1 2	South Carolina Board of Cosmetology Board Meeting
2 3	10:00 a.m., July 11, 2011
4	Synergy Business Park
5	Kingstree Building
6	110 Centerview Drive, Conference Room 108
7	Columbia, South Carolina
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9	Meeting Called to Order
10	Rosanne Kinley, Chairman of Anderson, called the regular meeting of the Board of Cosmetology to order at 10:06 a.m. Other Board members present for the meeting included: Melanie Thompson, Vice
11 12	Chairman, of Myrtle Beach; Selena Brown of Columbia; Cynthia Rodgers of Lancaster and Delores J.
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15	Staff members participating in the meeting included OIE, Bobby Taylor, Christa Bell, Assistant General
16	Counsel; Eddie Jones, Administrator; Lisa Hawsey, Assistant Administrator, Roz Bailey-Glover, Matteah
17	Taylor, Administrative Assistants, Shirley Wider, Program Assistant.
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19	Others participating in the meeting included: Shelly Horton, Amy Tep, Kathleen Riccetelli, Diana
20	Halsmer, James Villeponteaux, Nannette Saltebekhtaii, E. Jay Lacy, Gloria Lee Smith, Dr. Pearl B. Clark,
21	Sherrie H. Todd, Shawonda Thomas, Kenneth Shuler, Lenita Browning, Doug Robinson, Suzette Nicole
22	Bates, Hoa Cong Nguyen, Barbara E. Ferguson, Allison Stewart, Eva Vicenova, Eva Cooper, Christy
23 24	Moon, Antonina Tarvin, Candid L. Dingle, Natasha LeeAnne Pitman, Whitney Olivia Still, Cheree Renee Parra, Crystal L.A. McCafferty, Nakia R. Shumate, Lakesha Patrice Hicks, Shonda M. Quattlebaum,
24 25	Mary F. Finn, Jeremiah F. Gilliard, Crystal Y. Head, Chesley Phillips, Erica Parick, Colleen Large,
25 26	Steven Dawson, Sherry Brilla, Jake Moore, Mark Halsmer, Hassan SaHeb, Diana Halsmer, Pearl Clark,
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29	Public Notice:
30	Chairman Kinley announced that public notice of this meeting was properly posted at the SC Board of
31	Cosmetology office, Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building and provided to all requesting persons,
32	organizations and news media in compliance with Section 30-4-80 of the South Carolina Freedom of
33	Information Act.
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35 26	Pledge of Allegiance:
36 37	All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
38	Rules of the Meeting:
39	Chairman Kinley read the rules of the meeting.
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41	NOTE: These minutes are a record of the motions and official actions taken by the Board and brief
42	summary of the meeting. A transcript of this meeting providing more detail will be available on the
43	Board's website: <u>www.llr.state.sc.us/POL/</u>
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45	A video of this meeting can also be viewed at <u>www.llr.state.sc.us/pol/Cosmetology</u>
46	Once on the Board's home page, click "Board Information" and follow the information link to the
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49 50	Introduction of Board Members and All Other Persons Attending: The Board members, staff and other persons attending the meeting introduced themselves to the audience.
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#### Approval of Excused Absences: 52

- 53 Chairman Kinley announced that Katherine T. Webb of Easley would not be present and is excused.
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#### 55 Approval of the May 9, 2011 Minutes:

#### **MOTION:** 56

57 Ms. Thompson made a motion to defer the Board meeting minutes and corrections from May 9, 2011 58 until the September 12, 2011 meeting. Ms. Katherine Webb seconded the motion, which was carried 59 unanimously.

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#### 61 **Approval of the Agenda:** 62

**MOTION:** 

63 Ms. Thompson made a motion to approve the agenda with deviations as necessary. Ms. Cynthia 64 Rodgers seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

#### 66 **Chairman's Remarks – Rosanne Kinley:**

67 Chairman Kinley welcomed everyone to the Board of Cosmetology meeting. Ms. Kinley stated that she attended the Professional Credential Services (PCS) - National Interstate Council of State Boards of 68

- 69 Cosmetology (NIC) school overview at the Clarion Hotel on June 4, 2011. Of the 117 schools, only 37
- 70 were represented even though this is a required meeting and a free service to the schools. NIC announced
- 71 the launch of a new cosmetology examination starting July 1, 2011. Chairman Kinley expressed her
- 72 disappointment that so few schools attended the meeting. On June 5-6, PCS completed its examination
- 73 training.
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75 Chairman Kinley also stated that she has been working with LLR staff and vendors to combat testing

- 76 fraud in the state and that the Board would need the assistance of the schools during a discussion
- 77 scheduled for August. LLR staff will formally notify the schools of the exact date and time. Chairman
- 78 Kinley reminded attendees of the National Meeting scheduled for August 26-30, 2011 at the Double Tree
- Resort in Florida. Chairman Kinley again expressed her disappointment that LLR's website still 79
- contained information errors and stressed that the corrections must be made. 80
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#### 82 **Administrator's Remarks, For Information – Eddie Jones**

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#### 85 Advisory Opinions, Office of General Counsel – Nothing to report.

