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North Carolina Medical Board

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1203 Front Street Raleigh, North Carolina

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Minutes of the Open Sessions of the North Carolina Medical Board Meeting December 14, 2007.

The December 14, 2007, meeting of the North Carolina Medical Board was held at the Board's Office, 1203 Front Street, Raleigh, NC 27609. The meeting was called to order at 8:36 a.m., Friday, December 14, 2007, by Janelle A. Rhyne, MD, President. Board members in attendance were: George L. Saunders, III, MD, President Elect; Ralph C. Loomis, MD, Secretary; Donald E. Jablonski, DO, Treasurer; Ms. Pamela Blizzard; Ms. Thelma Lennon; John B. Lewis, Jr., LLB; H. Arthur McCulloch, MD; and Peggy R. Robinson, PA-C. Absent were: Thomas R. Hill, MD; William A. Walker, MD; and Sarvesh Sathiraju, MD.

Staff members present were: R. David Henderson, JD, Executive Director; Thomas W. Mansfield, JD, Legal Department Director; Brian Blankenship, Board Attorney; Marcus Jimison, JD, Board Attorney; Katherine Carpenter, JD, Board Attorney; Todd Brosius, JD, Board Attorney; Ms. Wanda Long, Legal Assistant; Ms. Lynne Edwards, Legal Assistant; Ms. Cindy Harrison, Legal Assistant; Mr. Curtis Ellis, Investigative Department Director; Licensing Assistant; Ms. Lori King, Physician Extender Coordinator; Ms. Quanta Williams, Physician Extender Coordinator; Scott Kirby, MD, Assistant Medical Director; Ms. Judie Clark, Complaint Department Director; Mr. Hari Gupta, Operations Department Director; Mrs. Janice Fowler, Operations Assistant; Mr. Peter Celentano, Comptroller; Ms. Donna Stoker, Receptionist; Ms. Barbara Gartside, Operations Assistant/Licensing Assistant; Mr. Donald Smelcer, Technology Department Director; and Mr. Jeffery Denton, Executive Assistant/Verification Coordinator.

MISCELLANEOUS

Presidential Remarks

Dr. Rhyne commenced the meeting by reading from Governor Easley's Executive Order No. 1, the "ethics awareness and conflict of interest reminder." No conflicts were reported.

Mr. Henderson presented a 5-year award to Mr. Smelcer for his 5 years of service to the Medical Board.

Mr. Gupta presented a 5-year award to Ms. Paulson for her 5 years of service to the Medical Board

Review Panel (Session Law 2007-346, House Bill 818)

G.S. § 90-3(a) requires one member of the Review Panel to be a public member currently serving on the Board.

Motion: A motion passed that John Lewis is nominated to serve on the Review Panel. Motion: A motion passed that Thelma Lennon is nominated to serve as an alternate to the Review Panel if Judge Lewis is unable to attend.

Special Board Meeting

The comment period for the new rules adding zoster vaccines to 21 NCAC 32U .0101 will end at 5:00 p.m., December 14, 2007. The Medical Board will need to convene sometime after the comment period to consider the rules.

Motion: A motion passed that a Special Board Meeting will be held at 12:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 19, 2007 to consider these rules.

In accordance with G.S. chapter 138A, the State Government Ethics Act, the North Carolina Board of Ethics completed their evaluation of the statement of economic interest in the case of Ms. Blizzard, Dr. Walker and Dr. Hill. The Medical Board is in receipt of indifidual letters from the Board of Ethics citing the following:

<u>Ms. Blizzard</u>: Regarding the Evaluation of Statement of Economic Interest Filed by Ms. Pamela L. Blizzard, the State Ethics Commission "...did not find an actual conflict of interest or the potential for a conflict of interest."

<u>Dr. Walker</u>: Regarding the Evaluation of Statement of Economic Interest Filed by Dr. Walker, the State Ethics Commission "did not find an actual conflict of interest. However, they did find the potential for a conflict of interest. He is a surgeon with Charlotte Colon and Rectal Surgery Associates. In addition, he is the Chief of Staff for and serves on the Board of Directors of Presbyterian Hospital. As such, he is serving on a licensing board for members of his own profession and has the potential for a conflict of interest. In light of these interests, Dr. Walker should exercise appropriate caution should either of these entities come before the Board for official action, as well as matters involving his license or the licenses of his co-workers and associates. This would include recusing himself to the extent that these interests would influence or could reasonably appear to influence his actions.

