. MACELHINEY: Okay. But when we sent in a request to  
9 speak to the board, we did ask to address these two  
10 subjects that Joe had said to refer back --

11 MS. KINLEY: And there were things that I said "this is  
12 a board decision." If they want to revisit it, it  
13 has to be on the agenda. It would have been nice  
14 if what you were actually coming to talk to us  
15 about today was addressed on here.

16 MS. THOMPSON: Well, it is somewhat, the three change  
17 thing, but not the ratio. So I'm assuming that  
18 your next point is three change policy; is that  
19 correct?

20 MS. KINLEY: The three change.

21 MR. MACELHINEY: The ratio change, that is the next one,  
22 yes.

23 MS. KINLEY: The three changes.

24 MR. MACELHINEY: The three --

25 MS. THOMPSON: The three --

1 MR. MACELHINEY: -- change, yes.

2 MS. THOMPSON: -- change, okay.

3 MS. KINLEY: Per school, not per --

4 MR. MACELHINEY: Per school.

5 MS. KINLEY: -- association --

6 MR. MACELHINEY: Right.

7 MS. KINLEY: -- is what they're requesting.

8 MR. MACELHINEY: That particular policy discriminates

9 against larger associations. If it was a

10 percentage of the classes, it would make more

11 sense. For instance, what's happening now is that

12 you're beginning to have associations peel apart

13 and each school is starting to offer their own

14 classes. I'm not sure that's to the betterment of

15 the industry. Kenneth Shuler has pulled off and is

16 doing his own classes in his own association. It's

17 pretty each to form the association.

18 With the school owner's association overseeing

19 the classes, there's some continuity in the way the

20 classes are being conducted. But if we're going to

21 be limited to three changes, given the number of

22 classes we teach -- and there are other groups that

23 teach large numbers of classes as well -- it really

24 encourages the splintering off into different

25 associations. I'm not sure that's really in the

1 best interest --

2 MS. THOMPSON: That wasn't the intent of that particular  
3 policy. And unfortunately, that policy was enacted  
4 because the board meetings had become like this,  
5 the size of this packet, with change after change  
6 after change, and it kind of made the process of  
7 our approval null and void, when we were basically  
8 having to repeat that over and over.

9 MR. MACELHINEY: Right.

10 MS. THOMPSON: Now, given this situation, the packets  
11 have grown to considerable size and has nothing to  
12 do with con ed changes.

13 MR. MACELHINEY: Right.

14 MS. THOMPSON: I do understand your quandary. I don't  
15 necessarily know --

16 MR. MACELHINEY: If it was done as a percentage of the  
17 classes you're conducting --

18 MS. THOMPSON: What would you propose?

19 MR. MACELHINEY: Ten percent?

20 MS. THOMPSON: How would you explain -- break that down  
21 for --

22 MR. MACELHINEY: Well, the number of classes that an  
23 association is doing. If they were allowed to make  
24 no more than ten percent change in a course of a  
25 year.

1 MS. THOMPSON: But what guideline would you use to  
2 identify which association would be ten percent  
3 versus -- what would your size --

4 MR. MACELHINEY: No, all the associations would be ten  
5 percent.

6 MS. THOMPSON: All the associations.

7 MR. MACELHINEY: Yeah.

8 MS. THOMPSON: So ten percent of --

9 MS. KINLEY: You're saying the number of classes.

10 MS. THOMPSON: -- your total classes offered would be --

11 MR. MACELHINEY: For that association.

12 MS. THOMPSON: -- that would mark how many changes you  
13 were allotted each year.

14 MR. MACELHINEY: Right. That would be fairer than an  
15 arbitrary number, where an association that may  
16 only do five classes gets three changes. An  
17 association that does 80 classes gets three  
18 changes. It's just not as -- it's not equitable.

19 MS. KINLEY: And I do see the point. I do see your  
20 argument in that. But you remember those days.

21 MR. MACELHINEY: I do.

22 MS. KINLEY: When we spent hours just making changes to  
23 continuing ed classes. And that's --

24 MS. THOMPSON: I would recommend that we allow the board  
25 to think about this and that we address it in

1 November, which is the renewal process of all this.  
2 And at that point, we can possibly handle it. And  
3 so I would request that each board member really  
4 give this some serious consideration. And if you  
5 don't necessarily agree with the percentage  
6 proposal --

7 MS. WEBB: Right.

8 MS. THOMPSON: -- that you propose your own idea or  
9 suggest.

10 MS. KINLEY: Like Melanie said, that letter was  
11 addressed -- and I got it and sent back  
12 recommendations to Lisa. So they didn't have  
13 opportunity to think about what you were going to  
14 be coming here and talking to us about today. We  
15 knew you were on the agenda, but they deserve the  
16 right to --

17 MR. MACELHINEY: Oh, absolutely.

18 MS. KINLEY: -- put that to thought.

19 MR. MACELHINEY: And I don't really expect it to change  
20 this year anyway. I'm just thinking --

21 MS. KINLEY: Well, it would be effective next year,  
22 yeah.

23 MR. MACELHINEY: Right. But November would be perfectly  
24 fine.

25 MS. THOMPSON: So we just need to make a note, that this

1 is addressed at the November meeting. We'll  
2 probably clean it up and discuss it at the  
3 preliminary stuff that the board meets in the  
4 November session. But then make it official at the  
5 meeting on that Monday.

6 MS. WEBB: That's very good.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Is that sufficient?

8 MR. MACELHINEY: Yeah. And having addressed two of the  
9 45 issues, I'm going to waive the others. Thank  
10 you.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Thank you.

12 MS. KINLEY: God bless you.

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14 MS. KINLEY: Michelle Furtick. Hey Michelle.

15 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Hey, Rosanne.

16 MS. KINLEY: How are you?

17 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Fine. How are you?

18 MS. CUBITT: Which one are we on, for clarification?

19 MS. KINLEY: Vontae's Advance Training.

20 MS. THOMPSON: H3.

21 MS. KINLEY: You have requested approval for the trade  
22 show --

23 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Uh-huh.

24 MS. KINLEY: -- in Charlotte.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Michelle, this email that I have a copy

1 of here, which is dated August the 29th, is that  
2 the first contact you made in reference to this  
3 particular change or addition to your con ed  
4 program?

5 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: I'm not sure, but that's what I'm  
6 referring to.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Because --

8 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: I mean, that's what I have as --

9 MS. THOMPSON: -- unless I miscounted, it doesn't hit  
10 the 45 day guideline. Now, it is very possible  
11 that I forgot how to count.

12 MS. KINLEY: I doubt it.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Because the date of the show is October  
14 8th through the 11th; is that correct?

15 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: I think it's -- well, it's the  
16 9th. I think it's -- I have the -- I sent in a --  
17 a flyer.

18 MS. THOMPSON: And actually what I'm doing is counting  
19 from the day --

20 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Yeah, it's the 9th and 10th.

21 MS. THOMPSON: -- that the email was received and not  
22 necessarily the date from today, to actually try  
23 and allow a larger window of opportunity, and I  
24 still didn't get 45 days.

25 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: But isn't that like --

1 MS. BROWN: I got 41.

2 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: -- wasn't I supposed to contact  
3 the board in order to be placed on the agenda --

4 MS. THOMPSON: That's what I'm saying.

5 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: -- prior to that?

6 MS. THOMPSON: I'm counting from your initial contact,  
7 trying to include that and allow that to provide  
8 extra days, to get to that 45, and you're still  
9 short days, to hit the 45 day mark. I'm not  
10 counting from today. I'm counting from August the  
11 29th.

12 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: And is this for the trade show?  
13 Or is this for the class that I asked? Because it  
14 was two.

15 MS. THOMPSON: I'm counting for the trade show for  
16 October the 8th, 9th and --

17 MS. BROWN: The 11th.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Yes. 8th, 9th and 10th and 11th or  
19 whatever that is.

20 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: So the guidelines state that you  
21 have to have 45 days out for a trade show?

22 MS. KINLEY: For any.

23 MS. THOMPSON: Any change to your --

24 MS. KINLEY: Any continuing ed.

25 MS. THOMPSON: -- con ed program.

1 MS. KINLEY: Now, your October 23rd class would be in  
2 that 45 day.

3 MS. THOMPSON: So if I'm understanding that correctly,  
4 you want to change a class that's scheduled for the  
5 17th, you want to move that class to the 23rd.

6 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Yes.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Same instructor, same agenda, same  
8 everything.

9 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Yes.

10 MS. THOMPSON: You're just changing the date.

11 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Uh-huh.

12 MS. THOMPSON: Same location?

13 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Yeah.

14 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

15 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: I didn't -- can you tell me where  
16 I can find that about the trade show? Because I  
17 always thought that, you know, trade show --

18 MS. THOMPSON: It doesn't specify trade show. It just  
19 says 45 day, a guideline to the providers.

20 MS. KINLEY: For continuing ed changes.

21 MS. THOMPSON: Yeah, it's any change, be it a trade  
22 show, con ed class, hands-on, whichever. Any  
23 change that you're going to submit is subject to  
24 the 45 day guideline.

25 (Brief pause.)

1 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, I'd like to make a motion  
2 that we approve the change of date for Vontae,  
3 moving the class from October 17th to October the  
4 23rd.

5 MS. WEBB: Second.

6 MS. KINLEY: Motion and a second for approval of class  
7 date change for Vontae's Advanced Training. Any  
8 further discussion?

9 (NO RESPONSE.)

10 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
11 saying aye.

12 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

13 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

14 MS. THOMPSON: And then I make a motion that we deny the  
15 request for the change to the program that affects  
16 the trade show in Charlotte, North Carolina on  
17 October 8th through the 11th, due to the 45 day  
18 guideline that was not met.

19 MS. WEBB: Second.

20 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for denial of  
21 the Today Beauty System Group trade show by Vontae  
22 sponsorship. Any further discussion?

23 (NO RESPONSE.)

24 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
25 saying aye.

1 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

2 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Thanks,  
3 Michelle.

4 MS. HAMPTON-FURTICK: Thank you.

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6 MS. KINLEY: Okay. We are removing -- we have a request  
7 to remove from the agenda "I." So now we go to  
8 "J," approval of instructor for CEU class and  
9 adding additional CEU, Lynn Jones. Wow, Lynn.

10 MR. LEE: How are you doing? My name is Bryan Q. Lee.  
11 I'm here, standing in for Ms. Lynn Jones and her  
12 son, Cory Gray.

13 COURT REPORTER: What was your name again?

14 MR. LEE: Bryan Q. Lee. B-R-Y-A-N, and initial Q, last  
15 name Lee, L-E-E.

16 MS. THOMPSON: And I'm sorry, did you say you're Ms.  
17 Jones' son? Is that what you said?

18 MR. LEE: He's Ms. Jones' son. I'm Ms. Jones' better  
19 half.

20 MS. THOMPSON: Are you? Okay. I got you. Now, I'm  
21 going to ask her --

22 MS. KINLEY: You do realize that --

23 MS. THOMPSON: -- if it's in question --

24 MS. KINLEY: -- you're on video --

25 MS. THOMPSON: -- when she gets here.

1 MS. KINLEY: -- and she just saw that.

2 MR. LEE: That's good. I love video.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Yeah. I'm going to ask her if she agrees  
4 with you on that.

5 MS. KINLEY: I felt that earth move right then. I don't  
6 know about the rest of y'all.

7 MS. THOMPSON: You may not be able to answer this for  
8 me. I'm hoping you can.

9 MR. LEE: Okay.

10 MS. THOMPSON: This board requested that a letter be  
11 sent to Ms. Jones asking that she appear, I know at  
12 the -- I'm sure the July meeting. I'm almost  
13 positive the May meeting. I'm not certain that the  
14 letter ever got to her, so I don't know if she was  
15 ever fully aware that we had requested that. But  
16 there have been questions in regard to her program  
17 for several meetings now. Are you aware of any  
18 letter that she may have received?

19 MR. LEE: No, ma'am, I'm not. I only have this one here  
20 she gave me this morning when we were discussing  
21 this here.

22 MS. THOMPSON: Actually, I did just get confirmation.  
23 It was the May meeting as well, because I've  
24 written it here. May and July.

25 MR. LEE: And the reason she's not here today, she's

1 sick, like strep throat.

2 MS. THOMPSON: Please tell her we hope she feels better.

3 MS. KINLEY: Doris, could you do a follow-up on that  
4 with Ms. Jones, to see if she had received  
5 notification to appear at the May meeting and July  
6 meeting? And if not, would you make sure that's  
7 carried over, that she be here for the November  
8 meeting?