- 87 Legislative Update – Nothing to report.
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**OIE Report** – Office of Investigations and Enforcement –Mr. Bobby Taylor, LLR Investigator submitted 89 a report to the Board for review. Based on the report, there were 192 cases from January – July 12, 2011. 90

Of the 192 cases 77 were closed and 27 cases have been brought before the Board today. Two (2) cases 91

- were dismissed with citations and thirteen (13) cases were opened for unlicensed practice and 92
- 93 subsequently closed as unfounded. The Board members had questions about the report content. Ms.

94 Christa Bell, Assistant General Counsel stated that typically, the information on the report was all the

- 95 Board would receive. The Board entertained a motion after the report review.
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#### **MOTION:**

98 Ms. Selena Brown made a motion to accept the IRC report as information. Ms. Cynthia Rodgers 99 seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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101 OGC Report – Office of General Counsel – Ms. Christa Bell, Assistant General Counsel reported that there were no pending cases based on the IRC report. Last year four (4) cases were closed. 102

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#### 104 Inspector's Report

Number of Inspections – Mr. Eddie Jones reported that there were 7,247 inspections done and for the
 month of June there were 772 inspections.

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#### 111 <u>New Business</u>

- Approval of DRC Report: Mr. Jones will check on the June and July DRC reports for the September
   Board meeting.
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#### **MOTION:**

116 Ms. Selena Brown made a motion to defer the DRC report for June and July until the September 12,

2011 Board Meeting. Ms. Cynthia Rodgers seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

#### 119 Approval for IQT as CBT Vendor

120 Chairman Kinley stated that the Board should refer to the November 10, 2010 Board meeting minutes for

- background information. Chairman Kinley excused herself from the discussion and turned the meeting
- 122 over to Vice Chairman Ms. Thompson. Ms. Thompson explained that Mr. Sean Colton made a

123 presentation to the Board in November in regard to IQT fingerprinting to address the testing fraud in the

124 industry and at this time the Board is seeking a vote to bring in IQT for our computer based testing.

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#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Delores J. Gilmer made a motion to accept the IQT presentation from November. Ms. CynthiaRodgers seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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## 131 <u>Reconsideration for Licensure</u>

All applicants were notified by letter, to appear before the Board on May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011 for an application
 review. Each applicant was asked to be present to answer questions from the Board members and to
 present their testimony.

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#### 136 Details of this hearing are captured by a court reporter.

138 <u>Amy Tep</u>

139 Chairman Kinley called upon applicant Amy Tep to present her testimony along with her attorney Mr.

140Jake Moore. Chairman Kinley turned the hearing over to Vice Chairman Ms. Thompson and excused

141 herself. Assistant General Counsel Christa Bell set the background regarding the initial licensing of Ms.

- 142 Tep stating that after a full hearing, the Board initially denied Ms. Tep for licensure. Ms. Bell continued
- stating that the school Ms. Tep attended is now closed as the license is currently revoked in 2009 by the
- Virginia State Board due to issues of sanitation and failure to document attendance hours of students and

providing false information on their students. At the time Ms. Tep attended, the school was open. Ms.Tep is before the Board today for reconsideration and needs to present why the Board should reconsider

- based on the school's status. Attorney Moore stated that he received an email from LLR Director
- 148 Catherine Templeton stating that she received the email from the VA Board of Cosmetology stating that
- the Board made contact with SC Board of Cosmetology Administrator, Mr. Eddie Jones and informed
- 150 him that "if students completed the program prior to the school license being revoked, they are allowed
- to sit for the examination and that there are no pending situations involving the school and there are no
- 152 *pending situations involving the applicant mentioned*". He went on to say that Ms. Tep is trying to make
- 153 a living. Ms. Tep graduated in 2008and the school license was revoked in 2009. She passed both