<u>Dr. Hill</u>: Regarding the Evaluation of Statement of Economic Interest Filed by Dr. Hill, the State Ethics Commission "did not find an actual conflict of interest. However, they did find the potential for a conflict of interest. He is a physician with Western Piedmont Anesthesia. As such, he is serving on a licensing board for members of his own profession and has the potential for a conflict of interest. In addition, he served as President of the NC Society of Anesthesiologists until early December, 2007. In light of these interests, Dr. Hill should exercise appropriate caution should either of these entities come before the Board for official action, as well as matters involving his license or the licenses of his co-workers and associates. This would include recusing himself to the extent that these interests would influence or could reasonably appear to influence his actions.

Change of April 2008 Board Meeting Dates

A conflict was reported for the April 16-17, 2008 Board Meeting dates. **Motion:** A motion passed to change the Medical Board Meeting in April 2008 to April 23-24, 2008.

Rulemaking and Posting Malpractice Payment in Online Physician Profile

Dr. Rhyne led a discussion regarding what malpractice information should be published on the Board's website and the rulemaking process.

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-5.2, titled "Board to collect and publish certain information" became effective October 1, 2007, and requires that the Board promulgate rules regarding the collecting and publishing of certain malpractice information. Various members of the Board and staff have met with several groups interested in the rulemaking and procedures involved in creating the online physician profile that will flow from the passage of N.C. Gen. Stat. § 90-5.2.

The Board discussed the feedback from the interested parties and talked about a possible timeline for the rulemaking, building of the online profile system, gathering data, and going

live with the online profile. The Board also discussed the distinction between affirmatively publishing information online versus merely making information available to the public as required by the statute.

The Board members agreed that the basic elements of the rule regarding publishing malpractice payment information should be decided on this day. The Board set a goal of drafting rules to be considered at the January 2008 Board meeting.

Dr. Rhyne recapped the work of the CAPI Task Force and the subsequent conversations by the Board over 2007 about the various methods by which information might be posted. She stated that there were about 2300 physicians with one malpractice payment over a particular ten-year period, 213 with two payments, and about 40 with three or more payments. The Board discussed the difference between publishing payment information based on a numeric formula related to the number of payments and publishing payment information based on a based on analyzing each payment case for care below the standard.

Dr. McCulloch advocated for a system of publishing based on a determination by the Board that the care associated with the payment was below the standard because that information would be the most useful to consumers. He also pointed out, however, that physicians with a significant number of payments should have some payment information on their profile even if the care was judged by the Board to be within the standard. Dr. Loomis spoke in support of trying to provide the most relevant and material information. Dr. Jablonski stated that the Board's mission is to protect the public and that it is important to provide relevant information.

Dr. Saunders and several other Board members talked about the need for transparency. It was pointed out that there is a strong expectation on the part of health care consuming public for the ready availability of information online. Ms. Blizzard pointed out the failures of other government agencies in the past to be forthcoming with information and the negative results of trying to hold back or filter information. The Board members generally agreed that it is difficult to know what particular information will be the most helpful to the public. There was agreement about the need to be proactive in this matter.

Judge Lewis reminded the Board that rules are also needed regarding what criminal convictions will be published on the profile.

Motion: A motion passed to instruct the Legal Department to draft rules for consideration at the January 2008 Board meeting that will allow the Board to create the online profile system with the following elements:

1. Some information about every payment will be published in the online profile. No dollar amounts or information that might tend to identify patients will be included.

2, The Board will continue (as it is now doing) to evaluate each report of payment to determine whether the associated care was equal to/above the standard of care or below the standard of care.

3. The Board will state on the profile along with each published payment whether the care was within the standard, below the standard, or that the Board was unable to gather sufficient information to make a determination (which often happens with out-of-state payments).

4, Each physician or physician assistant with a published payment will be provided a free text box on the profile in which to offer his or her explanation of the case leading to the

5, The staff will develop boilerplate disclaimer/explanatory language regarding the general nature of malpractice payments for review by the Board.