9 MS. CUBITT: It was May and July?

10 MS. THOMPSON: May and July, yes.

11 MS. KINLEY: Yeah.

12 MS. THOMPSON: And here's the original submission for --  
13 we just need to see if it's the same people, but  
14 also, 45 day guideline, I've got in my note written  
15 here for the October 10th.

16 MS. KINLEY: Uh-uh. Let's see. Don't know when --

17 MS. THOMPSON: Well, this fax right here is August the  
18 24th, right here, this stamp on it.

19 MS. KINLEY: Oh, on the top of it.

20 MS. THOMPSON: Uh-huh. I'm assuming --

21 MS. CUBITT: I'm assuming there's something for the  
22 November meeting. But if you would also go ahead  
23 mention it to her.

24 MR. LEE: Okay. Got you covered.

25 MS. KINLEY: August 24th, let's see.

1 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

2 MS. KINLEY: It does.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. So it's looking to me like there  
4 are two requests here. One to add an instructor --

5 MR. LEE: Yes, ma'am.

6 MS. THOMPSON: -- and one to add a date.

7 MR. LEE: Yes, ma'am.

8 MS. THOMPSON: Is this location new? Or just an  
9 additional date to an existing pre-approve  
10 location?

11 MR. LEE: I'm not sure of that. But I have the class on  
12 October the 10th at the Holiday Inn, Two Notch  
13 Road. I have that to be added. She said the class  
14 to be added.

15 MS. THOMPSON: Right. I just don't have the original  
16 submission, to know if it actually is now an  
17 approval of a location and an additional date, or  
18 if that location has already been pre-approved. I  
19 don't have that packet. In all my notebooks, I  
20 don't have that packet.

21 MR. LEE: She's faxed a lady -- what her name? --  
22 Shirley Wider, I guess four pages. So I don't know  
23 if that was it.

24 MS. KINLEY: That would be her sitting right next to  
25 you.

1 MR. LEE: I don't know if that's it or not.

2 MS. KINLEY: No. What she faxed to us was the  
3 information we needed for --

4 MR. LEE: Okay. I got you.

5 MS. KINLEY: It just said that location. We don't know  
6 if that's a new location --

7 MR. WIDER: Do you want me to check?

8 MS. THOMPSON: Or an existing.

9 MS. KINLEY: If you don't mind, Shirley. You're  
10 checking the Holiday Inn on Two Notch, to see if  
11 that's an approved location?

12 (Brief pause.)

13 MS. KINLEY: If we could just move on while Shirley's  
14 running up there to look at that.

15 MR. LEE: Okay.

16 MS. KINLEY: If y'all will just have a seat, then we  
17 will defer that and come right back to you, okay?

18 MR. LEE: Thank you.

19 MS. KINLEY: Thank you.

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21 MS. STABLER: Catherine Stabler. And I don't know if  
22 this is the time here or not. But we sent in the  
23 request to be on the agenda for y'all to approve  
24 Sandy Mullins to teach the fall classes, ACSP.

25 MS. KINLEY: Could you show anything you have to Doris,

1 please?

2 MS. STABLER: Do I need to give it to the person that  
3 was supposed to have been here -- I didn't get all  
4 of the --

5 MS. KINLEY: Who was supposed to come? Who would have  
6 been sending that in?

7 MS. STABLER: Candace.

8 MS. KINLEY: Candace sent it in?

9 MS. STABLER: Candace sent it to you around August the  
10 29th --

11 MS. THOMPSON: You who?

12 MS. STABLER: -- 29th.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Rosanne?

14 MS. STABLER: Rosanne, yeah.

15 MS. THOMPSON: Just for future references, any request  
16 like that needs to come to LLR, because they're the  
17 one --

18 MS. KINLEY: Anything I've gotten was copied me and LLR.  
19 Or that I sent it to Lisa saying "this needs" --  
20 and I can't get my emails up today, so --

21 COURT REPORTER: What was your name again?

22 MS. STABLER: Catherine Stabler.

23 COURT REPORTER: With a C? or a K?

24 MS. STABLER: C-A-T-H-E-R-I-N-E.

25 COURT REPORTER: And what's your last name?

1 MS. STABLER: Stabler. S-T-A-B-L-E-R.

2 MS. KINLEY: Around August what?

3 MS. STABLER: 29th.

4 MS. KINLEY: Trying to see if I can find it.

5 MS. STABLER: She passed her FEC exam, so it was just  
6 requesting for you to approve her to teach the fall  
7 classes.

8 MS. THOMPSON: Do you know, did it contain her FEC  
9 certification papers, all the things that we would  
10 require in the --

11 MS. STABLER: It should have. Knowing Candace, I -- you  
12 know, I'm sure it did.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. Well, can we --

14 MS. KINLEY: I am not seeing anything from anyone like  
15 that, 29th, 30th and 31st, anywhere in there. I'm  
16 not seeing where I have an email. I'm going back.  
17 I bet it was sent to an old email address, but  
18 anyway, those like -- like when Gloria has sent me  
19 things, she always copies LLR on it too. And so  
20 when I reply, everything is "reply to all,"  
21 including Melanie and the whole board, knows any  
22 requests that are being made. So I don't --

23 MS. STABLER: Let me call Candace and find out and make  
24 sure. Thank you.

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1 MS. KINLEY: Approval of school application/location  
2 changes. Carolina Cosmetology Academy. Stacie?  
3 MS. CARTER: Yes, ma'am. Stacie Carter.  
4 MS. KINLEY: We do have your application.  
5 Unfortunately, the contract is incomplete.  
6 MS. CARTER: Okay.  
7 MS. KINLEY: Tuition is not on there, kit. All these  
8 things are spelled out in the regs, that have to be  
9 included in the contract.  
10 MS. CARTER: Okay. So the prices has to be listed.  
11 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am. It's specifically says in our  
12 regs, 35 --  
13 MS. CUBITT: 15?  
14 MR. GRIGG: 35-15.  
15 MS. KINLEY: -- 35-15, everything that's in a school  
16 contract. If it's not there, we can't approve it,  
17 until such time that all that is in there. We do  
18 have your bond, the square footage requirement.  
19 Also in your curriculum --  
20 MS. CARTER: Yes, ma'am.  
21 MS. KINLEY: -- I'm not seeing threading listed in  
22 there, the new regs effective June 25th, 2010.  
23 MS. CARTER: Okay.  
24 MS. THOMPSON: '10? Or '11?  
25 MS. KINLEY: '10. Stated that threading was included in

1 the curriculum. I believe it took -- it took hours  
2 away from your elective hours, so it reduced the  
3 number of those elective hours. So that has to be  
4 changed and updated to make sure that coincides  
5 with what's in the regs, as far as curriculum goes.  
6 The square footage does meet requirements. You do  
7 know you have -- how many students. Will  
8 accommodate 60, but you do know with only two  
9 instructors, you can only have 40 maximum.

10 MS. CARTER: Yes.

11 MS. KINLEY: So I'll entertain a motion at this point.

12 MS. WEBB: Madam Chair, I'll make a motion to deny.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Second.

14 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second to deny the  
15 application for Carolina Cosmetology Academy. Any  
16 further discussion?

17 (NO RESPONSE.)

18 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
19 saying aye.

20 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

21 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. You'll have to  
22 correct that and resubmit.

23 MS. CARTER: Thank you.

24 MS. KINLEY: Thank you.

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1 MS. KINLEY: Institute of -- oh, I'm sorry, Shirley,  
2 your back.

3 MS. WIDER: It's a new location.

4 MS. THOMPSON: So it's two changes. So the date and  
5 it's a --

6 MS. KINLEY: Instructor -- it's three changes.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Yep. Hold on one second. I told you,  
8 it's getting late. And she already has one change  
9 documented. So that's going to exceed her limit.  
10 Sir, do you want to step forward? And, I'm sorry,  
11 what was your name again?

12 MR. LEE: Bryan Q. Lee.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Bryan Q. Lee?

14 MR. LEE: Yes, ma'am. I just talked to her.

15 MS. THOMPSON: You did?

16 MS. WIDER: Wait a minute; Rosanne, I may be wrong.  
17 Where is it held?

18 MS. KINLEY: Two Notch. Holiday Inn on Two Notch.

19 MR. LEE: It's on Two Notch. And it's a new class.

20 MS. KINLEY: Yeah, we recognize it's a new class.

21 MS. WIDER: What's the address of Two Notch?

22 MS. KINLEY: 8510.

23 MR. LEE: 8510.

24 MS. KINLEY: You said you just talked to her and what?

25 MR. LEE: That that was a new class and she hadn't

1 received the letters that was supposed to be sent  
2 to her. She hadn't received anything. She say she  
3 hadn't received anything.

4 MS. THOMPSON: We may need to get her back on the phone  
5 in order to expedite this process --

6 MR. LEE: Okay.

7 MS. THOMPSON: -- for you today. She's only allowed  
8 three changes total for the calendar year. She's  
9 already had one.

10 MR. LEE: Okay.

11 MS. THOMPSON: So what you have submitted on her behalf  
12 today is, in essence, three changes. You're adding  
13 a location that we've not previously approved, the  
14 new date of October the 10th, as well as this  
15 instructor.

16 MR. LEE: Got you.

17 MS. THOMPSON: We need her to pick which two is most  
18 important.

19 MR. LEE: Most important.

20 MS. THOMPSON: And then she will have met all of her  
21 change allowances for the year.

22 MS. KINLEY: Shirley, did you verify?

23 MR. LEE: She already did the class.

24 MS. KINLEY: Did you verify --

25 MS. THOMPSON: But where is she going to have it? If we

1           approve the date and we don't approve the location,  
2           is she opting to not have this instructor approved?  
3           That's what she's opting to do, so do a date and a  
4           location?

5   MR. LEE:   Yes.

6   MS. KINLEY: Look at the son back there. He's going to  
7           hold water on that. He's going to hold that water.  
8           Yeah, that's what she wants.

9   MS. THOMPSON: Do you want a moment to just double-check  
10           with her?

11   MR. LEE:   I already checked.

12   MS. KINLEY: He's already checked.

13   MR. LEE:   I know.

14   MS. KINLEY: So Shirley, you are verifying that that is  
15           a new location.

16   MS. WIDER:  Yeah. I've got 6531 Two Notch, 9444 Two  
17           Notch, 9400 Two Notch, 10149 Two Notch.

18   MS. KINLEY: Okay. All right. So from what I'm hearing  
19           from y'all, you would like for us to approve the  
20           date and the --

21   MS. THOMPSON: Location.

22   MS. KINLEY:  -- and the location --

23   MR. LEE:   Location.

24   MS. KINLEY:  -- I'm sorry, yeah -- but not the  
25           instructor. She will use one of her instructors

1           that's already been approved --

2   MR. LEE:   Yep.   There you go.

3   MS. KINLEY:  -- by the board.

4   MS. THOMPSON:  And just for my notes, could I have the  
5           address of the new location on Two Notch?

6   MR. LEE:   Yep, it's a Holiday Inn, it's 8510 Two Notch  
7           Road.

8   MS. THOMPSON:  And so you're clear and your confident,  
9           reaching her limit with her changes on her behalf.

10  MR. LEE:   I don't want to be in the dog house.

11  MS. THOMPSON:  I'm trying to make sure you're not in it.  
12           October the 10th as well as 8510 Two Notch will be  
13           her second and third correction/change for this  
14           year, if it's so approved by the board.

15  MR. LEE:   Yeah.

16  MS. KINLEY:  And Ciel, you be sure you put in there that  
17           the son held the water and signed off on this.

18  COURT REPORTER:  I need the son's name to verify that.

19  MS. KINLEY:  Sir, son, can I have your name again, for  
20           the record.

21  MR. GRAY:   Cory Gray.

22  COURT REPORTER:  C-O-R-Y?   Or E-Y?

23  MR. GRAY;   Just Y.

24  COURT REPORTER:  C-O-R-Y.   And what's the last name  
25           again?

1 MR. GRAY: Gray, G-R-A-Y.

2 MS. THOMPSON: I make a motion that we approve the date  
3 of October the 10th as well as the location of 8510  
4 Two Notch Road for Advanced Association of  
5 Cosmetology.

6 MS. BROWN: Second.

7 MS. WEBB: Second.

8 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for the two  
9 changes, making the third final change for Advanced  
10 Association, which includes dates and location.  
11 Any discussion?

12 (NO RESPONSE.)

13 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
14 saying aye.

15 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

16 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. All right.  
17 Y'all back and tell her.

