

THE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY
Professional & Vocational Licensing Division
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
State of Hawaii

MINUTES OF MEETING

The agenda for this meeting was filed with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor, as required by Section 92-7(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS").

- Date: Wednesday, July 1, 2015
- Time: 9:00 a.m.
- Place: Queen Liliuokalani Conference Room
King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, First Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813
- Present: Olivia Nagashima, Massage Therapist, Chair
George Davis, Jr., Massage Therapist, Vice Chair
Paula Behnken, Public Member
Rodney J. Tam, Deputy Attorney General ("DAG")
Carlos Keen, Executive Officer ("EO")
Jennifer Fong, Secretary
- Excused: Stephanie Bath, Massage Therapist
- Guests: Anne Fritz, American Massage Therapy Association ("AMTA") – Hawaii Chapter
Charlene Tamanaha, Supervising Executive Officer, Professional and Vocational
Licensing ("PVL") Division
Sean Mikell, Administrative Assistant, Department of Commerce and Consumer
Affairs ("DCCA") Director's Office
- Agenda: The agenda for this meeting was filed with the Office of the Lieutenant Governor, as required by section 92-7(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes ("HRS").
1. Call to Order: There being a quorum present, the Chair called the meeting to order at 9:07 a.m.
 2. Additions/
Additional
Distribution
to Agenda: None.
 3. Approval of Minutes
of the January 28,
2015 Meeting: Upon a motion by Vice Chair Davis, seconded by Ms. Behnken, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the January 28, 2015 meeting as circulated.

4. New Business: a. **Senate Concurrent Resolution (“SCR”) 46, SD 2**

Ms. Tamanaha introduced herself and gave a brief summary of SCR 46, SD 2, which requests that the Department of Education (“DOE”) and Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (“DCCA”) convene a working group to evaluate the licensing of private trade, vocational, and technical schools.

Ms. Tamanaha and Mr. Mikell asked the board members questions pertaining to regional, national and federal accreditation of massage schools.

Ms. Behnken stated that while she currently works for a DOE licensed massage school, the school is not federally accredited.

Chair Nagashima said that her college currently has DOE and national licensing and is currently looking at the possibility of becoming regionally accredited.

The Board inquired about the composition of the working group.

Ms. Tamanaha said that at this time, they are currently in the beginning stages of working on this project. She is not sure what the makeup of the working group will be. Right now, they are just meeting with the boards which may be affected by this resolution.

b. **Letter regarding Board’s Response to Gerald Lam**

DAG Tam gave a brief summary of Mr. Lam’s previous inquiry regarding the practice of lomilomi under HRS Chapter 452 as well as a summary of the letter from Lahela Hekehia, Esq. regarding the Board’s response to Mr. Lam’s inquiry.

After some discussion, it was the consensus of the Board to direct EO Keen to inform Ms. Hekehia that the Board has taken her comments under advisement.

c. **List of Textbooks and References used by Hawaii Massage Schools provided to Prometric**

EO Keen reported that per Prometric’s request, he had submitted to them a list of textbooks and references used by Hawaii Massage Schools based on the responses he received from the schools.

d. **Hawaii News Now Article regarding illegal activity at massage parlors**

EO Keen gave a brief summary of the article regarding illegal activity at massage parlors.

DAG Tam reminded the Board that they do not have purview over unlicensed activity. Any complaints received which involve unlicensed activity are handled by the Regulated Industries Complaints Office ("RICO").

Vice Chair Davis expressed concern that articles such as this one are making the public perception of legitimate professionals worse. He asked the reporter could be contacted to do a piece on legitimate professionals.

EO Keen said that the Board could not make such a suggestion and if any of the Board members do so, they cannot identify themselves as Board members, only as an industry professional.

Vice Chair Davis asked Ms. Fritz if AMTA Hawaii would consider possibly doing something to encourage a more positive perception of massage therapists as professionals.

Ms. Fritz said she would look into doing so.

Chair Nagashima reminded everyone that the public should be encouraged to report any complaints to RICO. RICO can only investigate if someone files a complaint.

5. Applications:

a. Ratifications

Upon a motion by Ms. Behnken, seconded by Vice Chair Davis, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve the attached ratification list.

b. Applications

Executive
Session:

At 10:00 a.m., it was moved by Vice Chair Davis, seconded by Ms. Behnken, and unanimously carried to move into Executive Session in accordance with HRS, 92-5(a)(1) and (4), "To consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional or vocational licenses cited in section 26-9 or both;" and "To consult with the board's attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the board's powers, duties, privileges, immunities, and liabilities".