6. The information will remain on the profile for 10 years measured from the date of the payment.

7. Begin collecting the malpractice information from the physicians and physician assistants on annual registrations beginning January 1, 2009. Go "live" with the profile once we have one year's worth of data (such that all physicians and PAs will have reported the information on annual registration one time).

8. The Legal Department is to develop a draft of rules related to what criminal convictions should be published.

MINUTE APPROVAL

Motion: A motion passed that the November 14-16, 2007, Board Minutes are approved as presented.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

A motion passed to close the session to prevent the disclosure of information that is confidential pursuant to sections 90-8, 90-14, 90-16, 90-21.22 and 143-318.11(a) of the North Carolina General Statutes and not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes and to preserve attorney/client privilege.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

Written reports on four cases were presented for the Board's review. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

MISCELLANEOUS:

21 NCAC 32W .0101 - .0115 - ANESTHESIOLOGIST ASSISTANT REGULATIONS

Rule Hearing for temporary rules was held on November 29, 2007. The comment period ended on November 30, 2007.

12/2007 BOARD ACTION: Adopt temporary rules as presented. Submit to Rules Review Commission.

HEARINGS:

Bray, Anthony, MD Disciplinary -5-

Dr. Bray was charged with failing to comply with his April 2006 Consent Order with the NC Board, specifically that he did not comply with the terms of the January 2006 DEA Memorandum of Agreement.

Hearing: December 14, 2007

Dr. Bray was represented by Stanley Hammer The Board was represented by Brian Blankenship

12/2007 BOARD ACTION: PHASE I: Dr. Bray did commit unprofessional conduct. **PHASE II**: 30 day active suspension of Dr. Bray's medical license. Suspension to be taken between January 1, 2008 and April 1, 2008. Indefinite Suspension of Dr. Bray's prescribing authority.

Harron, Ray, MD

Out of State

Dr. Harron was charged based on action taken by the Texas Board, which ordered Dr. Harron to not practice in Texas, not renew his license and not reapply for a Texas license based on allegations related to Silica/Silicosis litigation.

Hearing: December 14, 2007.

Dr. Harron was not present and was not represented by counsel The Board was represented by Todd Brosius

12/2007 BOARD ACTION: Indefinite Suspension

Lowery, Gary, MD

Out of State

Dr. Lowery was charged based on action taken by the Arizona Board, in February and April of 2006, resulting in the surrender of Dr. Lowery's Arizona medical license.

Hearing: December 14, 2007

Dr. Lowery was not present and was not represented by counsel The Board was represented by Todd Brosius

12/2007 BOARD ACTION: Indefinite Suspension

CONSENT ORDERS:

Alford, Glen, MD - Wilkesboro, NC

Disciplinary

Dr. Alford was charged with 6 counts of prescribing to close family members, requesting samples from a pharmaceutical company for personal use and self-prescribing Lisinopril.

December 14, 2007 hearing was continued to consider a proposed Consent Order

Dr. Alford was not present, but was represented by Jim Wilson The Board was represented by Brian Blankenship

12/2007 BOARD ACTION: Accept proposed Consent Order

Augustine, Santhosh, MD

Disciplinary

Dr. Augustine was charged with failing to conform with the standards of acceptable and prevailing medical practice as the result of his conduct during a esophagogastroduodenoscopy procedure.

Hearing scheduled for February 21, 2008

Dr. Augustine was present and represented by Troy Smith The Board was represented by Brian Blankenship

12/2007 BOARD ACTION: Accept proposed Consent Order

Balentine, Kerry Layne MD

Disciplinary

Dr. Balentine was charged with unprofessional conduct for having an inappropriate relationship with a patient.

December 14, 2007 was continued to consider a proposed Consent Order

Dr. Balentine was present and represented by Jim Wilson The Board was represented by Marcus Jimison

12/2007 BOARD ACTION: Accept proposed Consent Order

Nash, Will, MD

Disciplinary

On February 2, 2007, the Board charged Dr. Nash with unprofessional conduct for failing to adequately diagnose and treat Patient A, and failing to record accurate and adequate information in the medical record.

June 2007 hearing continued to consider a proposed Consent Order. Proposed Consent Order reconsidered: December 14, 2007.

Dr. Nash was represented by Jim Williams The Board was represented by Katherine Carpenter.