18 MR. LEE: We got you covered. I appreciate it.

19 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Thank you. And tell her  
20 that --

21 MR. LEE: Now we get a steak dinner.

22 MS. THOMPSON: We'll meet you there.

23 MS. KINLEY: At eight.

24 MR. LEE: Take it easy. Thank you.

25 MS. KINLEY: Thank you.



1 agenda, so we can't entertain it.

2 MS. STABLER: Okay. All right. Thank you.

3 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. I'm sorry, Catherine.

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5 MS. KINLEY: Approval of school application for  
6 Institute of Nail Artistry. Ms. Hernandez?

7 MS. HERNANDEZ: Yes, ma'am.

8 MS. KINLEY: Hi.

9 MS. HERNANDEZ: Hey.

10 MS. KINLEY: So I'm assuming this is a nail school only?

11 MS. HERNANDEZ: Uh-huh.

12 COURT REPORTER: Is that a yes?

13 MS. HERNANDEZ: Yes.

14 COURT REPORTER: I've got to have yes or no's, okay?

15 MS. HERNANDEZ: Yes.

16 COURT REPORTER: Can you spell your last name for me?

17 MS. HERNANDEZ: Hernandez, H-E-R-N-A-N-D-E-Z:

18 MS. KINLEY: I do see a bond. A million dollar bond?

19 Am I reading that right?

20 MS. HERNANDEZ: No.

21 MS. KINLEY: Excuse me?

22 MS. HERNANDEZ: Ten thousand, I think it was.

23 MS. BROWN: Ten thousand.

24 MS. RODGERS: This is one million.

25 MS. WEBB: It's one million.

1 MS. KINLEY: I'm seeing a million, and I'm looking to  
2 see if that's relating to something -- I mean, I  
3 don't even know why I'm questioning it because it's  
4 above and beyond what we require, so --

5 MS. RODGERS: But it says one million.

6 MS. KINLEY: It does say one million.

7 MS. HERNANDEZ: It does?

8 MS. WIDER: Mine says 10,000.

9 MS. THOMPSON: You might need to double-check that. You  
10 might being charged extra.

11 MS. KINLEY: Yeah.

12 MS. RODGERS: Being charged a lot more than what you  
13 think.

14 MS. WIDER: For the sum of 10,000.

15 MS. HERNANDEZ: She have 10,000 here.

16 MS. THOMPSON: This one's 10,000.

17 MS. RODGERS: It's written out "one million."

18 MS. THOMPSON: Now, the words spell 10,000. Now, your  
19 numbers somewhere might say a million, but the  
20 words spell out 10,000.

21 MS. RODGERS: An extra couple of zeros.

22 MS. THOMPSON: I thought according to a bank, on a  
23 check, the words written carried more water than  
24 the numbers in the -- so I would assume the same  
25 here.

1 MS. KINLEY: Well, what I'm looking at is this surety  
2 group over here that's spelling out one million.

3 MS. RODGERS: Yeah.

4 MS. THOMPSON: I'm just looking at --

5 MS. KINLEY: I see that. But this one is spelling out  
6 "one million dollars."

7 MS. BROWN: It is.

8 MS. WEBB: Sure is.

9 MS. WIDER: Where is that?

10 MS. KINLEY: Two pages over, Shirley.

11 MS. THOMPSON: It says "none of that shall exceed one  
12 million." That's not saying what the policy is.

13 That just says that none of that shall exceed one  
14 million. Her's specifies 10,000.

15 MS. KINLEY: That one million just jumped out at me and  
16 I'm like, um. The attorney, our advice counsel,  
17 Mr. Grigg, has not had opportunity -- correct? --  
18 to review the contract. It was not given to him  
19 ahead of time.

20 MS. THOMPSON: I am a little curious as to -- unless I'm  
21 misreading, again, on this surety bond, it says  
22 that this has been notarized on March the 30th of  
23 2009.

24 MS. HERNANDEZ: I just got that done.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Look on the --

1 MS. KINLEY: I saw that too a while ago, and I thought  
2 that --

3 COURT REPORTER: Is that when the expiration is?

4 MS. THOMPSON: No. March 2009 before me and that person  
5 personally appeared before me. And then the  
6 notary's information where his commission expires  
7 2011, so -- does it say in here specifically --  
8 spell out the name of this particular school? or  
9 this applicant?

10 MS. KINLEY: No. I think that's to do with who the  
11 notary is.

12 (Off-the-record discussion.)

13 MS. THOMPSON: These names do not match the names on the  
14 application.

15 MS. KINLEY: Who is John Weisbrot and Patricia Tinsman?

16 MS. HERNANDEZ: I have no idea. I think that's the  
17 people that -- you know, the people that give me the  
18 surety bond.

19 MS. KINLEY: This is a power of attorney.

20 MS. HERNANDEZ: That's what they send me. So I submit  
21 everything that they send to me.

22 MS. KINLEY: I've got your bond from Washington  
23 International Insurance Company.

24 MS. THOMPSON: This is a blanket power of attorney that  
25 that particular surety bond company apparently makes

1           their policyholders sign, granting this -- because  
2           if you read right there, "Power of attorney is  
3           granted and signed," blah, blah, blah, blah. It  
4           says "the resolution is adopted by the boards of  
5           directors of both North American Specialty Insurance  
6           Company," yada, yada, yada. So it looks like a  
7           generic, blanket power of attorney, that they  
8           require their policyholders to sign?

9   MR. GRIGG: It's what it looks like. I've never seen one  
10           before --

11   MR. LOCHRIDGE: Madam Chair, if I may.

12   MS. KINLEY: Ken.

13   MR. LOCHRIDGE: It is common practice for a bonding  
14           company -- the surety company will let the agent  
15           have power of attorney to bind the company.

16   MS. THOMPSON: Is it common practice to have two agents  
17           specified?

18   MR. LOCHRIDGE: Well, more than one person of the company  
19           could then issue a bond. So what happens, or what I  
20           have seen happen in the past, the insurance company  
21           is out here somewhere, and you have an agent over  
22           here writing it. So they get their power of  
23           attorney, to one or two people, in the agent's  
24           office to issue the bond in their name. And I  
25           suspect that that's what you're seeing, although I'm

1 not looking at the paperwork.

2 MS. THOMPSON: Possibly. But would the policyholder,  
3 meaning Ms. Hernandez, would she not have to sign  
4 that?

5 MR. LOCHRIDGE: No.

6 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

7 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Just binding the company.

8 MS. THOMPSON: It's binding the company with the agents.

9 MS. KINLEY: Okay. I understand that.

10 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

11 MS. KINLEY: I guess I've just never had this attached.  
12 We ask for the bond and we don't ask for the power  
13 of attorney, so --

14 MS. THOMPSON: Thank you, Ken.

15 MR. LOCHRIDGE: I've seen that on a North Carolina bond.  
16 It kind of depends on how the particular bonding  
17 company is set up.

18 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

19 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Some of them -- most of them in South  
20 Carolina do it direct, through the company. Mine in  
21 North Carolina is handled this particular way, just  
22 different agencies is all.

23 MS. KINLEY: Thank you for clarification. And we do have  
24 your -- tell me if I'm wrong. Am I -- yes, I'm  
25 missing it. Never mind; shut up, Rosanne. Read the

1 whole thing through.

2 Seeing your curriculum, your hours and Mr.

3 Grigg over here is telling me that --

4 MS. THOMPSON: I'm not seeing --

5 (Off the record discussion.)

6 MS. KINLEY: Is that acceptable?

7 MR. GRIGG: Where are you?

8 MS. KINLEY: The general terms agreement. The second

9 school may change -- make change. That has to meet  
10 our regs.

11 MS. THOMPSON: Ms. Hernandez, do you have an additional  
12 instructor available to you?

13 MS. HERNANDEZ: Not at the moment.

14 MS. THOMPSON: Not at the moment. Okay. So what would  
15 happen if you were to get sick, if you're the only  
16 one listed to be the instructor?

17 MS. HERNANDEZ: Well, I'm try to find an instructor, but  
18 the school isn't open yet, so --

19 MS. THOMPSON: I understand.

20 MS. HERNANDEZ: -- trying to --

21 MS. THOMPSON: No, no, I understand that. I just didn't  
22 know if you had someone already that you were  
23 working with, if you had someone in mind, you had  
24 the availability or application process in, that you  
25 just needed to actually hire someone, once your

1 school was one.

2 MS. HERNANDEZ: I definitely going to hire someone.

3 MS. KINLEY: On your general terms of agreement, there  
4 are several things that you put in here that may or  
5 may not be in accordance with the regs of this  
6 board. The second one, (As read) "the school may  
7 change kit contents, textbooks, other educational  
8 methods at its discretion." That must be approved  
9 by the board at any time that you wish to make those  
10 changes.

11 MS. HERNANDEZ: Okay.

12 MS. KINLEY: So that needs to be corrected, per board  
13 approval, is what that would need --

14 MS. HERNANDEZ: For now? Or like for future --

15 MS. KINLEY: No. It needs to say that now. We can't  
16 approve that until it's in place, because you're  
17 wanting us to approve the fact that your terms of  
18 agreement say you can change it when you want to.  
19 It would have to say "upon board approval." The  
20 same with -- is that next to the last one okay?

21 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, would it maybe not possibly  
22 be more efficient to actually just approve the  
23 application, but then pending the reviewal of the  
24 rest of this pertinent information?

25 MS. KINLEY: Well, I'd like to see what she has to come

1 back and change too.

2 MS. THOMPSON: Well, I think that she should receive it  
3 in writing, so that she knows exactly what to  
4 address.

5 MS. KINLEY: Well, we have to address it.

6 MS. THOMPSON: That would come from Dean; wouldn't it?  
7 Dean and Doris?

8 MS. KINLEY: Not the attorney. He's only doing the  
9 contract. That's not the contract.

10 MS. THOMPSON: We can incorporate that in the motion to  
11 include terms of agreement, as well as contract.

12 MS. KINLEY: And after the board has seen it.

13 MR. GRIGG: And then y'all --

14 MS. KINLEY: Yeah.

15 MS. THOMPSON: Exactly. But is that going to, in  
16 essence, defer this into November? I mean, her  
17 proposed opening date is, I think, October, October  
18 20th or sooner, if possible.

19 MR. GRIGG: Unless you want Doris to be able to sign off  
20 on it.

21 MS. KINLEY: Do what?

22 MR. GRIGG: Unless you want Doris to sign off on it, if  
23 she's satisfied, if y'all want to give her  
24 guidelines. And then when it comes in, she and I  
25 have looked at it --

1 MS. THOMPSON: I -- I mean, A, to have written  
2 documentation of exactly what we need her to change,  
3 rather than just telling her and hoping and  
4 expecting that she's taking adequate notes. And  
5 two, for the efficiency and expedition of this  
6 process, I think that that's probably going to be  
7 the best way to handle it.

8 MS. KINLEY: Y'all can make a motion. I would feel more  
9 comfortable with the board seeing that, once it's  
10 submitted.

11 MS. THOMPSON: But that was -- that led me to my next  
12 question. Would that then delay this process to the  
13 November meeting? Or is there a provision where we  
14 can still do that, yet not delay her any longer than  
15 absolutely necessary?

16 MS. WEBB: You can email something to us all?

17 MR. GRIGG: Then you'd have to take it to public session.

18 MS. KINLEY: That's what I'm saying.

19 MR. GRIGG: You have to do it in public session.

20 MS. GILMER: You have to what?

21 MS. KINLEY: Do it in public session.

22 MS. THOMPSON: So these others that we do approval,  
23 pending contract renewal, if there are issues with  
24 the contract, are you then going to notify them in  
25 writing and --

1 MR. GRIGG: I'm personally not, no. But, yes, I mean,  
2 they would be notified. To do what the contract --

3 MS. THOMPSON: -- the changes that would be --

4 MR. GRIGG: -- is missing --

5 MS. THOMPSON: Right. And then --

6 MR. GRIGG: -- and what needs to be made, like the ones  
7 we talked about earlier.

8 MS. THOMPSON: Right. And then those corrections would  
9 be then submitted back to the office.

10 MR. GRIGG: Unless y'all are going to authorize Doris to  
11 do it administratively or your chair to do it. I  
12 mean, if you're going to authorize the chair to sign  
13 off on it, then the chair could receive them from  
14 Doris or myself.

15 MS. THOMPSON: We could make it a joint venture,  
16 administrator and chair.

17 MR. GRIGG: Could do it that way.

18 MS. KINLEY: That would be all right.

19 MR. GRIGG: Going to have to vote to authorize that --

20 MS. THOMPSON: Do I need to --

21 MR. GRIGG: -- that to happen.

22 MS. THOMPSON: -- make a motion first in regard to this  
23 particular contract? Or do I need to make a motion  
24 in regard to this particular set of circumstances  
25 around this contract?

