

# SC Board of Medical Examiners Respiratory Care Committee Minutes

Respiratory Care Practitioners Committee Meeting  
January 13, 2023 10:00 a.m. WebEx Meeting  
Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building  
110 Centerview Drive Columbia, South Carolina 29210

## **Meeting Called to Order**

*The meeting was held in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act by notice emailed to The State newspaper, Associated Press, WIS-TV and all other requesting persons, organizations, or news media. In addition, notice was posted on the Board's website and on the bulletin boards located at both of the main entrances of the Kingstree Building where the Board office is located. The meeting was held via videoconference and the public who wished to attend could email [medboard@llr.sc.gov](mailto:medboard@llr.sc.gov) for login instructions.*

### Committee Members Present:

Mr. Jerry Alewine, RCP, Committee Chairman  
Sean Callahan, M.D.  
Christopher Perry, M.D.  
Joel Livesay, RCP  
Scott Simms, RCP  
Angela Gildner, RCP

### Absent Committee Members:

Rahul Argula, M.D. (excused)  
Allan Dunphy, RCP

### S.C. Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation Staff Present:

Candace Parnell, RCP Program Administrative Assistant  
Maggie Murdock, Administrator  
Katie Harlacher, Program Coordinator  
Joseph Epting, Advice Counsel

### Also Present

Tina Behles, Court Reporter, Capital City Reporting, LLC.  
Karen Simmons, Program Director, Respiratory Care, Trident Technical College

## **Minutes Friday, January 13, 2023**

Meeting called to order at 10:07 a.m. (Quorum present)

Review and adoption of agenda. Motion to approve Christopher Perry, MD. Second Joel Livesay, RCP. Motion carried.

Approval of October 2022 minutes. Motion to approve Angela Gildner, RCP. Second Scott Simms, RCP. Motion carried.

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Approval of 2023 Meeting dates. Motion to approve Sean Callahan, MD. Second Joel Livesay, RCP. Motion carried.

### **Respiratory Care Practitioners with Temporary Licenses applying for Permanent Licensure:**

After review, a motion was made to approve the list of applicants with temporary licenses for permanent licensure (77) to include applicants who have “yes” answers (4) that were addressed individually. Olivia Mua was excluded from the approval and license extended to allow time for receipt of requested information for review. Motion to approve Christopher Perry, MD. Second Angela Gildner, RCP. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn at 10:18 a.m. Joel Livesay, RCP. Second Scott Simms, RCP. Motion carried.

Next meeting: Friday, April 14, 2023, at 10:00a.m. via WebEx.