6/2007 BOARD ACTION: Reject proposed Consent Order

<u>STAFF INSTRUCTION</u>: Suggestions for a Consent Order: Reprimand, limited # of patients per day (10-20), Informal Interview with Dr. Sathiraju & Dr. Jablonski; and must take an EKG course.

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ALLIED HEALTH COMMITTEE REPORT

Peggy Robinson, PA-C; Savesh Sathiraju, MD; John Lewis, LLB

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Givner, Laurence Morrow, Robert Bunn, Barry Deese, Joseph Coppage, Kevin Davis, Kimberly Godard, Michael Zeng, Guangbin Parks, Ronald Camp, Michael Godard, Michael Grainger, Wade Ogden, William

Auffinger, Susan

Robert, Kenneth Goldstein, Beth Frederick, Maximus Krabill, Lawrence Hendricks, Anne Murphy, William Neulander, Matthew Morton, Terrence Godard, Michael Godard, Michael Hejazi, Masoud Godard, Michael Smith, William Morton, Terrence Kooistra, Carol Memphis Lexington Charlotte Asheville Greensboro Huntersville Lumberton Charlotte Garner Raleigh Winston-Salem Hendersonville Tarboro Raeford Gastonia Wake Forest Summerfield Charlotte Asheville Monroe Roxboro Hendersonville Asheville Winston-Salem Roanoke Rapids Chapel Hill Raleigh Wilson Charlotte Charlotte Charlotte Huntersville Summerfield Oak Ridge Greensboro Greensboro Hickory Huntersville Columbus

Raleigh

Yorke, Brooke

Anonick, Patrick

Concord

PERFUSIONIST VOTE LIST

Hodge, Ashley – convert provisional license to full Verdecchia, Paul

LICENSING COMMITTEE REPORT

Donald Jablonski, DO, Chair; Pamela Blizzard; Thomas Hill, MD

LICENSES APPROVED (November 1 – December 13, 2007)

Abu Alfa, Amer Khaled Alexander, Alan Richard Alexander, Maria Premilla Alford, Todd Michael Aliaga, Sofia Rosa Andrews, Robert Stanley Angeles, Bernadette Lourdes Antoniades, Nicholas Harry Ayoub, Joseph Samy Baker, Barbara Jean Beatty, James Francis Behrens, Jeffrey Marc Bostaph, Andrew Scott Brown, Karl Brown, Kelan James Brown, Richard Everit Browning, Jared Corbett Buckley, Anne Frances Burner, Kevin Lyn Burton, Bruce Edward Buscher, April LaVerne Butler, William Manion Cabrera, Jorge Luis Cambareri, Richard Joseph Chamovitz, Allen Howard Choi, Youngin Naomi Christie, Heather LaRock Chugh, Mulchand Chung, Anthony Jaesun Collins, Amie Noelle Collins-Snyder, Lori Jeanine Cope, Randall Kevin Cotton, April Elaine Cousin, Sydney Louis Culp, Bruce Richard de la Torre, Ernesto Esteban

Derr, Jennifer Anne Dobyns, Perrin Thomas Duany, Virginia Cecile duPont, Nefertiti Chianti Eason, Renita Eckel, Jason James Edathil, Aileen Philipose Ellis, Charles Lee Ewy, Marvin Franklin Fenn, Joe Joseph Feren, Stephen David Finch. Max Cortez Floris-Moore, Michelle Andrea Fong, Nepenthe Irwin Forsberg, Thomas Martin Fritchie, Karen Joy Giallanza. Peterson Fortunato Grubb, Kristen Rae Halpern, David Justin Hancock, Susan Marie Hardenbergh, Marla Jo Hartker, Frederick William Hasan, Saman Hearp, Matthew Lee Heinz, Holly Angela Helding, Phillip Gustave Hellmann, Joel Bernard Higinio, Valeria Noelia Hingson-Gates, Alyson Michelle Ho. Alex Hollenbeck, Zoe P Holt, Rachel Williams Holz, Andrew Lloyd Homer, Ronald Jay Howell, Paul Edwind Howell, Tamieka M.L.