1 MR. GRIGG: You can table this for a second and take care  
2 of that.

3 MS. THOMPSON: Does that need to be in a form of a motion  
4 to table that? Or just simply make a statement?

5 MR. GRIGG: You can just table it.

6 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. So at this time what I'd like to do  
7 is table the issue of this particular application  
8 and contract. I would like to make a motion that  
9 this board approve --

10 MS. KINLEY: Authorize.

11 MS. THOMPSON: -- to authorize, yes, that the corrections  
12 or issues that are addressed with this next  
13 application, that this board authorize our  
14 administrator and the board chair to review the  
15 additions or corrections, in order to expedite the  
16 finalizing of this application.

17 MS. WEBB: You're making that a motion?

18 MS. THOMPSON: I'm making that a motion, that we grant  
19 permission to the board administrator, as well as  
20 the board chair, who will jointly be reviewing any  
21 corrections or additions made on this particular  
22 application.

23 MS. GILMER: Second.

24 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second to authorize  
25 approval of any corrections for contracts or

1 guidelines, school guidelines, once corrected, to be  
2 approved with authorization by administrator and  
3 board chair. Any discussion?

4 MR. GRIGG: I have one point of clarification.

5 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

6 MR. GRIGG: Are you only doing that with this  
7 particular --

8 MS. THOMPSON: Yes.

9 MR. GRIGG: -- or is that going to be something -- Okay.

10 MS. THOMPSON: No, just this particular one, because I  
11 don't know that there will be the need to continue  
12 to repeat that process. It may be and we may need  
13 to make it a blanket statement. But my motion as of  
14 right now is for this particular one.

15 MR. GRIGG: All right.

16 MS. KINLEY: Any further discussion?

17 (NO RESPONSE.)

18 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
19 saying aye.

20 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

21 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

22 MS. THOMPSON: Now we'll come back to this particular  
23 application. And I'd like to make a motion that we  
24 approve the application for this school, but that  
25 the approval is pending the reviewal of the school

1 contract, the general terms of operation, a  
2 reviewal, again, of the payment schedule. I don't  
3 necessarily see anything wrong, but I want to  
4 include that. Refund policy, just to double-check  
5 the curriculum.

6 So the motion is to approve the application,  
7 but it's pending the reviewal of those pertinent  
8 pieces of information by the administrator and the  
9 board chair, which was just previously agreed on.

10 MS. WIDER: Could you repeat that again?

11 MS. KINLEY: For Institute of Nail Artistry.

12 MS. THOMPSON: Excuse me?

13 MS. KINLEY: For Institute of Nail Artistry.

14 MS. THOMPSON: Yes, I'm sorry. Institute of Nail  
15 Artistry. That was my motion.

16 MS. WEBB: Second.

17 MS. KINLEY: I was going to say -- have a motion and a  
18 second. And I hope you got that.

19 COURT REPORTER: I'm trying.

20 MS. THOMPSON: You can repeat it.

21 MS. KINLEY: Any discussion?

22 (NO RESPONSE.)

23 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
24 saying aye.

25 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

1 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries. Do you  
2 understand?

3 MS. HERNANDEZ: Yes. Which are the ones that I have to  
4 change?

5 MS. KINLEY: You'll receive that.

6 MR. GRIGG: You'll receive something stating all that.

7 MS. KINLEY: You'll be receiving what has to be  
8 corrected, before we can move forward with this.

9 MS. HERNANDEZ: Okay.

10 MS. KINLEY: And then once that is corrected, it will be  
11 sent back. And then the administrator and the board  
12 chair will go through that approval process.

13 MS. HERNANDEZ: Okay. Perfect. Thank you.

14 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am.

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16 MS. KINLEY: Virginia College, Nancy Sasak. Now, you're  
17 requesting -- I'm really not sure what. You're  
18 wanting to change to credit hours?

19 MS. SASAK: No.

20 MS. KINLEY: I mean clock hours?

21 MS. SASAK: Right.

22 MS. KINLEY: I'm sorry.

23 MS. THOMPSON: Which is what we require anyway.

24 MS. KINLEY: Yeah.

25 MS. SASAK: Currently, we track progress in clock hours

1           and credit hours. Going forward, we want to just do  
2           clock hours.

3   MS. KINLEY: That's all we require.

4   MS. SASAK: I know.

5   MS. THOMPSON: That's all we require.

6   MS. KINLEY: Is clock hours.

7   MS. SASAK: I know. Also, we are doing our program, we  
8           do quarters. And we do one long quarter, but we're  
9           changing that to what we call modules, so we're  
10          going to have 12 modules per program. Curriculum's  
11          not changing at all. Everything else is the same.

12   MS. KINLEY: Contract's not changing?

13   MS. SASAK: Nothing. Nothing is changing. That's all  
14          we're changing is we're dropping the credit hours.

15   MS. KINLEY: That actually pleases this board.

16   MS. THOMPSON: Okay. Hold on. Could you repeat what you  
17          just said about the changing in the word "module"?  
18          Could you repeat that?

19   MS. SASAK: We're calling it modules. But what it is, is  
20          we -- we do quarters. And we were doing all of  
21          our class and we called it, it was just "quarter  
22          one" or --

23   MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

24   MS. SASAK: -- whatever.

25   MS. THOMPSON: But the same amount of time that's been

1 associated with a quarter is going to remain the  
2 same in a module.

3 MS. SASAK: Exactly.

4 MS. THOMPSON: So it's not going to be a three week was a  
5 quarter, and now a five week is a module.

6 MS. SASAK: No, no.

7 MS. THOMPSON: Just wanted to be sure.

8 MS. SASAK: None of that is changing. The problem is,  
9 our accrediting agency, ACICS, requires that we get  
10 written permission from the state boards that our  
11 schools are in. So that's why I'm here.

12 MS. WEBB: I'll make a motion to approve Virginia  
13 College.

14 MS. BROWN: Second.

15 MS. GILMER: Second.

16 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for approval  
17 for Virginia College to drop their credit hours,  
18 that we didn't monitor anyway, and the renaming of  
19 their quarter system to module system. Is there any  
20 further -- I have a motion and a second. Is there  
21 any further discussion?

22 MS. THOMPSON: Yes. I'm just -- all the other  
23 information that you've submitted, is that a  
24 secondary point of information here? Or what is  
25 this?

1 MS. SASAK: Actually, what I submitted just for your  
2 review is our syllabi for each of those 12 modules  
3 in the program.

4 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. Just wanted to be certain.

5 MS. SASAK: I didn't know if you needed it, but I sent it  
6 just in case you did.

7 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Any further discussion?

8 (NO RESPONSE.)

9 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
10 saying aye.

11 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

12 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

13 MS. SASAK: If I send a little email or something, could  
14 someone send me back, say yes, that we're approved?  
15 That's what we --

16 MS. KINLEY: You'll be receiving a letter stating that  
17 this was approved. Correct, Doris?

18 MS. CUBITT: Yes.

19 MS. SASAK: Unfortunately, we're in -- and I hate to rush  
20 you, but we're in kind of a crunch because we have  
21 to send it --

22 MS. KINLEY: Really don't be looking at me; look at her.

23 MS. CUBITT: Send me an email, and I'll --

24 MS. SASAK: Thank you so much.

25 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. Thank you.



1 we hadn't decided yet what we were doing because we  
2 were trying to deal with the Myrtle Beach issues.  
3 So no, we never -- we never closed the school. We  
4 just -- we were teaching massage classes there. We  
5 just didn't have any aesthetics classes. So we just  
6 recently moved locations. And when I spoke to you  
7 at the special meeting, I asked you, you know, about  
8 the name change, because I said we hadn't officially  
9 changed the name. And you said just include that in  
10 the same application.

11 MS. KINLEY: And I understand that. And correct me if  
12 I'm -- and for give me if I'm wrong, but it was my  
13 recollection that you were closing the Columbia  
14 school when you were moving to Myrtle Beach --

15 MS. BEACH: That is incorrect.

16 MS. KINLEY: -- and the Bluffton location was in process  
17 of opening up at that new location.

18 MS. BEACH: No. When I came before the board and asked  
19 to change the name of the schools to the  
20 International Spa Institute, I said that I wasn't  
21 changing the Columbia school name at this time  
22 because we weren't sure whether or not we would be  
23 closing it or moving it.

24 MS. RODGERS: So you're saying you're moving it, not  
25 closing it.

1 MS. BEACH: Yes, ma'am. We are moving it to Northeast  
2 Columbia.

3 MS. KINLEY: Okay. So this is an application -- while  
4 she's looking to see past history here, this is an  
5 application for a new location. Does she have to  
6 submit everything -- I mean, she's submitted --

7 MS. BEACH: Madam Chair, this is the seventh time I've  
8 come before the board for either a new school or a  
9 change of location. And in the past -- and, in  
10 fact, the last move that we had, would have been  
11 probably Bluffton location.

12 MS. KINLEY: When was that, Linda?

13 MS. BEACH: Pardon me?

14 MS. KINLEY: When was the Bluffton location?

15 MS. BEACH: It was approved for January 1.

16 MS. THOMPSON: It was in the last year because I --

17 MS. BEACH: Yes.

18 MS. THOMPSON: -- was on the inspection.

19 MS. BEACH: It was the end of last year because Tracy --  
20 Ms. McCauley came out and we were allowed to just  
21 provide her at the final inspection, I believe,  
22 the --

23 MS. THOMPSON: I was there as well.

24 MS. BEACH: Right. -- the contract showing the new  
25 address. And, I mean, just to make sure that we had

1 every -- the paperwork had the correct address. And  
2 so we did provide that. We'd be more than happy to  
3 provide it. I can do that in two seconds and -- and  
4 have it emailed.

5 MS. KINLEY: And the bond, because --

6 MS. BEACH: The insurance agent mailed a letter -- or  
7 emailed or faxed a letter.

8 MS. WIDER: That was for Bluffton school.

9 MS. BEACH: Well, no, he said he sent the Columbia bond.

10 MS. WIDER: It says "Bluffton, South Carolina."

11 MS. BEACH: Well, no, that -- it says Bluffton because  
12 that's where our school office is. We have -- you  
13 know, it goes by the bond number. What he sent was  
14 the Columbia bond, but it says "mailing address" and  
15 it has -- because I -- I remember you saying that,  
16 and I called him and asked him about that. And he  
17 said that that was just indicating that that's our  
18 mailing address, because our school home office is  
19 in Bluffton. Again, more than happy to provide --  
20 it will be at least three weeks before we -- we will  
21 be available for a final inspection. I certainly  
22 can make sure that the board members, as well as  
23 LLR, have all this paperwork that you need.

24 MS. KINLEY: But in the reg, it clearly states that the  
25 bond has to -- we have to have proof of bond

1 transferral, must be required.

2 MS. BEACH: It was sent. It was sent to Shirley.

3 MS. KINLEY: Well, I don't have it. And I can only  
4 approve what's in front of me.

5 MS. BEACH: Okay. But I provided it with my application,  
6 and it was sent from my agent, and he confirmed that  
7 and Shirley confirmed that. The only issue she's  
8 saying is that it had a Bluffton address on it. The  
9 bond is -- it's not specific to an address. Just  
10 the name needed to be changed for the Columbia  
11 location, which it does indicate.

12 MS. KINLEY: A bond wouldn't be specific to a school  
13 location?

14 MS. BEACH: It's not specific to an address. It's just a  
15 -- they have -- they have it listed as Columbia, but  
16 there's not -- there's not a process within the bond  
17 company to change the bond from one physical address  
18 to another. We have two separate \$10,000 bonds, one  
19 for Bluffton and one for Columbia. And we requested  
20 that the name change on the Columbia bond reflect  
21 International Spa Institute, which was done. The  
22 address that's reflected on that bond just merely  
23 says the school's mailing address, which is our  
24 Bluffton location, is our home office.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Shirley can you --

1 MS. WIDER: Get that bond?

2 MS. THOMPSON: Please.

3 MS. KINLEY: Can we come back to you?

4 MS. BEACH: Yeah. You can match up the bond number on  
5 it, from the original bond.

6 MS. KINLEY: Just have a seat until Shirley gets --

7 MS. BEACH: Sure.

8 MS. KINLEY: -- back. Thank you.

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10 MS. KINLEY: Request for consideration of temporary  
11 permits for military spouses, Amy Boland. Hey, Amy.