154 examinations and met the licensure requirements. Mr. Moore asked the board to reconsider giving Ms. Tep her license and if denied to please specify the reasons why as Ms. Tep cannot control the problems of 155 156 the school she attended. Vice Chairman Thompson asked several questions of Ms. Tep to determine why she did not apply for her cosmetology license while she was in Virginia. Ms. Tep stated that her family 157 had to move so that she could receive help with her disabled husband (who is a veteran) and small child. 158 Vice Chairman Thompson stated that SC law requires that applicants show proof of school hours and that 159 160 the State of Virginia was unable to do so. She referenced page 4 of the final order from June 15, 2009 161 issued by the State of Virginia which read "Further this failure would make it difficult for any former student to obtain verification of education and course hours from this particular school". Assistant 162 General Counsel, Ms. Christa Bell shared a copy of the final order with Ms. Tep's attorney Jake Moore. 163 A discussion ensued between Vice Chairman Thompson and attorney Jake Moore. Assistant General 164 165 Counsel, Ms. Christa Bell asked Mr. Jones, Board Administrator to explain his understanding of Ms. 166 Tep's situation. Mr. Jones stated that it was his understanding that any student completing their studies at that time would be able to sit for the exam. The school did not have any information about Ms. Tep's 167 problem in obtaining school hours. Attorney Moore stated that based on emails from the testing service 168 PCS to Ms. Tep, they had everything they needed to allow her to sit for the examinations. It was also 169 clarified that PCS did not know anything about the school order from Virginia at the time of testing. 170 171

172 Vice Chairman Thompson asked Ms. Tep additional questions to clarify her movement from state to state 173 and in which states Ms. Tep received her nail technician license. Ms. Tep explained how she moved 174 between the states of Maine 2005-2006 to Massachusetts in 2006-2007 received a license (nail tech with 400 hours) then moved to Virginia with her family. She moved back to Maine in 2008 went to Virginia 175 176 and from 2007-2008 attended cosmetology school and completed 1500 hours. May 2008 she moved from Virginia back to Maine where she received license a nail technician license. She then moved to SC July 177 178 2009. Ms. Tep has only held a manicurist license. Ms. Tep explained that she attended Nguyen's Academy of Hair Design September 2008 and Maine Community College September 5, 2006 – March 179 180 2007 for cosmetology. Ms. Tep stated that she attended school for one (1) week after signing some papers with the school. She stated that she did not pay for the week and just tested the school out. Vice 181 Chairman Thompson asked Ms. Tep if she maintained any information to validate her time spent in the 182 classroom for the cosmetology hours. Ms. Tep stated that she packed everything up and could not access 183

- 184 the information. Ms. Tep became very frustrated. Further discussion ensued.
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186 Attorney Jake Moore stated that the Board has documentation from the school showing Ms. Tep 187 completed 1500 hours and she passed the examinations. You also have documentation from the State of Virginia stating she could sit for the examination. So now what do we do with Ms. Tep? Ms. Bell asked, 188 189 how could Ms. Tep could obtain an associate's degree at the same time she was doing a 1500 hour 190 cosmetology program in Virginia? Ms. Tep explained that she only attended the school in for one (1) 191 week and did not know that the school would record that in a transcript. Ms. Bell also stated that the 192 testing service, PCS, has not seen the documentation from the Virginia Board and the problems with the school before Ms. Tep tested. Graduating from a reliable school is the SC Board requirement for 193 licensure and the VA Board has not approved evidence of the 1500 hours of education. Vice Chairman 194 195 Thompson stated that the Board has nothing proving that Ms. Tep completed the 1500 hours required for 196 licensure. Attorney Moore interjected stating that the state of SC did not have proof that Ms. Tep did not 197 complete the hours either. Copies of emails were submitted into evidence. Vice Chairman Thompson 198 stated SC must have proof that Ms. Tep completed the 1500 hours in addition to passing the examination

and called for and Executive Session to confer with counsel.

#### 201 **MOTION:**

Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to go into Executive Session. Ms. Delores Gilmer seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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- 205 The Board returned from executive session where no motions were made.
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Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to deny the cosmetology license to Ms. Tep. Ms. Selina Brownseconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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211 Vice Chairman Thompson let Ms. Tep and Mr. Moore know that an official order from the Board will be

sent to Ms. Tep. Mr. Moore inquired about the appeals process through the Administrative Law Court.

213 Assistant General Counsel Ms. Christa Bell explained to him what needs to be done. Vice Chairman

Thompson returned the Board meeting back over to Chairman Kinley.