At 10:09 a.m., it was moved by Ms. Behnken, seconded by Vice Chair Davis, and unanimously carried to move out of Executive Session.

- Keana Ewe

Upon a motion by Vice Chair Davis, seconded by Ms. Behnken, it was voted on and unanimously carried to approve Ms. Ewe's application for exam and license – massage therapist.

- Anna Livingston

Upon a motion by Ms. Behnken, seconded by Vice Chair Davis, and unanimously carried to defer Ms. Livingston's application for exam and license – massage therapist pending Ms. Livingston's submission of additional documents.

- Kathleen O'Sullivan

Upon a motion by Ms. Behnken, seconded by Chair Nagashima, and unanimously carried to defer Ms. O'Sullivan's application for exam and license – massage therapist pending Ms. O'Sullivan's submission of additional documents.

6. Next Meeting: Wednesday, August 12, 2015
9:00 a.m.
Queen Liliuokalani Conference Room
King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, First Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

7. Adjournment: With no further business to discuss, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:14 a.m.

Taken by:

/s/ Jennifer Fong

Jennifer Fong
Secretary

Reviewed by:

/s/ Carlos Keen

Carlos Keen
Executive Officer

7/14/15

Minutes approved as is.

Minutes approved with changes; see minutes of _____.

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RATIFICATION LIST
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MAT 14176 ZOLTAN SZABO	MAT 14219 PAUL M CLEMENT
MAT 14178 SARAH A RIGOLI	MAT 14220 JUSTIN K RYAN
MAT 14179 GLADYS O MUFALLI	MAT 14221 AMYSCHAPIRO
MAT 14180 EVA WHEELER-SAGIAO	MAT 14222 NEVA J WINTER
MAT 14181 MIDORI C KOMAR	MAT 14223 JES-TN K Z KALAWA
MAT 14182 JESSICA L PETERS	MAT 14224 KAYA N WINT
MAT 14183 TETSUYA FUKUDOME	MAT 14225 MICHAEL R TAYLOR
MAT 14184 KAREN M CLARK	MAT 14226 LISA M JONES-HOGAN
MAT 14185 RISA M HANNAH	MAT 14227 KRISTIE E KICKERT
MAT 14186 KYRA R KUNIYOSHI	MAT 14228 YOUTHANA P PUANGSUWAN
MAT 14187 KATELYN R CARLSON	MAT 14229 JENNIFER JOHN
MAT 14188 SHAWNA L GORDON	MAT 14230 GERALD E GARLEY
MAT 14189 NICKY T REED	MAT 14231 RYOKO ITO
MAT 14190 KATSUE ROMERO	MAT 14232 LANA P BOLENDER
MAT 14191 NADIA D H STANIS	MAT 14233 DANA L DUNCAN
MAT 14192 LASTINA I LINDSAY	MAT 14234 LACEY R REYNOLDS
MAT 14193 HOPE A JOHNSON	MAT 14235 HALEY M BARNDT
MAT 14194 ADAM C WHITEHEAD	MAT 14236 VALERIE L CHANG
MAT 14195 KEIRA L MORALES	MAT 14237 SALLY A FERNANDEZ
MAT 14196 THOMAS KINNEARY	MAT 14238 RAVANI T FLOOD
MAT 14197 STEPHANIE J OLSONAWSKI	MAT 14239 MIKI KANEKO
MAT 14198 LAUREN E FERRONE	MAT 14240 KATHERINE M KANE
MAT 14199 GEORGETTE PICHON	MAT 14241 MELINDA J POLET
MAT 14200 MARY JANE GOLAU	MAT 14242 MOLLY G PEARL
MAT 14201 YUKI K UYENO	MAT 14243 GABRIELLE L SHIELDS
MAT 14202 GORDON M GILLIS	MAT 14244 KATHLEEN M VAN CLEAVE
MAT 14203 SHIORI IKEDA	MAT 14245 CHANG Z YANG
MAT 14204 OLIVIA NGUYEN	MAT 14246 RAEQUEL A CRAWFORD
MAT 14205 JASMINE P MARIANO	MAT 14247 RAQUEL A PASCUA
MAT 14206 DESIRAE K DIEGO	MAT 14248 SARA R MARVIN
MAT 14207 MIKIKO KAKURAI	MAT 14249 NAPOLEON M VELASCO
MAT 14208 ANGELICA L CAPILI	MAT 14250 KIMBERLY A KLEIN
MAT 14209 DANIELLE M WILLIAMS	MAT 14251 JOHN L BEHALL
MAT 14210 AUBREY L MARSHALL	MAT 14252 YUMI GETZ
MAT 14211 SHEM M LIVINGSTON	MAT 14253 MONICA MIYAMOTO
MAT 14212 JAMES W FAGAN	MAT 14254 MARIE Y IKAWA
MAT 14213 COLLEEN BERNABE	MAT 14255 KYRA K RAGASA
MAT 14214 NASTASIA BESKOVA	MAT 14256 ROSALYN J ANTONIO
MAT 14215 LISA K YASUTAKE	MAT 14257 TIMOTHY W BROWN
MAT 14216 ALLISON T SCHAFER	MAT 14258 TONYA A OVERELL
MAT 14217 JEWELL T KIRSCH	MAT 14259 LORI M SHORT
MAT 14218 ASHLEYMARIE A BROWN	MAT 14260 ELIZABETH M KEY