12 MS. BOLAND: Hello.

13 MS. KINLEY: Nice to meet you.

14 MS. BOLAND: You too.

15 MS. KINLEY: We've spoken several times.

16 MS. BOLAND: We have.

17 MS. KINLEY: Doris Cubitt, our new administrator, our new  
18 advice counsel have looked at what you submitted in  
19 regards to temporary work permits for military or  
20 spouses of military. And I've been informed that  
21 there actually was a bill submitted by this office  
22 to the General Assembly last year to allow us to  
23 issue that exact permit. It never has gone  
24 anywhere. So that --

25 MR. GRIGG: I don't know if it's by this office. I don't

1 know who submitted --

2 MS. KINLEY: Oh, okay. I thought you said --

3 MR. GRIGG: No.

4 MS. KINLEY: -- he followed it.

5 MR. GRIGG: The previous attorney was aware and followed  
6 it. Don't know if he was involved in the -- I don't  
7 think he was involved in --

8 MS. KINLEY: Okay.

9 MR. GRIGG: -- the submittal of it. That may have been  
10 my fault.

11 MS. KINLEY: I misunderstood you then. I thought --  
12 okay.

13 MR. GRIGG: I might have misspoke.

14 MS. KINLEY: I just thought -- can't remember his name.

15 MR. GRIGG: Sheridan?

16 MS. KINLEY: No.

17 MR. GRIGG: No?

18 MS. KINLEY: Gillespie.

19 MR. GRIGG: Oh, Grant.

20 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

21 MR. GRIGG: Yeah, I don't know. I don't know if he --

22 MS. KINLEY: Okay. All right. So I don't have that  
23 power. And as I've told you, my heart goes out to  
24 military. God bless everyone that's in the U.S.  
25 military. But I still think the best recommendation

1 for you is to work on -- find work on a military  
2 base or teach out the extra hours that you're  
3 needing in one of our schools.

4 MS. BOLAND: If I work on a military base for --

5 MS. KINLEY: You can work on a military base.

6 MS. BOLAND: -- six months, would you consider waiving  
7 the additional hours that I need, so that then I  
8 could --

9 MS. KINLEY: Tell me again how many hours Pennsylvania  
10 had.

11 MS. BOLAND: Twelve hundred and fifty.

12 MS. KINLEY: Twelve fifty. So you were short two hundred  
13 and fifty.

14 MS. BOLAND: Yes, ma'am.

15 MS. THOMPSON: But I think it would be a little premature  
16 to speak on what the board may potentially do in the  
17 future. I think that that would be --

18 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. We can't foresee the future. I don't  
19 even know who would be on this board in six months,  
20 quite honestly. So I certainly couldn't put  
21 precedence for them. I think I could probably say  
22 that they would honestly look at the application  
23 submitted, and if it was within the regs or statutes  
24 to do whatever is right for you at that time, I  
25 would hope that that would take place. I'm so sorry



1 (NO RESPONSE.)

2 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
3 saying aye.

4 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

5 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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7 MS. KINLEY: Review and revise inspection reports. You  
8 have inspection report, a blank inspection report  
9 for salons, schools, new schools and the final  
10 inspection check sheet. On the salon inspection  
11 report, I would like it updated to also include if  
12 this is a nail or aesthetic's salon, to include that  
13 criteria. What I have in front of me simply says  
14 "shampoo, bowl and sink," and I know you don't have  
15 one.

16 MS. THOMPSON: I do not have a shampoo, bowl and sink.

17 MS. KINLEY: Maybe there's another one out there that we  
18 weren't given. I know you don't know probably,  
19 Doris.

20 MS. CUBITT: I'm sorry; I don't.

21 MS. KINLEY: And --

22 MS. CUBITT: So you're saying this would be more for a  
23 shop, as opposed to an aesthetician?

24 MS. KINLEY: What I've got in front of me says  
25 "inspection report."

1 MS. CUBITT: Okay.

2 MS. KINLEY: And I'll be honest with you. As many times  
3 as I've been inspected, I honestly don't know if  
4 mine -- do you remember, Melanie, if your inspection  
5 report specifies nails and aesthetics? Or is it one  
6 -- a full --

7 MS. THOMPSON: No, mine simply says "salon," I think.  
8 And in my case personally, we only do massage,  
9 aesthetics and nails. But it doesn't say just  
10 massage, aesthetics and nails on my license or  
11 inspection.

12 MS. KINLEY: So I think we need to roll this over to  
13 November, until we get some more information. I  
14 need to know if there's multiple inspection reports  
15 out there for different types of salons that I  
16 wasn't given. Or does everything need to be  
17 incorporated on this one.

18 MS. CUBITT: Okay.

19 MS. KINLEY: Do I need a motion? So that's going to roll  
20 over to --

21 MR. GRIGG: Yeah, you do.

22 MS. KINLEY: I'll entertain a motion to roll that over to  
23 November.

24 MS. THOMPSON: So moved.

25 MS. GILMER: Second.

1 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second to defer the  
2 review and revise inspection reports to November's  
3 meeting. Any further discussion?

4 (NO RESPONSE.)

5 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
6 saying aye.

7 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

8 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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10 MS. KINLEY: Approval of board meeting dates for 2012.  
11 Our board meets the second Monday of every other  
12 month. November we sometimes have a issue with  
13 Veteran's Day, and so that does affect us. I see  
14 that we've been assigned Room 105 for that meeting.  
15 And I know, Roz -- forgive my ignorance, but I know  
16 we were just in 105 -- is that the same size room  
17 capacity-wise?

18 MS. BAILEY-GLOVER: Pretty much.

19 MS. KINLEY: Because November is our biggest meeting.

20 MS. BAILEY-GLOVER: It has more seating.

21 MS. KINLEY: Oh, God, why don't we move to that all the  
22 time?

23 MS. BAILEY-GLOVER: It's over on the other side.

24 MS. KINLEY: And Granigus is also available in that room?

25 MS. BAILEY-GLOVER: It is.

1 MS. KINLEY: I just want to make sure because our  
2 November is our biggest meeting, and so I did not  
3 want -- I know one time we got put in that itty-  
4 bitty office space over there, and the medical board  
5 came out and snapped their fingers at us to be  
6 quiet.

7 MS. GILMER: Madam Chair, I make a motion to approve  
8 pending dates proposal.

9 MS. BROWN: Second.

10 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for approval of  
11 the meeting dates for 2010. Any further discussion?

12 (NO RESPONSE.)

13 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
14 saying aye.

15 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

16 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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18 MS. KINLEY: Nail, Skin, Hair of America. This is your  
19 -- let me find you. This was sent in in July to be  
20 on this agenda. And heavens -- hold that for me.

21 MS. PHILLIPS: I'll use a bigger font next time; I'm  
22 sorry.

23 MS. KINLEY: I would like to use my three changes at this  
24 time: Charleston, October 2nd; Hilton Head October  
25 30; Myrtle Beach, November 20. These are your only

1 three changes this year so far?

2 MS. PHILLIPS: Yes, ma'am.

3 MS. KINLEY: Since my bible is busy?

4 MS. THOMPSON: Your bible is clear.

5 MS. PHILLIPS: I promise you --

6 MS. KINLEY: Oh, okay.

7 MS. PHILLIPS: -- it's the only three. I wouldn't be  
8 caught up in something like that.

9 MS. KINLEY: Excuse me?

10 MS. PHILLIPS: I wouldn't get caught up in something like  
11 that because I know that you and Melanie would hang  
12 me out to dry, so I would not --

13 MS. KINLEY: And I'm assuming --

14 MS. PHILLIPS: -- put in more than three.

15 MS. KINLEY: Oh, there's a bigger copy of it right there.

16 MS. PHILLIPS: I sent it in July 1st, but we had a power  
17 outage due to storms, like we often do in Aiken,  
18 South Carolina on July 1st. And so it didn't go in  
19 until July 5th. And that meant that I didn't cut --  
20 I didn't get it in time for the July 13th meeting.  
21 And it was supposed --

22 MS. KINLEY: But it was brought up at that --

23 MS. PHILLIPS: -- to be carried over.

24 MS. KINLEY: We were told at that.

25 MS. PHILLIPS: It was.

1 MS. KINLEY: Yes, I remember that now.

2 MS. PHILLIPS: And Eddie was aware of that and -- but  
3 somehow, even after Eddie being gone, I was told  
4 that Lisa was the person. And I contacted Lisa, but  
5 Lisa's not the person anymore, so it got dropped  
6 again.

7 MS. KINLEY: We're going to handcuff her to make sure. I  
8 remember it. I do remember it now that I've looked  
9 at it in writing back here.

10 MS. PHILLIPS: It will be the same instructors, same  
11 location and same agenda. The only thing that's  
12 changing is the additional dates.

13 MS. KINLEY: Additional dates.

14 MS. RODGERS: So that's it?

15 MS. KINLEY: Uh-huh.

16 MS. PHILLIPS: Yes, ma'am.

17 MS. RODGERS: I make a motion to approve.

18 MS. GILMER: Second.

19 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for approval of  
20 three additional dates for Nail, Skin, Hair of  
21 America. Any discussion?

22 (NO RESPONSE.)

23 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
24 saying aye.

25 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

1 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

2 MS. PHILLIPS: Thank you.

3 MS. KINLEY: Thank you, Chesley.

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5 MS. KINLEY: Shirley's still not down here. We will go  
6 to board member reports. Who wants to start?

7 MS. GILMER: Good afternoon, everyone. I'm sorry I  
8 wasn't able to attend the national meeting in  
9 Florida. But I was able to be a part of the -- what  
10 would I say? -- it was the phone conference.

11 COURT REPORTER: Deloris, speak up just a little bit  
12 more, please.

13 MS. GILMER: I wasn't able to attend the national board  
14 meeting because of where I live and the proximity.  
15 And I was able to attend the meeting with the phone  
16 conference. And that's the end of it. Other than  
17 that, I didn't go to a school and don't have any  
18 assignments until November.

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20 MS. RODGERS: I got to attend the Fort Lauderdale NIC  
21 Conference. It was outstanding. And I think some  
22 of the things that we've -- as schools that y'all  
23 have seen when we had meetings on the biometric  
24 system, it even proves more now why we need it.  
25 We've seen a lot of disturbing videos on human



1           wealth of information.

2   MS. KINLEY:   Go Shaun.

3   MS. THOMPSON:  Excuse me?

4   MS. KINLEY:   I said, Go Shaun.

5   MS. THOMPSON:  Go Shaun.  A wealth of information.  It's  
6           just confirmation, again, as to why these  
7           conferences are so important because the networking  
8           between states.  There were 24 states represented  
9           there, which I think is a great turnout, to be able  
10          to network with these states, hear what they have to  
11          say, how they're handling these issues, which issues  
12          they're dealing with that we aren't dealing with  
13          yet, I think is amazing.

14                I was elected Region One director.  I am  
15          humbled and honored to do that, but I need to make  
16          sure that everyone understands that I just happened  
17          to be the individual who was elected.  My name  
18          happens to be on that position.  However, it was a  
19          reflection of this entire board.  Our board is  
20          respected among these states; we're respected  
21          nationally.  Our contributions are respected, and  
22          that's a reflection of all of these women who were  
23          there.  They all were extremely professional, a  
24          passion for this industry, knowledgeable, and it was  
25          because of that and how they presented themselves,

1           that South Carolina was recognized and that I was  
2           honored with that position.

3           So I need everyone to make sure that is very  
4           clear. It is not a singular position; it is a  
5           position of this entire board to represent Region  
6           One and be the director because it was them  
7           collectively and what they put out that got me  
8           elected. So thank you, board members. I appreciate  
9           your support. I appreciate your hard work. I  
10          appreciate the campaigning that you did, greatly  
11          appreciate it.

12   MS. RODGERS: Rosanne was also elected.

13   MS. THOMPSON: I wasn't finished, thank you.

14   MS. RODGERS: If I don't butt in, I don't get in.

15   MS. THOMPSON: You can butt in. Rosanne was named  
16          chairman of the NEC committee, which is another  
17          honor as well. She actually is in charge of the  
18          entire committee, which represents the entire NIC  
19          organization for that. So that is a distinctive  
20          honor, and she was given that again. This is the  
21          second time?

22   MS. KINLEY: No. This is the first time I've been  
23          chairman. I've been on the committee and I'm past  
24          president, but --

25   MS. THOMPSON: Never the chairman of the committee. I

1 didn't realize that. I thought that this was --

2 MS. KINLEY: No.

3 MS. THOMPSON: -- an honor given to you again for the  
4 second time.

5 MS. KINLEY: No.

6 MS. THOMPSON: So anyway, Eddie was also, by unanimous  
7 vote, voted as an honorary member because of his  
8 years of service and dedication to NIC as a whole.  
9 We had the opportunity to call, get him on speaker  
10 phone. He got to hear the vote live. Of course, he  
11 cried, we cried. But all of the states  
12 collectively, there was no hesitation whatsoever in  
13 his qualification and eligibility to have that honor  
14 bestowed upon him. So he is now an honorary member  
15 of the NIC, even though he's no longer with us  
16 currently. And that concludes my report.