# 216 Approval of Night Program for Paul Mitchell at Charleston Location—Shelly Horton

Chairman Kinley stated that this school would not require a vote as they were already approved for the
program, the curriculum and were simply adding a night course and letting the Board know who the
instructors were.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to approve the night program for Paul Mitchel. Ms. Cynthia Rodgers
seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

#### 225 Approval of Revised Contract for Upstate College of Cosmetology— Kathleen Riccetelli

The Board did not receive a copy of the school information and deferred the review of the application until later in the session. The school would like to make changes to their contract to decrease their tuition from \$9600 to \$7500 to help make monthly payments more reasonable for students and complete the course in 12 months although the course can be completed in 10 months. The Board decided to defer just the contract to the September 12<sup>th</sup> Board meeting to provide time to establish who will review the school contract.

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#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to defer just the contract to the September 12<sup>th</sup> Board meeting to provide
time to establish who will review the school contract. Ms. Cynthia Rodgers seconded the motion, which
was carried unanimously.

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# 238 <u>Approval of School Application</u>239

#### 240 International School of Beauty—Diana Halsmer

Chairman Kinley called upon Diana Halsmer from the International School of Beauty. The Board
determined that the school contract should be reviewed before the Board can make a proper

243 determination. The Board concluded that there was no one at LLR at this time to verify the school

- contract. Ms. Halsmer will make the correction to the contract text by replacing the work "kid" with the
- word "kits" at the very bottom of the contract. Ms. Halsmer will let Mr. Jones know, within one week,
- when they are ready so the final inspection can be completed.

# 248 MOTION:

Ms. Delores Gilmer made a motion to approve the application pending a contract review by LLR with
 corrections as previously stated. Ms. Cynthia Rodgers seconded the motion, which was carried
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#### 256 Dorchester County Career and Technology Center—James Villeponteaux

Chairman Kinley called upon James Villeponteaux from the Dorchester County Career and Technology
Center. Mr. Villeponteaux was not present. The Board determined that the school is changing locations.
The Board wants a final inspection of the facility.

# 260 **MOTION:**

Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to approve the address change pending the final inspection of thefacility. Ms. Thompson seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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#### 265 Cosmetic Art Institute—Nannette Saltebekhtaii

Chairman Kinley called upon Nannette Saltebekhtaii from the Cosmetic Art Institute to review the
application for approval of a new school. This is an existing school that's changing locations. The
existing building will open in a few weeks.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to approval the address change pending final inspection. Ms. CynthiaRodgers seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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#### 275 Lacy School of Cosmetology—E. Jay Lacy

Chairman Kinley called upon E. Jay Lacy from the Lacy School of Cosmetology. Jay Lacy stated that the
instructors are E. Jay Taylor, Misti Taylor and Keith Travisted. They want to open the new location in
August 2011. Chairman Kinley let them know that the surety bond was \$10,000 and not \$50,000.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to defer approval of the new location pending a final contract review by
the inspector. Ms. Cynthia Rodgers seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

#### 284 Approval of Change for CEU Class

Gloria Lee Smith, SCACS changing from November 21 to Sunday, November 20. Date and location
 change for Betty Stevens Institute of Cosmetology October 23<sup>rd</sup> class. The hotel overbooked events. The
 new location will be at the Hampton Inn at 1735 Stokes Road, Florence SC, 29501.

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Ms. hompson made a motion to allow for a date and location change of classes. Ms. Cynthia Rodgersseconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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## 294 Dr. Pearl B. Clark, SCSCA

Dr. Pearl Clark was not present. The Board reviewed the request to change the association class date
 from August 21 – August 14, 2011. This is the first change request for the SCSCA.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to allow for a date and location change of classes. Ms. Delores Gilmerseconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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Approval of Continuing Education Provider/Additional Instructor - Hair Heirs, LLC—Sherrie H.
 Todd. Ms. Sherrie Todd was called upon to provide testimony. Ms. Todd had an emergency can could
 not be present. The Board reviewed her request for the CE Providers classes and the certification of Hair
 heirs, LLC to continue to provide CEUs. It was determined that the membership roster had sufficient

membership but needed membership in the Upstate and Midlands. Ms. Thompson excused herself fromthe vote.

