

HAWAII MEDICAL BOARD
Professional and 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: Thursday, April 9, 2015

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: King Kalakaua Conference Room
King Kalakaua Building
335 Merchant Street, 1st Floor
Honolulu, HI 96813

Present: Niraj S. Desai, M.D., Chairperson, Kauai Member
Sharon "Shay" Bintliff, M.D., Vice-Chairperson, Hawaii Member
Gerard K. Akaka, M.D., Oahu Member
Darren K. Egami, M.D., Maui Member
Jone Geimer-Flanders, D.O., Oahu Member
Peter Halford, M.D., Oahu Member
Peter Holt, M.D., Oahu Member
Thomas S. Kosasa, M.D., Oahu Member
Palasi Puletasi, Public Member
Karen E. Sept, D.O., Oahu Member
Shari Wong, Deputy Attorney General ("DAG")
Ahlani K. Quiogue, Executive Officer
Wilma Balon, Secretary

Excused: Maria Chun, Ph.D, Public Member

Guests: Karen Dang, M.D.
Eric Seitz, Esq.
Ryan Kwon, D.O.
Vincent Tenorio, PA-C

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 1:02 p.m. at which time quorum was established.

Additions/ Revisions to Agenda: It was moved by Dr. Bintliff, seconded by Dr. Kosasa, and unanimously carried to revise the agenda by adding the following applications under agenda item 4.d., Applications:

Sundip S. Patel, D.O.
Daniel W. Seitz, M.D.
Elliot L. Wade, M.D.

It was moved by Dr. Halford, seconded by Dr. Kosasa, and unanimously carried to enter into executive session at 1:04 p.m. pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(1), HRS, to consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional licenses cited in Section 26-9, HRS, and pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(4), HRS, to consult with the Board's attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Board's powers, duties, privileges, immunities and liabilities.

Applications for
License/
Certification:

b. Request to have Conditions Removed from Conditional License:

Karen M. Dang, M.D.

c. Request for Reconsideration:

Ryan H. Kwon, D.O.

It was moved by Dr. Holt, seconded by Dr. Egami, and unanimously carried to return to the open meeting at 2:09 p.m.

Request for
Reconsideration

Ryan H. Kwon, D.O.

It was moved by Dr. Kosasa, seconded by Dr. Geimer-Flanders and unanimously carried to grant Dr. Kwon's request for reconsideration, and accept the following new information:

1. Memo dated August 15, 2007, SUBJECT: SEPARATION, SIGNED MAJ RANDY J. GILLESPIE, CHIEF, RET&SEP;
2. Memo dated August 29, 2007, ORDERS 241-008, SUBJECT: KWON, RYAN H. SSN (REDACTED) CPT MADIGAN AMC AMEDD CO A (W01A0), TACOMA, WA 98431; and
3. Certificate of Discharge.

It was moved by Dr. Sept, seconded by Dr. Holt, and unanimously carried to enter into executive session at 2:11 p.m. pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(1), HRS, to consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional licenses cited in Section 26-9, HRS, and pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(4), HRS, to consult with the Board's attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Board's powers, duties, privileges, immunities and liabilities.

Ryan H. Kwon, D.O.

It was moved by Dr. Bintliff, seconded by Dr. Akaka, and unanimously carried to return to the open meeting at 2:28 p.m.

Request for
Reconsideration

Ryan H. Kwon, D.O.

After due consideration of the additional new information, Mr. Seitz's presentation, as well as Dr. Kwon's oral testimony, it was moved by Dr. Kosasa, seconded by Dr. Geimer-Flanders, and carried by majority, with Dr. Akaka and Mr. Puletasi abstaining, to affirm its decision of January 8, 2015, denying Dr. Kwon's application for an osteopathic medical license. Pursuant to § 16-201-32.5, Hawaii Administrative Rules, the additional new information referenced above will be included with the records as part of Dr. Kwon's previously requested contested case hearing.

Advisory
Committees:

a. Physician Assistants

Vince Tenorio, PA-C, inquired about the status of the Board's administrative rules, and was advised that it is still awaiting the Governor's Office approval and signature.

b. Emergency Medical Service Personnel

c. Podiatrists

It was moved by Dr. Holt, seconded by Dr. Bintliff, and unanimously carried to enter into executive session at 2:32 p.m. pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(1), HRS, to consider and evaluate personal information relating to individuals applying for professional licenses cited in Section 26-9, HRS, and pursuant to Section 92-5(a)(4), HRS, to consult with the Board's attorney on questions and issues pertaining to the Board's powers, duties, privileges, immunities and liabilities.