17 MS. KINLEY: Can I interrupt one second?

18 MS. THOMPSON: Sure.

19 MS. KINLEY: I have made a huge fopa. Ruth Settles was  
20 also --

21 MS. RODGERS: Absolutely.

22 MS. WEBB: Yes, she was.

23 MS. KINLEY: -- given a distinguished member award. I  
24 have her plaque. I was told to bring and present it  
25 to LLR. I think it would be more humbling or mean

1 more if we present that to her family at some point,  
2 if we can do that. And I neglected to even bring it  
3 with me today, so I do apologize, but I will get  
4 that down here.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Absolutely.

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7 MS. KINLEY: Selena.

8 MS. BROWN: I'm deferring to Kathy. I was not in  
9 attendance.

10 MS. KINLEY: You don't have any other report, though?

11 MS. BROWN: The only report I have is from August,  
12 actually. Is it August? I went on an inspection, a  
13 school inspection with George Barr, and we inspected  
14 Lacy's in Lexington; that's what it was. Actually,  
15 this was July.

16 MS. KINLEY: Yeah, this is the first time we've seen you  
17 since then, so --

18 MS. BROWN: I guess so.

19 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

20 MS. BROWN: I was here, but not for this.

21 MS. KINLEY: But not for this.

22 MS. BROWN: Part of the general meeting. But everything  
23 seemed to be in order. There were a few changes, or  
24 just kind of language changes on his application, a  
25 clarification, in that everything was in order.

1 MS. THOMPSON: I'm sorry. Language changes for what?

2 MS. BROWN: Wait a minute. I don't want to get you --

3 Okay. I think everything --

4 MS. KINLEY: I'm sorry, was that --

5 MS. BROWN: Okay. That's the end of my report. There  
6 were no extenuating circumstances that hindered that  
7 application from going through.

8 MS. THOMPSON: It's the final --

9 MS. BROWN: It was the final --

10 MS. THOMPSON: -- approval process, correct? Final  
11 inspection is what she's referring; is that right?

12 MS. RODGERS: Uh-huh.

13 MS. KINLEY: She did final inspection.

14 MS. BROWN: I don't have that.

15 MS. THOMPSON: That's what I'm saying.

16 MS. KINLEY: But that was one of the contracts that was  
17 pending.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Uh-huh.

19 MS. BROWN: Yeah.

20 MS. KINLEY: So have we done a --

21 MS. THOMPSON: It slipped through the cracks.

22 MS. KINLEY: So I've asked this wonderful man over here  
23 to check on it.

24 MS. BROWN: Think you need to check it because --

25 MS. KINLEY: We will.

1 MS. THOMPSON: And correct me if I'm wrong, please, but I  
2 thought that the assignment of inspections was made  
3 at the instruction from board administrator to board  
4 chair, who then specified which board member would  
5 inspect. And then at that point, the board member  
6 was contacted by --

7 MS. KINLEY: It was.

8 MS. BROWN: I was contacted --

9 MS. KINLEY: It was.

10 MS. BROWN: -- by Lisa Hawsey.

11 MS. THOMPSON: And so --

12 MS. KINLEY: Through my direction.

13 MS. BROWN: However, yes.

14 MS. KINLEY: But that contract was supposed to have been  
15 approved too.

16 MS. BROWN: Okay. It was.

17 MS. KINLEY: And I do not have that back in my  
18 possession.

19 MS. BROWN: You don't have the contract?

20 MS. KINLEY: No, ma'am. And that's not you. You're  
21 absolutely fine, but you have brought this to our  
22 attention, so --

23 MS. BROWN: Okay. Here I am, looking at it, the final  
24 inspection.

25 MS. KINLEY: The contract wouldn't be attached to that,





1 is the seventh time I've been here, and hopefully  
2 never again, to move a school. And this is the same  
3 documentation that we've given the board every  
4 single time. That's what our insurance company  
5 provides. So if you need additional documentation,  
6 I'm more than happy to request it, but this is --

7 MS. KINLEY: But do you see what I'm saying? This is  
8 just telling me that International Spa Institute has  
9 a surety bond. What you submitted to this office  
10 before --

11 MS. BEACH: They only give you a surety --

12 MS. KINLEY: Really, I don't have that kind of memory to  
13 say, yeah, it's there and it tells me that it's  
14 \$10,000 for every location. You had three  
15 locations. So is one of them dropped?

16 MS. THOMPSON: Can I interject for just one second?

17 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

18 MS. THOMPSON: At one point we used to have one  
19 individual contact person for our schools. It was  
20 George, then it was Tracy, then it -- and I know at  
21 one point, they kept a file folder with everything  
22 that pertained to each individual school in that  
23 folder. Is that something that LLR -- we still  
24 maintain? and something we can get our hands on  
25 pretty quickly to resolve this? Or is that

1 something that no longer happens?

2 MS. WIDER: This letter came in to me from her last year.

3 But this letter Bluffton address and it was for  
4 \$10,000.

5 MS. BEACH: Yeah. Again, I mean, I called and talked to  
6 them about this issue. And they said it's the bond,  
7 the original bond, is not ever sent again, but this  
8 is what they've sent every time to show.

9 MS. THOMPSON: It may just be that you provide us a copy  
10 of your original bond. It's not necessarily  
11 something that the company --

12 MS. BEACH: Well, you maintain the original bond. We  
13 don't have it.

14 MS. THOMPSON: Well, we as board members don't.

15 MS. BEACH: Well, I mean, LLR has it.

16 MS. THOMPSON: Well, that's what I just asked.

17 MS. WIDER: George is on vacation this week.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Doris, you had your hand up.

19 MS. CUBITT: My question is, the required bond is \$10,000  
20 and it's \$10,000 per school location, right?

21 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am.

22 MS. CUBITT: So do they not issue a separate bond each  
23 time you do one for \$10,000?

24 MS. BEACH: Yes, ma'am. And each bond has a separate  
25 bond number. So my question to them is, can it

1 reference an address. And the bond, they said, it  
2 doesn't need to. It references the bond, and then  
3 they can trace it back to the original bond, which  
4 LLR has in their possession. So again --

5 MS. KINLEY: But I don't see how it can be traced back to  
6 the original bond because --

7 MS. BEACH: Because you only ever renew it; that's all  
8 you ever do.

9 MS. KINLEY: But you've changed numbers of locations, so  
10 your amount has --

11 MS. BEACH: It's not location-specific. It's \$10,000  
12 bond for --

13 MS. KINLEY: But I have to have \$10,000 per school.

14 MS. BEACH: I understand that. And we had three bonds.

15 MS. KINLEY: So if you're saying you have one \$10,000  
16 bond --

17 MS. BEACH: No, ma'am.

18 MS. KINLEY: -- but that's --

19 MS. BEACH: No, ma'am.

20 MS. KINLEY: -- what you just said.

21 MS. BEACH: No, ma'am. One for Columbia. This is the  
22 first time I've moved the Columbia school.

23 (Off-the-record discussion.)

24 MS. BEACH: This office should have copies of three  
25 separate bonds. The Myrtle Beach bond cancelled

1 in --

2 MS. KINLEY: I know. It just doesn't say where.

3 MS. KINLEY: I know it. That's what I'm saying; it  
4 doesn't say where.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Shirley, you may have answered my  
6 question. Do we not have that folder I just alluded  
7 to, where each school has their folder? Or each --

8 MS. WIDER: Each school has a different folder.

9 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. But we can't access those folders  
10 right now because George is on vacation? Is that  
11 what you said?

12 MS. WIDER: I can access them.

13 MS. THOMPSON: Could we just check that, just for  
14 clarification? Because I understand what Ms. Beach  
15 is saying, that it was submitted when that school  
16 was originally opened.

17 MS. BEACH: Correct.

18 MS. THOMPSON: And so that folder when that school  
19 originally opened should contain the bond, which now  
20 we can cross-reference with this bond, just to match  
21 up numbers, and it might expedite this process --

22 MS. BEACH: Can I make a request of the board?

23 MS. THOMPSON: -- and clear some things up.

24 MS. BEACH: I mean, I know it's getting late and  
25 everybody's about to fall out of their chairs. I

1 mean, you just approved the nail school, pending  
2 sending documentation to the administrator and the  
3 board chair. I'm more than happy to do that. I  
4 mean, again, I've been doing this for many, many  
5 years, and I've moved schools a number of times.  
6 We're not ready to even have a final inspection.

7 MS. THOMPSON: If we can't get this cleared up with  
8 Shirley, then I have no problem, as a singular board  
9 member, doing that. But I would like to resolve as  
10 many things as possible today. Because in addition  
11 to anything that's left hanging over, our  
12 administrator, any of the board members from this  
13 meeting, we will be getting new things, leading up  
14 to November's meeting. And it just continues to  
15 snowball. So I really would like to finish.

16 MS. BEACH: I might be able to resolve it, if I could  
17 have -- I mean, Danielle's still at the Bluffton  
18 school. Possibly fax the bond with a different  
19 number on it like -- this is all they send us when  
20 we renew.

21 MS. THOMPSON: Let's just see what Shirley has in her  
22 folder. I mean --

23 MS. BEACH: Okay.

24 MS. THOMPSON: -- that might be quicker, by the time you  
25 got to a phone and got to Danielle and --

1 MS. BEACH: Got you.

2 MS. THOMPSON: She said she has her own folder. She's  
3 not certain what's information --

4 MS. KINLEY: All right. Have another seat. We'll be  
5 back to you.

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7 MS. KINLEY: Public comments.

8 MR. MACELHINEY: I just wanted to remind the board that  
9 some time ago, y'all had decided to reissue or to  
10 issue the school licenses --

11 MS. KINLEY: Yes, sir.

12 MR. MACELHINEY: -- with the name. And y'all still  
13 remember that, right?

14 MS. KINLEY: I do.

15 MS. THOMPSON: The difference post secondary? Is that  
16 what you're talking --

17 MR. MACELHINEY: Yes.

18 MS. KINLEY: Right. Uh-huh. I remember that. And we've  
19 actually, due to your reminding me again a few  
20 months ago, that is incorporated in the --

21 MR. MACELHINEY: Statute.

22 MS. KINLEY: -- in the regs, in the regs, to specify the  
23 difference in that.

24 MR. MACELHINEY: Right.

25 MS. KINLEY: You might want to get with Doris and let her

1 know what the board voted on. And if I'm not  
2 mistaken that was in March --

3 MR. MACELHINEY: Right.

4 MS. KINLEY: -- I think. Aren't you proud of me for  
5 remembering when that was?

6 MR. MACELHINEY: Great.

7 MS. KINLEY: To make sure that that is happening.

8 MR. MACELHINEY: Okay. Super.

9 MS. KINLEY: Yes. Either today or tomorrow, you know,  
10 whenever. I'll see you.

11 MR. MACELHINEY: Thank you.

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13 MS. KINLEY: Yes, Mr. Lochridge.

14 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Madam Chairman, I would -- although I  
15 haven't been --

16 MS. KINLEY: Does he need to state his name for you,  
17 Ciel?

18 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Ken Lochridge, Carolina College of Hair  
19 Design.

20 MS. THOMPSON: AKA, LLR employee.

21 MS. KINLEY:

22 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Madam Chairman, I haven't been formally  
23 appointed as such, but as a longstanding member of  
24 the industry, I'd like to thank you very much for  
25 your service, your commitment and the many hours,

1 effort and the integrity that you have put into term  
2 here on the board and as chairman. While I have  
3 been known on more than one occasion to disagree  
4 with the board, in fact, I have always felt that  
5 this board has been operated with integrity in what  
6 they believed was in the best interest of the LL&R  
7 and the profession. Thank you again for your  
8 service.

9 MS. LARGE: I not only want to thank you --

10 MS. WEBB: Don't make her cry.

11 MS. THOMPSON: I know.

12 MS. LARGE: I not only want to thank you, but am willing  
13 to step outside the nice, comfy, cozy, fuzzy, little  
14 area that we're in and fight to keep you, because  
15 it's not over until it's over. So I am, and I have  
16 passed around some information to some of the  
17 schools that are present here today, to join us on  
18 that petition. And that's what we intend to do.  
19 Will it work? I don't know.