Hsiao, Leal Hu, Yigun Hughes, Carolyn Esther Hurwitz, Shepard Raphael Husted, David Shakespeare Individual Tester, MR Magoo The Judd, John Patrick Kamell, Andrew William Kaylie, David Marcus Khan, Muhammad Rehan Raza Kirsch, Janice Lynne Kuremsky, Marshall Alexander LaBarbera, Frank Raymond Lantz, George Berkley Leake, Jonathan Aaron Leke, Michael Achanyi Lombard, Robert Marion Louie, Angela Kay Magilen, Steven Alan Maji, Debabrata Malhotra, Narinder Kumar Manavi, Cyrus Koresh Marzette, Lionel Anthony May-DePaola, Brenda Louise McCarthy, Lezah Pagels McLean, Samuel Allen Mcniff, Katherine Barrett Mehta, Shraddha Shrestha Mitchell, Meredith Evelyn Mixa, Dorothy Margaret Monks, Christine Ann Morando, Donald Wain Neighbors, Jenni Rasnake Neveldine, Thomas James North. Richard Dixon Okonkwo, Ifeyinwa Juliana Olmedo, Mario Ernesto Opalski, Deborah Jean Overholt, Candi Cashen Owings, Francis Barre Padma. Srikanth Pancoast. Thomson Cable Parikh, Dipen Subhash Parker, Joseph Clinton Patel, Ekta Vinodchandra Patel, Kirtida Perry, Pamela Maria Pineiro-Carrero, Victor M Pittoni-Condon, Ann Elizabeth Plunk, Otis Allen Pope, Allison Chase

Porter, William Edward Price, Kevin David Pulaski, James Paul Ramsak, Amy Karen Ravbon, Kelvin Blaine Reeves, Robert David Reichelt, Winfried Reisig, Michael Anthony Rich, Candace Ann Riesenman, Paul Joseph Ritterhoff, Toby Ann Rosenbaum, David Henri Salathe, Gregg Joseph Scheurich, Pamela Megathlin Serlo, Adam David Shakir, Mohamad A. Sharma, Madhu Shaw, Maren Golding Smith, David Nathaniel Sturgill Fant, Vanessa Jean Taylor, William Christopher Thomas, Megan Ray Turner, Jennifer Lynn Uezato, Akihito Villers, Margaret Shiras Wang, Endi Weisenburger, Richard Todd Welch, Stephen Lee Williams, Clarence Edward Wilson, Diana Lorraine Wolfe, Kevin Wiley Wolke, Ira Stephen Yaghsezian, Roupen Young, Dierdre Tanecia Zelikovsky, Shirley Sharona

<u>Reinstatement</u>

Brown, John Williamson Davidson, Elizabeth Jane Heinsimer, James Albert Hennessy, John Francis Krzyzaniak, Raymond Leonard Searle, Robert Eugene

Reactivation

Chalmers, Thomas Henry Deol, Gurvinder Singh Fantauzzi, Mark Rudolph Ortega, Agnes Lynett Zelko, Russell Rudolph

Stevens, Louis-Mathieu

DISCIPLINARY (COMPLAINT) REVIEW COMMITTEE REPORT

Robert Moffatt, MD; E. K. Fretwell, PhD; George Saunders, MD; Michael Norins, MD; Sarvesh Sathiraju, MD

A motion passed to close the session to prevent the disclosure of information that is confidential pursuant to sections 90-8, 90-14, 90-16, and 90-21.22 of the North Carolina General Statutes and not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes.

The Disciplinary (Complaint) Review Committee reported on 83 complaint cases. A written report was presented for the Board's review. The Board adopted the Committee's recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included because these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

DISCIPLINARY (INVESTIGATIVE) COMMITTEE REPORT

Ralph Loomis, MD; Arthur McCulloch, MD; Donald Jablonski, DO; John Lewis, JD; William Walker, MD

A motion passed to close the session to prevent the disclosure of information that is confidential pursuant to sections 90-8, 90-14, 90-16, and 90-21.22 of the North Carolina General Statutes and not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes.

The Disciplinary (Investigative) Committee reported on one investigative case. A written report was presented for the Board's review. The Board adopted the Committee's recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included because these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

ADJOURNMENT

This meeting was adjourned at 4:15 P.m. on December 14, 2007.

Ralph C. Loomis, MD Secretary