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MAT 14261 KAYO MIZUNO
MAT 14262 KAULANA T MERRILL
MAT 14263 JENNIFER LEE
MAT 14264 MIYUKI TAKADA
MAT 14265 KEOKI TAVARES
MAT 14266 KRISTIN D MELCHOR
MAT 14267 BRAD J FRENDO
MAT 14268 KOJI J COLLIER
MAT 14277 JESSICA R CATLIN
MAT 14278 QUADIR A JETT
MAT 14279 YURI M CASTRO
MAT 14280 MASAMI UDAGAWA
MAT 14281 CHIAKI YOSHIHARA
MAT 14282 YUKO M KOWAL
MAT 14283 GEORGE-ANEXIMANDER GREENE
MAT 14284 TOMOMI FUSEGAWA
MAT 14285 KATRINA K EMMANUEL
MAT 14286 HIEU V DANG
MAT 14287 KEIKO ALLARD
MAT 14288 JASON E ALLEN
MAT 14289 RIVER M RUDHE
MAT 14290 JESSICA N KUMAR
MAT 14291 TEA L PEACE
MAT 14292 KEILY C MUTERS
MAT 14293 JENNIFER M BALMACEDA
MAT 14294 MISA W HIRAOKA
MAT 14295 SACHIYO MOORE
MAT 14296 JOY D UDANI
MAT 14297 CATALINA VELASQUEZ-VALERO
MAT 14298 ROMULA GUILLERMO-NAKOA
MAT 14299 SONNIE I SMITH
MAT 14300 FREDERICK ZANDRE R PASCUAL
MAT 14301 DEEANN M MITCHELL
MAT 14302 VIOLET R JENSEN
MAT 14303 KAREN M BROWN
MAT 14304 ANELA BIRD
MAT 14305 YU KYONG HAM
MAT 14306 THOMAS K HULAMA
MAT 14307 NANCY-LYNN MOLTER
MAT 14308 SHAIN D BRAUM
MAT 14309 CHRISTOPHER J GROSSI
MAT 14310 KIMBERLY A MAHONEY
MAT 14312 MAYUMI HIOKI
MAT 14269 MERRY BALATICO
MAT 14270 TETSUYA FUJINO
MAT 14271 ALEXANDRA C MCCARNEY
MAT 14272 AKIE TAKEISHI
MAT 14273 CAROL S LLOYD
MAT 14274 SHANNON M AYONON
MAT 14275 YOSHIMI KIMURA
MAT 14276 MAYUMI HIRAOKA
MAT 14313 FRANCES A WAITE
MAT 14314 ELENA ANDRIE
MAT 14315 APRIL M CHRISTIAN
MAT 14316 SHANNON T DAVIS
MAT 14317 CINDY SPRINGER
MAT 14318 KELLY L MURPHY
MAT 14319 MEGAN A LEACH
MAT 14320 DUANGCHEEVAN POTIMALIVAN
MAT 14321 ERIC G ROSEN
MAT 14322 BRANDIE K LOUIS
MAT 14323 KULIA A K MCGURN
MAT 14324 SHANE SHIROMA
MAT 14325 LEAH L OSTROFF
MAT 14326 MICHIKO USUI
MAT 14327 LAURA MEJIA
MAT 14328 HEATHER R K VANDER LINDEN-DOZIER
MAT 14329 KAORI KOMODA
MAT 14330 KYLE J FIFE
MAT 14331 BILLIE M GRIMES-WATSON
MAT 14332 BRIAN D TERRY
MAT 14333 ALEXA LOMBARDO
MAT 14334 CHINAMI TSUJI
MAT 14335 HAI Q X FENG
MAT 14336 ERICA H PARKER
MAT 14337 DEBRA A N MAIOHO-POHINA
MAT 14338 JAMIE-LYNNE K GOYA
MAT 14339 ELIZABETH L BECKER
MAT 14340 YOKO A KANESHIRO
MAT 14341 KEVIN M SCHOONMAKER
MAT 14342 TERRI E SMALLMON
MAT 14343 MALIA H AVILA
MAT 14344 ANNA B DAHLKE
MAT 14345 GUENN ADARE
MAT 14346 RUNGARUN HUBBLE