#### **MOTION:**

310 Ms. Katherine Webb made a motion to approve Hair Heirs request to continue providing CEUs pending

- additional membership. Ms. Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.
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Jolei's Hair Institute—Shawonda Thomas. Ms. Shawonda Thomas was called upon to present testimony to become a continuing education provider. The Board determined that she had the membership required to continue providing CEUs. Ms. Thomas submitted a request to change location for the July 25, 2011at the Sheraton Hotel in Charleston to 1057 Broad Street, Sumter Mall in Sumter SC. This was a misprint/typo on the institute's part now everything is booked. Ms. Thomas will check with the Sheraton Hotel to make sure and get back to the Board. Changes to the schedule must be done 30 days prior. Ms. Thomas also requested the addition of a new educator, Mr. George Cooper. However, Ms. Melanie

Thompson suggested that Ms. Thomas hold off on adding Mr. Cooper at this time.

**MOTION:** 

Ms.Thompson made a motion to defer the CEU class on July 25, 2011 until Ms. Thomas has time to
check with the Sheraton on classroom availability so as not to change the already published class date.
Ms.Delores Gilmer seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Ms. Thomas later returned to the Board meeting and announced that she was unable to secure the
Sheraton for July 25, 2011. The Board reminded Ms. Thomas that there is a forty-five (45) day
requirement in place for CEU change approvals. This was a provider typo error.

#### 332 Association for Cosmetology Excellence (A.C.E.)—Angie Shuler

333 Mr. Kenneth Shuler appeared on behalf of Angie Shuler for approval of a newly formed association.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to approve the new association pending membership from the Low
Country and the coastal region by September as the application requires state-wide membership. Ms.
Delores Gilmer seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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#### 340 Approval of Out of State Continuing Education Provider

Hickory Mart Shows. A handout was provided to the Board listing the out of state continuing education
courses for the Hickory Mart Shows. Most of the courses are esthetics courses. Chairman Kinley
reviewed the courses and read the courses for the record. Nature versus Pharmacology, Feeding your
Skin, these classes are acceptable as long as products are not shown in the class. Anti-Aging Secrets from
Hungary and New Image Perfection Lift are denied as these are product driven. These courses are
approved as long as no product is specified: Setting-up Your Make-up Services and Sell for Success,
Bridal Beauty Class. Introduction to Herbal Poultice Treatments the Board will review this program

- 348 description as the class is directed to all cosmetologist, nail technicians and estheticians.
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## **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to approve the courses as outlined based on the review. Ms. DeloresGilmer seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

#### 354 Approval of Instructor for CEU Class

355 Doug Robinson-ACSP. Mr. Robinson is requesting that Tami Floyd-Fogleman's resume be considered 356 and for her to be added to the list of approved instructors for the Association of Cosmetology Salon

- 357 Professionals. He pointed out that Ms. Fogleman is not an instructor but was approved to teach a cancer
- 358 program which she delivers nationally. The Board reviewed additional information and concluded that
- 359 Ms. Fogleman was not a licensed instructor or certified member of the Hair Fashion Committee. The
- 360 Board had previously approved her as an alternate and monitor for a one hour segment for cancer patients
- 361 for one time only. Mr. Robinson withdrew his request.
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Ms. Thompson made a motion to deny the request to have Ms. Fogleman considered as an instructor for
 the Association of Cosmetology Salon Professionals. Ms. Delores Gilmer seconded the motion, which
 was carried unanimously.

#### 368 Approval of Reinstatement

369 Suzette Nicole Bates was called upon to provide testimony regarding the yes answer on the reinstatement
 application covering legal questions. Ms. Bates gave testimony about a family dispute that resulted in her
 arrest that was subsequently resolved.

#### **MOTION:**

374 Ms.Selena Brown made a motion to approve the reinstatement of the esthetics license. Ms. Delores375 Gilmer seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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Hoa Cong Nguyen was called upon to provide testimony regarding reinstatement of his nail technician
license. Mr. Nguyen was licensed on 3/23/2007 and went to school in Atlanta. It was reported that Mr.
Nguyen was working without a license since the license expired on 3/10/2009. Mr. Nguyen denied all
charges that he was not working. Evidence gathered show the contrary. The Board elected to go into
Executive Session for a legal opinion.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms.Thompson made a motion to go into Executive Session. Ms.Cynthia Rodgers seconded the motion,which was carried unanimously.

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The Board reconvened from Executive Session where no motions were made. Chairman Kinleyentertained a motion from the Board regarding Mr. Nguyen's reinstatement.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms.Thompson made a motion to deny the reinstatement application. Ms. Cynthia Rodgers seconded themotion, which was carried unanimously.

