

PHYSICAL THERAPY LICENSURE BOARD
Bureau of Occupational Licenses
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Conference Call Minutes of 1/21/2015

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Brian White - Chair
Glady Schroeder
Angela Lynn Lippiello
Mike D Bailey

BUREAU STAFF: Tana Cory, Bureau Chief
Maurie Ellsworth, Legal Counsel
Dawn Hall, Administrative Support Manager
Cherie Simpson, Management Assistant
Debbie Toncray, Technical Records Specialist I

The meeting was called to order at 12:30 PM MST by Brian White.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Ms. Schroeder made a motion to approve the minutes of 11-14-2014. It was seconded by Mr. Bailey. Motion carried.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Mr. White provided an update regarding RS23245 about the additional exemption for physical therapists coming into the state for athletic and other events. It was unanimously approved by the House Health & Welfare Committee to send the RS to print. Ms. Cory explained the legislative process. The Bureau will continue to provide updates for this proposal to the Board, and requested that Ms. Toncray send the comments already received to the Board.

Ms. Cory provided an update regarding the Telehealth Council and the subcommittee's activities. The draft legislation for Telehealth was reviewed last week. Ms. Lippiello compared the draft legislation to the Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy (FSBPT) language regarding telehealth and found no significant differences. The draft legislation contains information regarding the use of telehealth and not necessarily how any particular occupation will conduct its practices. There is some concern regarding the language about audio and visual recordkeeping for telehealth. The final motion was to put together a subcommittee of attorneys to provide better language.

NEW BUSINESS

APPLICATION REVIEW

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. Bailey made a motion that the Board go into executive session under Idaho Code § 67-2345(1)(d) to consider records that are exempt from disclosure under the Idaho Public Records Law. The purpose of the Executive Session was to consider license application materials. It was seconded by Ms. Schroeder. The vote was: Mr. White, aye; Ms. Schroeder, aye; Ms. Lippiello, aye; and Mr. Bailey, aye. Motion carried.

Ms. Schroeder made a motion to come out of executive session. It was seconded by Ms. Lippiello. The vote was: Mr. White, aye; Ms. Schroeder, aye; Ms. Lippiello, aye; and Mr. Bailey, aye. Motion carried.

APPLICATIONS

Ms. Lippiello made a motion to approve the following for licensure:

Christine Larson
Stephen Perry
Sonya Sawyer

It was seconded by Mr. White. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Schroeder made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 1:05 PM MST. It was seconded by Mr. Bailey. Motion carried.

Brian White, Chair

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Angela Lynn Lippiello

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Tana Cory, Bureau Chief