Applications for
License/
Certification:

c. Request for Reconsideration:

Grant D. Geske, D.O.

d. Applications:

Cynthia Y. Bontrager, M.D.
Robert L. Cirillo, Jr., M.D.
Donald J. Curry, M.D.
Ryan A. Frederiksen, M.D.
Juliana Minak, M.D.
Chetan N. Patel, M.D.
Thomas J. Singel II, D.O.
Sundip S. Patel, D.O.
Daniel W. Seitz, M.D.
Elliot L. Wade, M.D.

It was moved by Dr. Kosasa, seconded by Dr. Akaka, and unanimously carried to return to the open meeting at 3:21 p.m.

The following agenda item was taken out of order.

Approval of the
March 12, 2015
Minutes:

It was moved by Dr. Geimer-Flanders, seconded by Dr. Egami, and unanimously carried to approve the minutes of the executive session and the minutes of the regular session meeting as circulated.

Applications for
License/
Certification:

- a. Ratifications:
(i) List

It was moved by Dr. Sept, seconded by Dr. Halford and unanimously carried to ratify the attached lists of individuals for licensure or certification.

Request to Have
Conditions Removed
From Conditional
License:

Karen M. Dang, M.D.

After due consideration of the information received, as well as Dr. Dang's oral testimony, it was moved by Chair Desai, seconded by Dr. Geimer-Flanders and carried by majority, with Dr. Halford abstaining, to remove the conditions placed on Dr. Dang's conditional Hawaii Medical License, License No. MD-17492.

Request for
Reconsideration

Grant D. Geske, D.O.

After due consideration of Dr. Geske's request for reconsideration dated February 15, 2015, it was moved by Chair Desai, seconded by Dr. Kosasa, and unanimously carried to deny Dr. Geske's request for reconsideration.

It was moved by Dr. Kosasa, seconded by Dr. Holt, and unanimously carried to approve the following applications:

Cynthia Y. Bontrager, M.D.
Ryan A. Frederiksen, M.D.
Juliana Minak, M.D.
Daniel W. Seitz, M.D.
Elliot L. Wade, M.D.

Robert L. Cirillo, Jr., M.D.

After due consideration of the information received, it was moved by Dr. Egami, seconded by Dr. Akaka, and unanimously carried to approve Dr. Cirillo's application for medical licensure and issue a Non-Disciplinary Letter of Education due to his failure to provide accurate information on his application. The Board also requires that Dr. Cirillo submit a revised application.

Donald J. Curry, M.D.

After due consideration of the information received, it was moved by Chair Desai, seconded by Dr. Holt, and unanimously carried to issue Dr. Curry a conditional approval that signifies that he has met the education and exam requirements for licensure Dr. Curry's conditional approval is not to be considered a license to engage in the profession and does not authorize him to work in our State.

Once Dr. Curry submits evidence to the Board that he is authorized to work in the U.S., has met all the licensing requirements in effect at that time (including, but not limited to, the requirement that he has not been convicted of any crime that is directly related to the profession or been disciplined in any jurisdiction in which he holds a medical license), and provides his U.S. Social Security Number, the Board may issue Dr. Curry a license.

This conditional approval is valid for two (2) years. If Dr. Curry is unable to provide the information and meet the requirements by the end of the time period, Dr. Curry may be required to reapply for a license and meet all of the requirements in effect at that time.

Chetan N. Patel, M.D.

After due consideration of the information received, it was moved by Dr. Geimer-Flanders, seconded by Dr. Kosasa, and unanimously carried to approve Dr. Patel's application for medical licensure and issue a Non-Disciplinary Letter of Education due to his failure to disclose and provide accurate information on his application. Additionally, the Board requires Dr. Patel to submit a revised application.

Thomas J. Singel II, D.O.

After due consideration of the information received, it was moved by Dr. Holt, seconded by Dr. Halford, and unanimously carried to approve Dr. Singel's application for osteopathic medical licensure.

Sundip S. Patel, D.O.