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Assistant General Counsel Christa Bell let Mr. Nguyen know that he will receive an order from the Boardexplaining his denial.

Barbara E. Ferguson was called upon to provide testimony regarding her expired license from
3/10/2007. She was informed by LLR staff that she is required to retest because the license was expired
for more three plus years so she has to retest. She refused to retest and wanted to appear before the Board
to appeal. Since 3/10/2007 Ms. Ferguson got married but did not report the name change from Libert to
Ferguson. The Board let Ms. Ferguson know that she must retest in order to regain her license.

#### 403 404 **MOTION:**

405 Ms. Delores Gilmer made a motion to deny the reinstatement since Ms. Ferguson is required by law to

take both the written and the practical examination. Ms.Delores Gilmer seconded the motion, which was

407 carried unanimously.

#### 408 Approval of License Through Endorsement

409 Allison M. Stewart was called before the Board to provide testimony regarding her endorsement

410 application. Ms. Stewart petitioned the Board to discuss granting her a license SC license without taking

the national examinations based on her work experience. Ms. Stewart stated that she opened a new salon

412 in SC and can't work in the salon because she does not have a license. The Board reviewed Ms. Stewarts

413 application request that she correct the affidavit of eligibility, show proof of her work experience as she is

short 200 hours of in-class training and that she must sit for the examinations.

#### 416 **MOTION:**

Ms. Cynthia Rodger made a motion to deny the request for a license until Ms. Stewart takes the required
written and practical examinations as is required by law. Ms. Selena Brown seconded the motion, which
was carried unanimously.

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#### 421 Approval of License Through Endorsement

422 Eva Vicenova was called before the Board to provide testimony in support of her endorsement

423 application for licensure. Ms. Vincenova brought her daughter with her, Ms. Eva Cooper to assist with

424 translations if necessary. The Board reviewed Ms. Vicenova's information and stated that Ms. Vincenova 425 did not have an actual license with which to endorse into SC in addition she would be required to take the

425 did not have an actual incense with which to endorse into SC in addition she would be required to take the426 national examination in English. Ms. Cooper debated the fact that the Board did not make it clear to her

- 426 national examination in English. Mis. Cooper debated the fact that the Board did not make it clear to her 427 mother that she would be required to take the test. She was told to translate her documents and that was
- 427 all. She was angry because seven (7) months have passed and still no license has been granted. Assistant

429 General Counsel clarified that the translated documents were required to determine the number of

430 education hours Ms. Vicenova had earned outside of the USA, but that she was still required to take the

431 national examination in the USA as required by law. A lengthy discussion ensued. The Board

determined that Ms. Vicenova must take both examinations and asked Mr. Jones to clarify to Ms.

433 Vicenova and Ms. Cooper how to apply for the examinations.434

#### **MOTION:**

Ms.Selena Brown made a motion to deny the request for a license until Ms. Vincenova takes the required
written and practical examinations as is required by law. Ms.Selena Brown seconded the motion, which
was carried unanimously.

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440 Christy Moon was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her endorsement441 application. She was not present.

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444 Ms. Thompson made a motion to deny the request for a license by endorsement. Ms.Selena Brown445 seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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# 448 <u>Approval of License With Background Reports</u> 449

Antonina Tarvin was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by
examination with a criminal background report. No motion was made but instead, the Board determined
that Board Administrator, Mr. Eddie Jones would approve the application because the criminal
background was expunged.

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455 Candid L. Dingle was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by
456 examination with a criminal background report. Ms. Dingle was not present.

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460 Ms. Thompson made a motion to deny the application for a license by examination. Ms.Selena Brown461 seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

463 Natasha LeeAnne Pitman was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application
 464 by examination with a criminal background report. Ms. Pitman stated that she was convicted for
 465 trespassing in 2008 and attended drug classes for two months.

#### 466 467 **MOTION:**

Ms.Thompson made a motion to approve the license with a twelve (12) month probationary period and
Ms. Pitman must submit, at her own expense, a current SLED report at the end of those 12 months to the
Board for approval. Ms.Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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Whitney Olivia Still was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by
examination with a criminal background report. Ms. Still stated that she bounced her own checks and
submitted a letter from her counselor in support of her testimony. She stated that her probation was
completed in 2010.