20 MS. KINLEY: Can you state your name?

21 MS. LARGE: My name is Colleen Large, Aesthetics  
22 Association.

23 COURT REPORTER: What was the last name?

24 MS. LARGE: Large, as in size. So I'm willing to step  
25 outside of that. If it doesn't work, it doesn't

1 work. But we have to try for things that we care  
2 about. And I not only thank you, but I appreciate  
3 the time, the commitment, the dedication that you  
4 have giving to moving our industry forward. And  
5 that's what I'm afraid that we would lose if we lost  
6 you to this board.

7 MS. RODGERS: That's called stepping outside the box.

8 MS. LARGE: As much as I -- as much as I appreciate the  
9 rest of this board, and I know that the rest of this  
10 board will do a wonderful job, I think your loss  
11 will be a great one. So I hope that doesn't occur.

12 MS. PHILLIPS: I'm not cute when I cry. So I'm just  
13 going to be quick and say the same thing that I did  
14 earlier. Instead of saying "we love you" this time,  
15 I'm going to say "I love you." And I don't care who  
16 likes it, who doesn't like it, who knows it, or  
17 whatever. I love you and you're a wonderful,  
18 wonderful nail technician, aesthetician, salon  
19 owner, board administrator and person. Thank you.

20 MS. THOMPSON: Board administrator? Do you have a new  
21 position we didn't know about?

22 MS. PHILLIPS: I'm so sorry. Board chair. I was getting  
23 ahead of myself.

24 MS. KINLEY: Thank you.

25 MS. POOLE: Nancy Poole, Strand College. I just want to

1 ditto that. But particular I want to say to you  
2 Rosanne -- and I'm not pretty when I cry either, so  
3 -- you're one of the few people in all the years  
4 that I've been working who wanted to see aesthetics  
5 raised. Not only due to the chemicals that are out  
6 there, the new equipment that is out there. And  
7 when we balked to get it to 600, you were right  
8 there with us. We didn't do that for money; we did  
9 that for the betterment of not only the public, but  
10 the educational standards of our industry, that's  
11 important to all of us that are licensed. And you  
12 fought hard with us for that. So you will sorely be  
13 missed, just so you know that.

14 MS. PHILLIPS: And Rudolph in the right-hand corner will  
15 be here. I'll save you a seat.

16 MS. THOMPSON: Just for clarification, whether or not  
17 she's an active member of this board, I as a board  
18 member and industry co-worker expect that she  
19 continue to do the work that she's been doing. It  
20 will just possibly be in a unofficial capacity or in  
21 a manner that is not necessarily reflective of the  
22 Board of Cosmetology, but as a licensed professional  
23 and as someone who's very much needed in this  
24 industry. But as Colleen said, it's not over till  
25 it's over.

1 MS. LARGE: That's right.

2 MS. THOMPSON: You know, if it's meant to be, it will be.

3 Whatever is going to happen will happen and we'll  
4 all just work real hard at dealing with whatever  
5 that actually ends up being.

6 MS. PHILLIPS: I do have one other comment I'd like to  
7 make, and it's not about Rosanne.

8 MS. KINLEY: Thank you. I was saying, can you move on?

9 MS. PHILLIPS: In reference to Betty Hernandez', the  
10 Institute of Nail Artistry, she is a personal person  
11 with me.

12 MS. THOMPSON: A personal person?

13 MS. PHILLIPS: Yeah. She is somebody who has come to me  
14 for guidance, to try to do a lot of different  
15 things. And I just wanted to put on the record that  
16 she had difficulty. And I know that we were in a  
17 interim part of our time with Eddie leaving and Lisa  
18 coming in and now Doris is here. But we did  
19 everything that we could to get the proper  
20 information. And the last -- the only person that I  
21 spoke to was Lisa Hawsey. I was trying to get in  
22 touch with Raymond Lee, because I knew that he knew  
23 the in's and the out's of all of the contracts, that  
24 he could tell us that. She informed me that Raymond  
25 Lee no longer discusses any of the contracts and

1           it's all attorney stuff. And we were informed that  
2           once that she submitted that, that it would be --  
3           and this is nothing against Dean; I'm so sorry --  
4           that it would be reviewed before the time of the  
5           meeting, and that her answer would be available at  
6           the meeting. So it wasn't for her unpreparedness or  
7           anything like that --

8   MS. THOMPSON: No, no, no.

9   MS. PHILLIPS: -- we have beat --

10   MS. THOMPSON: In the process --

11   MS. PHILLIPS: Right.

12   MS. THOMPSON: -- of expediting this, so that she is not  
13           delayed --

14   MS. PHILLIPS: And I understand that. But I just wanted  
15           to put on record that, you know --

16   MS. THOMPSON: That is the not the goal.

17   MS. PHILLIPS: -- she went over and above what she was  
18           supposed to do, to try to get an answer before she  
19           came.

20   MS. KINLEY: And prior to us even getting to that point,  
21           we had already discussed that Dean needed to receive  
22           these beforehand.

23   MS. PHILLIPS: And that's actually what I've been  
24           informed.

25   MS. THOMPSON: And that is the goal. And that is what's



1 books, kit, tuition. You actually want it typed it,  
2 the amount?

3 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am.

4 MS. CARTER; Okay. Of each one.

5 MS. KINLEY: It has to be like the -- it has to be the  
6 contract that is going to be submitted to a student.

7 MR. GRIGG: And you'll get a letter or order of some sort  
8 that will explain the details -- it will have  
9 details as to what you need to have in there.

10 MS. KINLEY: All the details.

11 MS. CARTER: Well, I'm asking the board this: Is there  
12 any way that you could reconsider the denial, and I  
13 would get everything done that I need to get done?  
14 I need to go to work; I need to support my family.

15 (Off the record discussion.)

16 MS. CARTER: Carolina Cosmetology Academy.

17 MS. THOMPSON: As a singular board member, I sympathize;  
18 I truly do. And I would love nothing more than to  
19 be able to tell you today "absolutely yes, please go  
20 start your business." But because there were so  
21 many areas that needed to be addressed, I don't know  
22 how we could do that today, going backwards, once a  
23 motion has already been made and approved. We need  
24 the opportunity for legal to be able to outline in  
25 writing exactly what you need to correct, so that

1           you have a clear-cut plan as to what you have to do.  
2           Then give you the ample opportunity to correct  
3           those, get that back to the board.

4                     Now at that time, there may be something that  
5           we can do to expedite a process. I'm not certain,  
6           but it is something that we could possibly consider  
7           down the road. But as of revisiting it today, I  
8           just don't -- I don't think we could do that.  
9           Because we have to give legal the opportunity to  
10          identify each individual area that needs to be  
11          corrected, and then you need the opportunity to  
12          correct that. And if we rush through it again, that  
13          would be two denials on one application, and you're  
14          going to have to redo fees every time, which will  
15          cost you money.

16   MS. CARTER; Right. Well, the school right behind me was  
17          given that opportunity, to get her contract done and  
18          something else. And my contract needs to be redone  
19          and my curriculum. That wouldn't take but a matter  
20          of a day.

21   MS. THOMPSON: Well, you're being given the exact same  
22          opportunity. The difference is, I don't know the  
23          time line in which that's going to happen. I don't  
24          know how quickly -- I would hope that this office,  
25          as well as this board, would act as quickly as

1 possible to get you to work, to get you your  
2 students to be able to enroll. That is a desire of  
3 all of us, to help increase and grow this industry.  
4 But I can't definitively give you a time line as to  
5 when this is exactly going to be handled. I can  
6 tell you, I would pledge to push it as quick as  
7 possible, do everything I can do to get it to happen  
8 as quickly as possible. But I can't guarantee you a  
9 time frame.

10 MS. CARTER: And this is the same contract that you have  
11 on here.

12 MS. KINLEY: That you're saying you submitted to us?

13 MS. CARTER: Yes, ma'am.

14 MS. KINLEY: I'm assuming.

15 MS. CARTER: It is.

16 MS. KINLEY: Did you submit two things?

17 MS. CARTER: There was an enrollment form and a  
18 contract.

19 MS. KINLEY: I have a contract and then general terms of  
20 agreement. And like I said, your curriculum needs  
21 working on.

22 MS. CARTER: Yes, ma'am.

23 MS. KINLEY: So just get it back to us as soon as  
24 possible.

25 (Off the record discussion.)

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2 MS. KINLEY: And this says \$10,000. But it's got to be  
3 \$10,000 per location. And this is only a \$10,000  
4 bond.

5 MS. BEACH: The other location has a separate bond  
6 number.

7 MS. KINLEY: And all of these -- everything that we have  
8 on file has all of the same number.

9 MS. BEACH: Because that's the Columbia bonds. I'm just  
10 trying to show you, the original bond matches the  
11 name change bond. Now, she'd have to pull out the  
12 other bonds, we'd be here till tomorrow for the  
13 other schools.

14 MS. KINLEY: But there is nothing on these three pieces  
15 of paper that say that this is for the Columbia  
16 school. The only address I see on here --

17 MS. THOMPSON: Just so I -- I think what Ms. Beach is  
18 saying is that the Columbia location is assigned a  
19 particular bond number. Now, I haven't seen that  
20 document. So if that bond number is consistent  
21 through all those pieces of paper, then what Ms.  
22 Beach is saying is correct. If those numbers vary,  
23 then that would be where the confusion is. Am I  
24 correct?

25 MS. BEACH: Correct. She just pulled that out of the

1 original folder.

2 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. And if she pulled the Columbia  
3 location original folder and those numbers all  
4 match, then that supports that. Is that what that  
5 says?

6 MS. WIDER: No, I didn't get a bond. The only thing I  
7 got with the Columbia location is right there.

8 MS. BEACH: Right.

9 MS. RODGERS: So you don't have the original bond?

10 MS. BEACH: That is the original.

11 MS. WIDER: I've got a copy of the original bond --

12 MR. GRIGG: This is the original bond.

13 MS. WIDER: -- that she did in 2003. But I think all of  
14 them have the same bond number on them.

15 MS. RODGERS: Well, then, that supports it, right? Or  
16 no?

17 MS. KINLEY: Then, Linda --

18 MS. BEACH: Ma'am?

19 MS. KINLEY: -- for future reference, if you say this  
20 happens every time --

21 MS. BEACH: No, it's never happened before. That's why  
22 I'm surprised. This has never been an issue before.  
23 And it's just like I said it's the seventh time.  
24 It's never been an issue.

25 MS. THOMPSON: Just so you aren't feeling picked on, with

1 all the changes that are happening, there are many,  
2 many things that are being redefined --

3 MS. BEACH: Right.

4 MS. THOMPSON: -- for us and how we're supposed to handle  
5 them, proper terminology --

6 MS. BEACH: Sure.

7 MS. THOMPSON: -- as to what certain -- and so that's  
8 part of this. It's not that you are particularly  
9 being picked on or your school. It's just a matter  
10 of with the new administration making sure that we  
11 are handling things legally and according to how we  
12 are supposed to. So that's what this is about.

13 MS. BEACH: No, and I agree. I've always been very  
14 concerned about following the rules. And it's just  
15 that it's hard when the rules change and I didn't  
16 know --

17 MS. THOMPSON: We understand completely.

18 MS. BEACH: I mean, again, usually the board approves the  
19 move, pending the final inspection. And I could  
20 have, you know, all the documentations like before,  
21 that you need. We've got it down to a science by  
22 now.

23 MR. GRIGG: I think you're right.

24 MS. KINLEY: We think we're right. I mean, we have no  
25 way of knowing that this is for that location.

1 MS. THOMPSON: So we're being advised by advice counsel  
2 that this is unclear enough --

3 MS. KINLEY: Right.

4 MS. THOMPSON: -- for us to proceed --

5 MS. KINLEY: It may be Columbia, it may be Bluffton, it  
6 may be Myrtle Beach --

7 MS. BEACH: Well, I can have -- and if this -- can I say  
8 one thing please.

9 MS. KINLEY: Uh-huh. I'm listening.

10 MS. BEACH: If executive session was at the end, like  
11 normally, I would have more time. But Danielle's  
12 staying at the school late. If she needs to send  
13 you something showing that the Bluffton bond has a  
14 different bond number, I can provide that. You have  
15 -- the LLR has that information in our file  
16 somewhere. We had a different bond number for  
17 Bluffton.

18 MS. KINLEY: I believe you, but until I've got it in  
19 front of me, I can't say --

20 MS. BEACH: Well, I just asked you if you wanted me to  
21 call, and you said no, so --

22 MS. KINLEY: Yeah, I would go call immediately.

23 MS. BEACH: Again, I can provide it to you --

24 MS. KINLEY: Or we can do it pending. Hold on one  
25 second.

1 MS. BEACH: I have no problem with that. It's just it's  
2 getting late in the day, and so I'm running out of  
3 time to do that.

