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OPEN SESSION MINUTES

May 13, 2020

Members of the Arizona State Board of Podiatry Examiners (“Board”) held a meeting at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 13, 2020, at 1740 West Adams St., Boardroom A, Phoenix, Arizona 85007. No Executive Sessions were held.

BOARD MEMBERS:

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| | Barbara Campbell, DPM..... | Board President and Practitioner Member |
| | John Rhodes | Secretary and Public Member |
| ☎ | Albert Eulano, DPM. | Practitioner Member |
| ☎ | Mark Forman, DPM..... | Practitioner Member |
| | Vacancy..... | Public Member |

STAFF AND ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT:

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| | Heather Broaddus..... | Executive Director |
| | Seamus Monaghan, Esq..... | Assistant Attorney General |

GUEST(S) PRESENT AND/OR PARTICIPATING

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| ☎ | Daniel Saunders, DPM..... | Licensee |
| | Patrick Farrell, DPM..... | Licensee |
| ☎ | Radu Purtuc, DPM..... | Applicant |
| ☎ | Appeared telephonically | |

OPEN SESSION

Dr. Campbell called the meeting to order at 8:33 a.m. The Board considered the following order of business.

DECLARATION OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST – A.R.S. § 38-503

There were no declarations of conflicts of interest.

ITEMS FOR BOARD REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

Investigator(s) for the Arizona State Board of Podiatry Examiners

1. Daniel Saunders, DPM

The Americans with Disabilities Act: Persons with disabilities may request reasonable accommodations, such as sign language interpreters. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation. This document is available in alternative format upon request.

Dr. Saunders was present telephonically and introduced himself to the Board. Board members noted Dr. Saunders' CV and discussed the Investigator position with Dr. Saunders. Dr. Saunders indicated his availability to conduct investigations. Dr. Saunders detailed his experience in conducting investigations. After discussion, Dr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rhodes, to offer the Investigator position to Dr. Saunders and instructed Ms. Broaddus to send him a letter and the Investigator contract. The motion carried unanimously on a roll call vote, 4-0.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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| Nay | | | | | |
| Recused | | | | | |
| Abstained | | | | | |
| Absent | | | | | |

Update of Audit for Complaint No. 18-26-C; Patrick Farrell, DPM

Dr. Farrell was present, requested to speak, made a statement and answered Board members' questions. Dr. Farrell stated that his new electronic record keeping system was installed and that he has been utilizing the new system for approximately one month. Board members noted Dr. Farrell's charting before and after the new system was installed. Board members noted that Dr. Farrell has been compliant with the Board and noted the timeframe in which this matter has been being investigated. After deliberation, Dr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rhodes, to release Dr. Farrell from the terms of the chart audit and to dismiss Complaint No. 18-26-C. The motion carried unanimously on a roll call vote, 4-0.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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| Recused | | | | | |
| Abstained | | | | | |
| Absent | | | | | |

REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Discussion and approval of the Open Session Minutes from the April 8, 2020, Board meeting

Dr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rhodes, to approve the April 8, 2020, Open Session Minutes as drafted. The motion carried unanimously, 4-0.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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| Recused | | | | | |

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| Abstained | | | | | |
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ITEMS FOR BOARD REVIEW, DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

Compliance Update

Hayman, Brad, DPM

Dr. Campbell provided a timeline of Complaint No. 18-10-C; Brad Hayman, DPM. Board members noted that Dr. Hayman indicated that he is limiting his surgery choices. After deliberation, Mr. Rhodes made a motion, seconded by Dr. Campbell, to release Dr. Hayman from the terms of the Non-Disciplinary Consent Agreement and Order and to dismiss Complaint No. 18-10-C. The motion carried unanimously on a roll call vote, 4-0.

Issuance of Licenses

1. Arneson, Jessica, DPM

Upon review of Dr. Arneson’s application, and subsequent submission, the Board noted that her application meets requirements of statute and rule. After review, Dr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Dr. Forman, to approve Dr. Arneson’s application upon payment of the license issuance fee. The motion carried unanimously, 4-0.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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| Abstained | | | | | |
| Absent | | | | | |

2. Law, Patrick, DPM

Upon review of Dr. Law’s application, the Board noted that his application meets requirements of statute and rule. After review, Dr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rhodes, to approve Dr. Law’s application upon payment of the license issuance fee. The motion carried unanimously, 4-0.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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3. Newport, Ian, DPM

Upon review of Dr. Newport’s application, the Board noted that he has not completed his residency requirements otherwise his application meets requirements of statute and rule. After review, Dr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Mr. Rhodes, to approve Dr. Newport’s application upon successful completion of his residency and upon payment of the license issuance fee. The motion carried unanimously, 4-0.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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| Recused | | | | | |
| Abstained | | | | | |
| Absent | | | | | |

4. Purtuc, Radu DPM

Dr. Purtuc was present telephonically and requested to speak. Dr. Purtuc asked Board members what the scope of practice of podiatric medicine is in Arizona. Dr. Campbell advised Dr. Purtuc of the definition of podiatry in Board statute. Upon review of Dr. Purtuc’s application, the Board noted that his application meets requirements of statute and rule. After review, Dr. Campbell made a motion, seconded by Dr. Eulano, to approve Dr. Purtuc’s application upon payment of the license issuance fee. The motion carried unanimously, 4-0.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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| Recused | | | | | |
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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT

Ms. Broaddus stated that she filed the Notice of Docket Opening and the Notice of Proposed Rule-Making with the Secretary of State’s Office. The record will close on May 18, 2020. Once the record is closed, a Notice of Final Rule-Making will be filed with the Secretary of State’s Office. Ms. Broaddus will keep the Board apprised.

Ms. Broaddus provided a summary stating that the legislature only heard essential Bills before adjourning. All other Bills were stalled, including the Board's Bill, SB1094. Ms. Broaddus stated that the Senate adjourned on May 8, 2020, therefore all Bills that were not heard died, including SB1094.

Ms. Broaddus provided an update on the implementation of CE Broker.

Ms. Broaddus provided an update on the COVID-19 crisis as well as the Executive Orders Governor Ducey has issued that affect the Board.

Ms. Broaddus provided an update of the budget.

Ms. Broaddus provided an update of the Complaint log.

BOARD TO REVIEW, DISCUSS AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION ON UPDATE OF THE FEDERATION OF PODIATRIC MEDICAL BOARD ANNUAL MEETING

Dr. Campbell provided a summary of the discussion that took place at the meeting as follows:

- COVID-19 crisis
- American Podiatric Medical Association presentation
- Parity and Scope of Practice issues
- Cancelled/virtual meetings
- Pica

SUMMARY OF CURRENT EVENTS

There were no current events discussed.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC

There were no requests to speak.

DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETING AGENDAS

There were no items for future Board meetings

NEXT BOARD MEETING DATE

Wednesday, June 10, 2020 at 8:30 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Dr. Campbell, seconded by Mr. Rhodes, and passed unanimously, 4-0, to adjourn the meeting at 9:28 a.m.

| | Dr. Campbell | Dr. Eulano | Dr. Forman | Mr. Rhodes | VACANCY |
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| Recused | | | | | |
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| Absent | | | | | |