

BOARD OF SPEECH PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY

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 §92-7(b), Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS).

Date: March 19, 2019

Time: 3:00 p.m.

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

Present: June Uyehara-Isono, Audiologist, Chair
Gary Belcher, Vice Chair
Shannon Y. Ching, Audiologist
Lorna Hu, Speech Pathologist
Christopher Fernandez, EO
Shari Wong, Deputy Attorney General (“DAG”)
Susan A. Reyes, Secretary

Excused: Julie Yatogo, Speech Pathologist

Guests: None.

Call to Order: There being a quorum present, the meeting was called to order by Chair Uyehara-Isono at 3:00 p.m.

Approval of Meeting Minutes: It was moved by Ms. Hu, seconded by Vice Chair Belcher, and unanimously carried to approve the February 1, 2019 Meeting Minutes as circulated.

DAG Wong arrived at 3:05 p.m.

Applications: a. Ratifications

Upon a motion by Ms. Hu, seconded by Vice Chair Belcher, it was voted on and unanimously carried to ratify the following:

Approved for License - Speech Pathologist

SP 1770 Scott Erickson
SP 1771 Katherine Fratello

SP 1772 Sonia Roney
SP 1773 Kristen Richardson

Executive Officer's Report:

a. DCCA Disciplinary Actions January through February 2019

EO Fernandez stated that there were no disciplinary actions from January through February 2019.

EO Fernandez noted that the agenda's date should be **Tuesday**, March 19, 2019, and not Friday, March 19, 2019.

New Business:

a. None.

Legislation:

a. HB 252 Relating to Speech Pathology

Establishes a provisional license for speech pathologists. Takes effect on 10/01/2019.

EO Fernandez briefed the Board that this bill has passed through legislature as is.

b. SB 307 SD1 Relating to Speech Pathology

Establishes a provisional license for speech pathologists. Effective 07/01/2050.

After a lengthy discussion the Board chose to request that the effective date of the bill coincide with the start of the biennium renewal cycle (January 1 of even-numbered years).

It was moved by Ms. Hu, seconded by Dr. Ching, and unanimously carried to support the intent of the bill with comments.

Next Meeting Date:

Friday, June 7, 2019
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Adjournment:

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 3:53 p.m.

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Reviewed and approved by:

Taken and recorded by:

/s/ Christopher Fernandez
Christopher Fernandez
Executive Officer

/s/ Susan A. Reyes
Susan A. Reyes
Secretary

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Minutes approved as is.

Minutes approved with changes; see minutes of _____.

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