4 MS. THOMPSON: Linda, this may be an issue as well,  
5 because I did go back in the minutes and I did see  
6 that when you changed the name, you addressed all  
7 locations except Columbia. But now on one copy of  
8 these bonds, it says "South Carolina Aesthetics  
9 Institute." And then this says your new name, and  
10 so that --

11 MS. BEACH: Correct. Because the application --

12 MS. THOMPSON: Let me finish.

13 MS. BEACH: Sorry.

14 MS. THOMPSON: -- that actually goes back to add further  
15 confusion. So these allegedly are both -- this  
16 number applied to the Columbia location, but you  
17 have two different names here for the Columbia --

18 MS. BEACH: Can I answer?

19 MS. THOMPSON: No, no. Can I finish?

20 MS. BEACH: Yes, ma'am.

21 MS. THOMPSON: This application is for an address change,  
22 but it's not for a name change.

23 MS. BEACH: Yes, it is.

24 MS. THOMPSON: Okay. Well, it was on here as an address,  
25 a location change. So my point is, there are issues

1           that need to be cleaned up. It sounds as if you are  
2           prepared and able to do that --

3   MS. BEACH: Correct.

4   MS. THOMPSON: -- efficiently and quickly. So we can  
5           handle all that, giving you the opportunity to give  
6           us more documentation.

7   MS. BEACH: Okay. So may I address your concern just  
8           now?

9   MS. THOMPSON: Yes.

10   MS. BEACH: The original bond, the school name actually  
11           was never South Carolina Aesthetics Institute, but  
12           back then, the board made me call it that, which is  
13           why the bond was in that name. When I spoke with  
14           Rosanne at the special meeting last month, I asked  
15           her about the name change and she said I could do it  
16           on the same application and just pay the higher  
17           price, which I did. And my letter to Shirley, or  
18           whomever, requesting to be on the agenda, did  
19           clarify that I would like to be on the agenda for  
20           both issues at the same time.

21           And one of the requirements of the board in the  
22           past is that the bond show the name change; it's a  
23           continuing bond. So all I'm doing is providing you  
24           with the same bond I've always had, with the new  
25           name, so that you can approve the name change, along

1 with the location change. I don't mean to be  
2 confusing. I just feel like we're all deliriously  
3 tired at this point.

4 MS. THOMPSON: And again too, this is from, I'm assuming,  
5 the Columbia school file, and it specifically has  
6 the Bluffton address on here, which I know you have  
7 addressed previously. But the point is, there's  
8 still some confusion about that particular bond  
9 number being assigned to Columbia or not, when  
10 everything that we have in black and white in front  
11 of us indicates that it's Bluffton.

12 MS. BEACH: I think --

13 MS. THOMPSON: So I hope that you understand --

14 MS. BEACH: I do. And I think that --

15 MS. RODGERS: Can we make a motion to -- Dean, Dean. Can  
16 we make a motion pending her cleaning up, what she's  
17 got to clean up in this and come back, so she don't  
18 have to wait so long? Is that an option?

19 MR. GRIGG: It's an option.

20 MS. BEACH: I don't want to have to wait till the next  
21 meeting.

22 MS. THOMPSON: But I think you would have to clean it up  
23 in the same regard, if the board so chose, to give  
24 authority or authorization to administrator and  
25 chair to review it. Otherwise, there would be the



1 MS. RODGERS: I'm going to make the motion to approve  
2 your changes, pending that you clean up the contract  
3 and you provide us with individual -- the bond,  
4 individual bonds per school, so that we see --

5 MS. BEACH: Documentation.

6 MS. RODGERS: Whatever.

7 MS. BEACH: Correct.

8 MS. KINLEY: No, not whatever.

9 MS. RODGERS: You know what you got to do, so do it.

10 MR. GRIGG: Documentation.

11 MS. GILMER: I second.

12 MS. THOMPSON: Could I request that we have a repeat of  
13 the motion in its entirety, without interruption and  
14 clarification?

15 MR. GRIGG: Tell me if I'm wrong, but what I think is her  
16 motion is to approve what's been before you today,  
17 what's presented to you today, pending that she  
18 provide documentation that she has, an active bond  
19 per each school. And most importantly, the school  
20 you're asking to change the location and name. I  
21 mean, that's the one we're worried about. But I  
22 think there's a question, they just want to make  
23 sure you have both. So is that --

24 MS. RODGERS: That's it.

25 MR. GRIGG: That's the motion. Does that clear it up?

1 MS. THOMPSON: Does the motion includes, when you said  
2 the information includes, the name change, the  
3 location change, pending receipt --

4 MR. GRIGG: Yes.

5 MS. THOMPSON: -- of --

6 MR. GRIGG: She's willing to prove both.

7 MS. THOMPSON: -- bonds individually.

8 MS. RODGERS: Yes.

9 MR. GRIGG: Approval of the name change and approval of  
10 the location change, pending her showing us  
11 documentation of a valid bond --

12 MS. RODGERS: Per school.

13 MR. GRIGG: -- for each school.

14 MS. THOMPSON: And I think there was a second.

15 MS. KINLEY: Was there a second?

16 MS. THOMPSON: I just need clarification.

17 MS. KINLEY: Okay. There was a second.

18 MS. THOMPSON: Yes.

19 MS. KINLEY: I have a motion and a second for what he  
20 just said. I'm not even going to go back through  
21 it. I know what he just said.

22 MS. THOMPSON: I do too.

23 MS. KINLEY: We don't need to hear it for the 15th time.

24 Any further discussion?

25 (NO RESPONSE.)

1 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
2 saying aye.

3 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

4 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Madam Chair, at this point, I would like  
6 to make a motion that will piggy-back the previous  
7 motion in an effort to expedite this for Ms. Beach,  
8 that this board grant authorization to our  
9 administrator, as well as board chair, to review the  
10 submitted information from Ms. Beach, grant them  
11 authorization to approve that and not have to wait  
12 for our next meeting.

13 MS. RODGERS: Second.

14 MS. WEBB: Second.

15 MS. KINLEY: Have a motion and a second for the previous  
16 motion to be approved at administrator and chairman  
17 level once submitted. Any further discussion?

18 (NO RESPONSE.)

19 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
20 saying aye.

21 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

22 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

23 MS. BEACH: Thank you, ladies.

24 MS. KINLEY: Thank you, Linda.

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1 MS. KINLEY: Is there anything else? Yes, Catherine?

2 MS. STABLER: Just for clarity --

3 MS. KINLEY: Yes, ma'am.

4 MS. STABLER: -- on the statement that you made earlier.

5 MS. KINLEY: Which one?

6 MS. STABLER: Are we not following proper procedure when

7 we mail to the state board in attention to the

8 chairman?

9 MS. KINLEY: I'm sorry?

10 MS. STABLER: Are we not following proper procedure when

11 we mail to the board in attention to the chairman?

12 MS. KINLEY: You're fine.

13 MS. STABLER: Okay. I just wanted to make sure.

14 MS. KINLEY: No. But I mean it's going --

15 MS. RODGERS: Going to LLR.

16 MR. GRIGG: If she's mailing it here to LLR --

17 MS. KINLEY: Yeah.

18 MR. GRIGG: -- to your attention.

19 MS. KINLEY: I'm not getting it.

20 MR. GRIGG: You're not getting it.

21 MS. KINLEY: I'm not getting it. But if it's

22 something --

23 MR. GRIGG: It would need to go to the administrator.

24 MS. KINLEY: Yeah. If it's --

25 MS. STABLER: So we should mail it to the administrator.

1 MS. KINLEY: Yes.

2 MR. GRIGG: To Doris.

3 MS. KINLEY: We have a --

4 MS. THOMPSON: You said yes --

5 MS. KINLEY: I'm sorry. We were meaning the same thing.

6 But I'm sorry, my mouth is overloaded today. Same  
7 issue with a letter, and it may have been from your  
8 association, that was mailed to me at this location  
9 in April, asking some questions. I never got it.

10 MS. STABLER: Okay. So mail it to the administrator.

11 MS. KINLEY: If you want to copy me on it, but it needs  
12 to go to the administrator, especially if it's  
13 something that has to do with being placed on the  
14 agenda.

15 MS. THOMPSON: It's always been my recommendation,  
16 whether it be email, snail mail, whatever type  
17 communication, that you always send it to more than  
18 one person. Send it to the administrator, board  
19 chair, board vice chair; send it to the  
20 administrator, and send it to --

21 MS. KINLEY: God.

22 MS. THOMPSON: -- somebody else, so that you have a  
23 checkup, because you never know when one piece of  
24 mail is going to be lost, when one email is not  
25 going to be completed in the transition, something.

1 But if you've sent it to more than one person, then  
2 you've got a verification of that. That's just been  
3 my policy.

4 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Could I get Doris Cubitt's email address?

5 MS. KINLEY: Nope. She's like not after this meeting.

6 Too bad.

7 MS. CUBITT: It's Doris.cubitt -- C-U-B-I-T-T -- @LLR.

8 MR. LOCHRIDGE: Okay.

9 MS. CUBITT: No, wait a minute.

10 MS. KINLEY: Doris doesn't even know her own email  
11 address.

12 MR. GRIGG: Well, they've changed that three times on us  
13 too.

14 MS. RODGERS: Really?

15 MR. GRIGG: Yeah. Changed our emails three times in the  
16 last six months.

17 MS. CUBITT: It's @llr.sc.gov.

18 MS. KINLEY: llr.sc.gov. Is there anything else before  
19 this board today?

20 MS. PHILLIPS: We love you.

21 MS. THOMPSON: Hold on just one second. Just for  
22 clarity, when you made reference to the letter, we  
23 all -- I assume, I, as a board member, received a  
24 letter from Columbia Associations. I'm assuming  
25 every board member received it.

1 MS. KINLEY: They did.

2 MS. THOMPSON: Just from this point forward, there was,  
3 I'm assuming, attempted communication made to the  
4 office in regard to these particular issues. There  
5 was no response, or the response was lost. This  
6 association then felt the need to send each  
7 individual board member a letter, addressing these  
8 issues. I've always been advised that as a single  
9 board member, I was not to reply to that. Any  
10 response I had had to come to the administrator,  
11 then had to go through legal, and then be put on  
12 board letterhead, and then sent back to the writer  
13 of it.

14 So I have not responded to the letter I  
15 received certified mail, per my instructions  
16 previously. But I do want to verify that this  
17 letter has been received and that someone is working  
18 on it.

19 MS. KINLEY: Understand?

20 MS. THOMPSON: Have you received a letter, as our  
21 administrator, within the last week to ten days?

22 MS. CUBITT: I don't think so.

23 MS. KINLEY: From ACSP?

24 MS. THOMPSON: Then I need to give you my copy, so that  
25 you can address this. Because I, as a board member,

1 did not respond, because I was instructed, as I  
2 said, not to do that.

3 MR. GRIGG: And that's correct, and you're not supposed  
4 to.

5 MS. THOMPSON: Okay.

6 MS. CUBITT: People should not contact board members  
7 individually, because you're supposed to hear things  
8 at the time that the whole board hears them.

9 MS. THOMPSON: Right.

10 MS. CUBITT: And so if they want to be on the agenda,  
11 they contact me and I'll put them on the agenda. If  
12 they've got a problem, they should contact me and  
13 I'll handle it.

14 MS. THOMPSON: And part of it -- again, and I know we're  
15 beating a dead horse, is that we lost Eddie, then we  
16 had Lisa, now we lost Lisa, now we have you, which  
17 again, thank you, thank you, thank you. But there's  
18 just been confusion. And so I'm sure people just  
19 weren't sure what to do.

20 MS. CUBITT: And I understand.

21 MS. THOMPSON: And now we've identified that for them.  
22 But if I could just give you this copy of my letter,  
23 please.

24 MS. CUBITT: I'll make a copy.

25 MS. KINLEY: Anything else before this board today?

1 MS. GILMER: Make a motion, Madam Chair.

2 MS. KINLEY: For what?

3 MS. GILMER: To adjourn.

4 MS. KINLEY: Cindy.

5 MS. RODGERS: Second.

6 MS. KINLEY: Second. I have a motion and a second for  
7 adjournment. Is there any further discussion?

8 (NO RESPONSE.)

9 MS. KINLEY: Hearing none, all those in favor signify by  
10 saying aye.

11 BOARD MEMBERS: Aye.

12 MS. KINLEY: Opposed? Motion carries.

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14 (Whereupon, the meeting/hearings were  
15 adjourned at 6:30 p.m.)

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