## 477 **MOTION**:

Ms. Thompson made a motion to approve the license with a twelve (12) month probationary period and
Ms. Pitman must submit, at her own expense, a current SLED report at the end of those 12 months to the
Board for approval. Ms. Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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482 Crystal L.A. McCafferty was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application 483 by examination with a criminal background report. Ms. McCaferty stated that she has changed her ways 484 and submitted letters of recommendation on her behalf. She also stated that she had a job lined up and 485 would like to be granted her license. The Board let Ms. McCafferty know that she was able to go to work 486 using the letter she received from the testing service PCS stating that she passed her examinations and the 487 license was forthcoming from the State Board.

## 489 **MOTION:**

Ms. Thompson made a motion to approve the license with a twelve (12) month probationary period and
Ms. McCafferty must submit, at her own expense, a current SLED report at the end of those 12 months to
the Board for approval. Ms.Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

494 Crystal Y. Head was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by
495 examination with a criminal background report. Ms. Head stated that she had written bad checks all in the
496 same time period. She paid a fine and court costs in 2010.
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## 498 **MOTION**:

Ms. Thompson made a motion to approve the license with a twelve (12) month probationary period and
Ms. McCafferty must submit, at her own expense, a current SLED report at the end of those 12 months to
the Board for approval. Ms.Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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Lamika I. Patterson was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by
 examination with a criminal background report. Ms. Patterson did not appear as scheduled.

#### 506 507 **MOTION:**

508 Ms. Thompson made a motion to deny the application for a license by examination. Ms.Selena Brown 509 seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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511 **Cheree Renee Parra** was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by 512 examination for an Esthetician license with a criminal background report. Ms. Parra stated that from

examination for an Esthetician license with a criminal background report. Ms. Parra stated that fro1997she had legal problems. From 2004-2009, she received an eight (8) prison sentence and was

513 1997 she had legal problems. From 2004-2009, she received an eight (8) prison sentence and was 514 currently on a ten (10) year probation. She completed thirty-one (31) months in prison and was paroled to

514 currently on a ten (10) year probation. She completed unity-one (51) months in prison and was paroled t 515 her parents on 8/13/2009. She reports every six (6) months to her parole officer. She completed

516 cosmetology school and passed her exams. She stated that she has been free of drugs for four years. She

- 517 is on parole until 2015. She does not have a job yet. Legal counsel explained that her license probation
- 518 can run concurrently with her probation and a request for a SLED report can be required.
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## **MOTION:**

Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to approve the application for a license by examination with a four
(4) year probationary period to run concurrently with her parole. Ms. Rodgers must also submit a current
SLED report with each license renewal. Ms. Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried
unanimously.

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526 Nakia R. Shumate was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by 527 examination with a criminal background report. At this time the Board had a three (3) member quorum 528 and asked Ms. Shumate if she wished to continue with the hearing with only three members. She agreed 529 to continue. Ms. Shumate explained that she had a DUI with a non-conviction that she had a prior 530 problem where she completed her six (6) months probation. For the 2006 felony she received a ten (10) 531 year sentence with five (5) years of probation which is now complete.

#### **MOTION:**

Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to approve the application for a license by examination. Ms.Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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537 **Lakesha Patrice Hicks** was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by examination with a criminal background report. At this time the Board had a three (3) member quorum 538 and asked Ms. Hicks if she wished to continue with the hearing with only three members. She agreed to 539 540 continue. Ms. Hicks explained that in 2007 – 2008 she was a nursing assistant and got into a legal 541 problem because a co-worker blamed her for mistreating a patient. Ms. Hicks received two years 542 probation and 160 hours of community service. On September 28, 2010 she was cleared from probation 543 and passed her examinations. She has a job with Smart Styles and is seeking to expunge the legal incident from her record since she was not sentenced. 544 545

**MOTION:** 

547 Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to approve the application for a license by examination. Ms. 548 Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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551 Shonda M. Quattlebaum was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by examination with a criminal background report. At this time the Board had a three (3) member 552 553 quorum and asked Ms. Quattlebaum if she wished to continue with the hearing with only three members. She agreed to continue. Ms. Quattlebaum explained that she got into trouble for money laundering. She 554 wired money via Western Union for her brother to one of his friends and did not know it was drug money. 555 556 She received eighteen (18) months in prison and two years probation which she completed in 2008. The 557 Cosmetology School Director, Ms. Lenita Browning, appeared before the Board on Ms. Quattlebaum's 558 behalf. 559

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562 Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to approve the application for a license by examination. Ms. 563 Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Jeremiah F. Gilliard was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by
examination with a criminal background report. At this time the Board had a three (3) member quorum
and asked Ms. Gilliard if she wished to continue with the hearing with only three members. She agreed to
continue.