MASSAGE THERAPY ESTABLISHMENT

MAE 3024 JUVENAL AND CO INC
MAE 3025 NVNG LLC
MAE 3026 DANA L DAVIS
MAE 3027 WENDI D LYNCH
MAE 3028 RICO M JOSE
MAE 3029 IHILANI SPA LLC
MAE 3030 VICKY A BROOKE
MAE 3031 HEALTHLAND LLC
MAE 3032 UMA THAI SPA AND WELLNESS
CENTER LLC
MAE 3033 SUSANA A ISOLA
MAE 3034 TOMIKO'S MASSAGE THERAPY LLC
MAE 3035 HAWAIIAN CHAIR MASSAGE
COMPANY, LLC
MAE 3036 ISLAND SPIRIT SCHOOL OF
MASSAGE LLC
MAE 3037 LOKELANI SPA AND FITNESS LLC
MAE 3038 INFINITY WELLNESS LLC
MAE 3039 NANTHICHA CHALONGKLANG
MAE 3040 LILLIAN B RENFRO-ROBEAU
MAE 3041 TROPICAL FLOWERS AND
MASSAGE BY DAO LLC
MAE 3042 THE MARIE SALON INC

MAE 3043 INFINITY WELLNESS LLC
MAE 3044 JD WELLNESS LLC
MAE 3045 ANGELLY LLC
MAE 3046 NORI KOHANA MASSAGE THERAPY LLC
MAE 3047 ALOHA HEALING MASSAGE AND
ACUPUNCTURE LLC
MAE 3048 WAYNE H TAKAMORI
MAE 3049 KONA THAI MASSAGE LLC
MAE 3050 CORE SPORTS ANALYSIS LLC
MAE 3051 SYNCHRO DESTINY CORP
MAE 3052 ISLAND THERAPEUTIC MASSAGE LLC
MAE 3053 MANGO MASSAGE INC
MAE 3054 HOPE DELANEY
MAE 3055 OHANA HEALING CENTER LLC
MAE 3056 LAIE WELLNESS PLACE LLC
MAE 3057 HEALTHY LIVING INC
MAE 3058 AMAR LLC
MAE 3059 AMITA HOLISTIC SPA LLC
MAE 3060 ATSUMI HARA
MAE 3061 HAWAIIAN SPA MAUI LLC
MAE 3062 WELLNESS FITNESS LLC
MAE 3063 LAA KEA LLC

MASSAGE THERAPY WORKSHOP

Montgomery L. White, MAT 8341
Daniel H. Tsukayama, MAT 12532
Sara M. Daniel, MAT 11355
Noriko Sabatine, MAE 2709

April 13, 2015 – June 29, 2015

Sathiporn Songsorn, MAT 8376
Tara L. Tannenholz, MAT 7121
Hien T. Nguyen, MAT 12626
Gabrielle M. Kaea, MAT 9715
Thai-Issan Therapeutic Massage LLC, MAE 3022

May 1, 2015 – September 1, 2015

Michele Czara, MAT 1662
North Shore Sports Therapy LLC, MAE 2794

June 16, 2015 – November 30, 2015

Eric Wruck, MAT 1758
Mishel Narvaez, MAT 7061
Eric L. Wruck, MAE 2161

June 20, 2015 – July 18, 2015