After due consideration of the information received, it was moved by Chair Desai, seconded by Dr. Bintliff, and unanimously carried to approve Dr. Patel's application for osteopathic medical licensure, and issue a Non-Disciplinary Letter of Education due to his failure to disclose and provide accurate information on his application. Additionally, the Board requires Dr. Patel to submit a revised application.

Old Business: a. Legislation

Executive Officer Quiogue informed members that all bills directly affecting its statutory chapters were held in committee.

Chairperson's Report:

None.

Executive Officer's Report:

None.

Next Meeting:

Thursday, May 14, 2015
King Kalakaua Conference Room, First Floor
335 Merchant Street
Honolulu, HI 96813

Adjournment:

It was moved by Dr. Holt, seconded by Dr. Egami, and unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting at 3:30 p.m.

Reviewed and approved by:

Taken and recorded by:

/s/Ahlani K. Quiogue

/s/Wilma Balon

(Ms.) Ahlani K. Quiogue
Executive Officer

Wilma Balon
Secretary

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4/28/15

- (X) Minutes approved as is.
() Minutes approved with changes; see minutes of _____.

HAWAII MEDICAL BOARD (04/9/2015-RATIFICATION LIST)

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MD 18026 SHAWN M <JOHNSON<
MD 18027 KEVIN R <CLAY<
MD 18028 KATHRYN C <HALL<
MD 18029 RICHARD W <SIBLEY<
MD 18030 KAN <YING<
MD 18031 MICHAEL H <VERDOLIN<
MD 18032 ANDRE B <STOVALL<
MD 18033 MAZIN M <NOOR<
MD 18034 MA CLARISSE T <SANTOS<
MD 18035 JENNIFER H <JOHNSON<
MD 18036 BEAU DYLAN K <FERN<
MD 18037 NANCY J <BENEDETTI<
MD 18038 PAULINA K <BURACZYNSKI<
MD 18039 GAUTHAM <KANAGARAJ<
MD 18040 JOANNA <MANDELL<
MD 18041 VIRGINIA B <HILL<
MD 18042 ALEXANDRA E <DITULLIO<
MD 18043 LARISSA L A <FUJII-LAU<
MD 18044 YNHU T T <LE<
MD 18045 NANCY G <POWERS<
MD 18046 KATHLEEN M <CALLAGHAN<
MD 18047 ANNE <CRAMER<
MD 18048 MARC S <ROSENTHAL<
MD 18049 ERIK <DIAZ<
MD 18050 BRENT W <GALLOWAY< JR
MD 18051 PAUL E <HOWARD<
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MD 18053 CAIRINE <MCNAMEE<
MD 18054 SIAVASH S <OKHRAVI<
MD 18055 JONATHAN <WOOLERY<
MD 18056 KRISTIE L <AKAMINE<
MD 18057 PHUONG T <VO<
MD 18058 DAVID M <KASHMER<
MD 18059 SABENA K <RAMSETTY<
MD 18060 LESLIE <GARAY<
MD 18061 BRYAN J <HARVELL<
MD 18062 JOCELYN A <FONG<
MD 18063 SEAN M <WILLIAMS<
MD 18064 THOMAS E <SHAUGHNESSY<
MD 18065 NATALIE J <HUBBARD<
MD 18066 ZVI J <FRANKFURT<

MD 18067 ETHAN M <ROSS<
MD 18068 THEODORE J <WOO<
MD 18069 MATTHEW K <DESMOND<
MD 18070 SRUJANA <RALLABANDI<
MD 18071 CARL R <TAHN<

MDR 6805 RYAN <SMITH<
MDR 6806 ROGER Y H <WU<
MDR 6807 NICOLE H <SNEED<

AMD 606 ALLISON R <NICHOLS<
AMD 607 JESSICA <SPINELLI<
AMD 608 SHANNON A <BERTSCHE<

DOS 1650 NORMAN M <WALL<
DOS 1651 ROBERT G <BERNALES<
DOS 1652 RISHI A <PATEL<
DOS 1653 AARON C <DAHLIN<

EMTP 2089 KALEOLANI P <SOUZA<
EMTP 2090 KELL Y <TANABE< JR

EMTB 2602 AARON <NORRIS<
EMTB 2603 CHAD K <MULLEITNER<
EMTB 2604 EDWARD K <THOMPSON< IV
EMTB 2605 BRIAN L <PACHECO< JR