#### 569 570 **MOTION:**

571 Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to approve the application for a license by examination. Ms. Selena572 Brown seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

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575 Mary F. Finn was called before the Board to present testimony in support of her application by
576 examination with a criminal background report. At this time the Board had a three (3) member quorum
577 and asked Ms. Finn if she wished to continue with the hearing with only three members. She agreed to
578 continue. She explained that she had a felony charge and probation. She paid a fine and completed
579 community service. She completed her exams with a 97 and a 95 respectively.

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## **MOTION:**

Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to approve the application for a license by examination with a
probationary status until 2015. Ms. Finn will submit a current SLED report, at her own expense, to the
Board with her 2013 and 2015 license renewal. Ms. Selena Brown seconded the motion, which was
carried unanimously.

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#### 588 Discussion

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#### 590 Board Member Reports

Board member Ms. Delores Gilmer reported that she attended the regional meeting on April 1-3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011 591 in Nashville on Regulations of each state and Sanitation requirements. Also, that the class she attended 592 593 was scheduled for April 24, 2011in Kingstree, SC and found that that class was cancelled. The Board 594 will ensure that it was an approved cancellation, the Williamsburg Center at Williamsburg Tech. Attended the practical exam attended by 107 candidates. There were 18 no shows and 2 were turned 595 596 back. 18 Nail technicians and two were turned away. For the Estheticians there were 14 and 3 no shows. 597 At the PCS training session given on the second day of testing, out of 110 schools, only 35 schools 598 attended.

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Board member Ms. Selena Brown reported that on Sunday, 6/5/11 she reviewed the training for
examiners and proctors. Approximately 25 people attended. She spoke with the trainer and the
coordinator from Nashville. The program was interesting. She also asked to bring greetings to the
SCSCA Convention that was held at the Radison Hotel which is now the DoubleTree Hotel at an
evening affair held on June 12, 2011.

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## 606 **Public Comments**

607 Mr. Jay Lacy commented that there has been administrative kickback from PCS that the schools have not

- been informed of like confirmation letters etc. PCS does not respond to their requests which can be
- 609 problematic. Chairman Kinley clarified the situation about the confirmation letters and asked that if
- there are specific items that need clarification to submit those requests to the Board Administrator, Mr.
   Eddie Jones for research. PCS delays notification to students about their testing. PCS is not putting the

- 612 paperwork together properly for the students and documents are being kicked back by PCS. They are sending back documents where check marks are missing and the instruction pages are blank. He will 613 614 send the documents to Mr. Jones. Schools cannot go to PCS website to obtain school reports and the 615 supervisors at PCS are non-responsive to their phone calls. Mr. Lacy has contacted PCS and does not receive any answers and cannot speak with the same person twice. Chairman Kinley stated that PCS 616 was recently sold so that some of the problems may be resolved. Mr. Lacy wanted to know if it is still 617 618 necessary to have "Black-out" dates for CEUs for 2012 since the sessions will be video-taped? 619 Chairman Kinley let him know that approvals will be made at the September 12, 2011 Board meeting 620 and a schedule calendar will be made available. The only months that change would be May to accommodate for a state holiday, confederate memorial day. The black-out dates will remain the same. 621
- 622 623 Ms. Chesley Phillips stated that she submitted two (2) letters to make changes and the letters did not 624 make it on-time. That makes her three (3) allotted changes. The second letter she submitted was one stating the Radison was changed to the DoubleTree. Is there any timeframe where LLR might change 625 their website to reflect the change? Chairman Kinley asked LLR staff member Shirley Wider to update 626 627 the LLR website with the change (Radison Hotel to the DoubleTree). She had concerns about information on LLR website being available in 60 different languages and translation options. Mr. Jones 628 629 let the Board know that IT makes changes to the website but does not know when the language translation was placed on the website. He suggested that the Board request a clarification from LLR. 630
- 631 Gaine Board request a charmenton from LLK.
- There were comments regarding the online classes where people liked the online programs but are beingkicked out in only two hours.
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#### 635 Return to Public Session. No comments were made

- 637 Adjournment
- 638 **MOTION**:
- 639 Ms. Cynthia Rodgers made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Ms. Selena Brown seconded the motion, 640 which was carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.
- 640 which was carried unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.
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- 643 The next meeting of the S.C. Board of Cosmetology is scheduled for September 12, 2011.