

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING & REGULATION
South Carolina Board of Physical Therapy Examiners
Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building
110 Centerview Drive, Room 108
Columbia SC 29211

Thursday, July 13, 2017

Board Members Present

Roy Christopher Junkins, P.T.A, Chair
Mary Addison Blackstone, P.T., Vice Chair
Mollie Barrow, P.T., Member
Hunter Bowie, P.T., Member
Anna M. Dilts, P.T., Member
Lori Winkles, P.T., Member
Matthew Judd Warren, P.T.A., Member
Rachel Wiggins, P.T., Member

Absent Member

Greg Forlini, P.T., Member
Dr. Anil Yallapragada, M.D., Member
Texas T. Smith, Public Member

Staff Present

Mack Williams, Board Administrator
Adam Russell, Advice Counsel
Shaun Strother, Board Assistant

Public notice of this meeting was properly posted at the SC Board of Physical Therapy Examiners, Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building 110 Centerview Drive, Room 108 Columbia, SC 29211 and provided to all requesting persons, organizations, and news media in compliance with Section 30-4-80 of the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act.

Call to Order

Mr. Junkins, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m. The meeting was held in Room 108 located in the Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building at 110 Centerview Drive, in Columbia, South Carolina 29211.

Approval of the Agenda:

Motion: In open session, Ms.Winkles made a motion to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded and approved.

Approval/Disapproval of Absent Members:

Motion: In open session, Mr. Warren made a motion to excuse Mr. Forlini and Mr. Smith absence. The motion was seconded and approved.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Blackstone made a motion to excuse Dr. Yallapragada absence. The motion was seconded and approved.

Approval of the Minutes:

Motion: In open session, Ms. Blackstone made a motion to approve the April 13, 2017 meeting minutes - no corrections noted. The motion was seconded and approved.

New Business

Office of Investigations and Enforcement (OIE/IRC) Report: Mr. Love, Chief Investigator of Office of Investigations and Enforcement presented two (2) reports. January 1, 2016 to June 27, 2017 there were five (5) active cases, one (1) has been closed, five (5) do not open cases, and five (5) pending board action and the second "IRC Board Report" there are two (2) dismissals and three (3) formal complaints to present to the Board.

IRC Recommendations

Case #:

- 2013-19
- 2016-12
- 2015-1
- 2016-9
- 2017-2

Motion: In open session, Ms. Dilts made a motion to approve the recommendations provided by the OIE/IRC report as written. The motion was seconded and approved.

The Board accepted the statistical report as information.

Office of General Council (ODC) Report: Ms. Baldwin, Office of Disciplinary counsel stated she had nine (9) open pending cases and one (1) case to present to the Board.

The Board reviewed the statistical report as information.

Finance Report: Mr. Williams, Board Administrator, presented the financial report.

Board Updates: Mr. Williams, Board Administrator, addressed the Board.

Consent Agreement

Case 2015-16: The respondent did not make a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel. Ms. Baldwin, Office of Disciplinary Council presented the consent agreement to the Board.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Barrow made a motion to accept the consent agreement. The motion was seconded and approved.

Application Hearings:

Initial Applications

Madison Golden: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Mr. Golden should be granted a physical therapy license in South Carolina. Mr. Golden made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Bowie made a motion that Mr. Golden be granted a license to practice physical therapy in South Carolina. The motion was seconded and approved.

Patrick Picard: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Mr. Picard should be granted a physical therapy license in South Carolina. Mr. Picard did not make a personal appearance and was not represented by legal counsel.

Motion: In open session, Mr. Warren made a motion to defer action on the case. The motion was seconded and approved.

Derrick Schwartz: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Mr. Schwartz should be granted a physical therapy license in South Carolina. Mr. Schwartz made a personal appearance before the Board and was not represented by legal counsel.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Barrow made a motion that Mr. Schwartz be granted a license to practice physical therapy in South Carolina. The motions was seconded and approved.

Discussion Topics:

a. **FSBPT Board Member Training:** The Board discussed FSBPT Board Member training. Ms. Blackstone recommended Ms. Barrow and Mr. Bowie attend the next available training.

b. **Joining Federation of State Board of Physical Therapy Licensure Compact:** The Board discussed the licensure compact.

Motion: In open session, Ms. Winkles made a motion for Mr. Junkins, Board Chair, to attend the National Leadership Meeting in July. The motions was seconded and approved.

c. **Date for Continuing Education Audit:** The Board discussed several dates for the Continuing Education Audit.

d. **Continuing Education Credits for Clinical Instructors:** The Board discussed options for obtaining CE credits and the pending implementation of CE Broker.

e. **Co-Pay Cap for Physical Therapist Visit:** The Board discussed co-pay cap for Physical Therapist visit.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion: In open session, Ms. Winkles made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded and approved. There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:14 a.m.

Mackville
Administrator

10-13-17
Date