



NEVADA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
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 Las Vegas, NV 89118



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PUBLIC MEETING
MINUTES

Friday, March 23, 2018
 9:09 a.m.

Board Meeting, Workshop, and Public Hearing Agenda

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Public Comment time is available after roll call (beginning of meeting) and prior to adjournment (end of meeting). Public Comment is limited to three (3) minutes for each individual. You may provide the Board with written comment to be added to the record.

Asterisks () denote items on which the Board may take action.
 Action by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or table.*

1. Call to Order, roll call, and establish quorum

Dr. Blasco called the meeting to order and Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel conducted the following roll call:

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| Dr. Timothy Pinther ("Dr. Pinther") -----PRESENT | Dr. R. Michael Sanders ("Dr. Sanders") ----PRESENT |
| Dr. Byron Blasco ("Dr. Blasco") -----PRESENT | Ms. M Sharon Gabriel ("Ms. Gabriel") -----PRESENT |
| Dr. Jason Champagne ("Dr. Champagne") -PRESENT | Ms. Betty Pate ("Ms. Pate") -----EXCUSED |
| Dr. Gregory Pisani ("Dr. Pisani") -----PRESENT | Ms. Yvonne Bethea ("Ms. Bethea") -----PRESENT |
| Dr. Brendan Johnson ("Dr. Johnson") -----PRESENT | Ms. Nikki Harris ("Ms. Harris") -----PRESENT |
| Dr. Ali Shahrestani ("Dr. Shahrestani") -----PRESENT | |

Others Present: Melanie Bernstein Chapman, Board General Counsel; Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Executive Director.

Public Attendees: Cameraman for the LVDA (did not sign the guest list); Brian Reeder, NDA; Caryn Solie, RDH NDHA; Cory Pickens, ADMA CEO; Erwin Washington, ADMA; Antonina Capurro, DPBH, OHP; Robert Talley, DDS, Nevada Dental Association; Christine Navarro, LVDA; Tina Tsou, LVDA; Jo Devlin Sleirer, LVDA; Nahid Mohammadi, LVDA; David Moore; Terri Chandler, Future Smiles; Rick Thiriot, UNLV.

2. Public Comment: (Public Comment is limited to three (3) minutes for each individual)

62 Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has
63 been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

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65 Christine Navarro stated that she was asked to read for the record the cover page of a letter sent to
66 Governor Sandoval by attorney Jenny Foley, and read into the record the following:
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68 *"I want to ensure anyone here that this document does not contain any confidential information about*
69 *the investigation into the private dental practices of DSO, Dr. [REDACTED] (Name Redacted for the*
70 *purpose of the minutes to ensure confidentiality) and [REDACTED] Dr. [REDACTED] (Name*
71 *redacted for the purposes of the minutes to ensure confidentiality). Dear Governor Sandoval, my office*
72 *represents the Las Vegas Dental Association, hereinafter, the 'LVDA,' and it's growing new membership.*
73 *We believe that it is important for you to know what is happening at the Nevada Board of Dental*
74 *Examiners, recently it came to LVDA's attention that allegations of malpractice and/or fraud pending*
75 *against Dental Board Examiner Dr. [REDACTED] and Nevada State Board's [REDACTED]"*
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77 Comment by Ms. Navarro was halted by Deputy Attorney General Sophia Long, as Ms. Navarro read into
78 the record information that is of confidential in nature pursuant to NRS 631.368. As Ms. Long tried to
79 explain the reasons for the confidentiality, Ms. Navarro began to speak over Ms. Long and continued to
80 state the following:
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82 *"...I would like to suggest that the Attorney General, Attorney, and the Board's attorney take a look into*
83 *- at this document to satisfy themselves that there is no confidential information in this document that*
84 *this Board cannot hear and allow me to continue."*
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86 Mrs. Bernstein Chapman stated to Ms. Navarro that in identifying the names of the dentists in the
87 alleged complaints, she has violated Nevada Revised Statute 631.368, and that the fact of a complaint
88 pending against a licensee is deemed confidential pursuant to said statute.
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90 Tina Tsou, Secretary for the LVDA stated that they would submit a copy of the letter from Ms. Foley for
91 the record. It was clarified that Ms. Navarro relinquished her remaining time to comment to allow for
92 Ms. Tsou to make her public comment. Ms. Tsou stated her name for the record and stated that she
93 was submitting a copy of Ms. Jennifer Foley's letter for the record.
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95 Dr. Nahid Mohammadi had stepped forward as if to present public comment, but withdrew herself upon
96 submission of the letter from Ms. Foley by Ms. Tsou.
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98 Mr. David Tyler Moore introduced himself for the record and stated that he was a person that suffered
99 from great dental pain for over a decade and asked that his statement, affidavit, and exhibits be placed
100 on the record. As Mr. Moore began to speak of a complaint against a licensee, Ms. Long attempted to
101 halt Mr. Moore from proceeding so that she may explain, for a second time, that complaints made
102 against a license are confidential pursuant to NRS 631.368, however, was unsuccessful, as Mr. Moore
103 began to speak aggressively loud so as to over speak Ms. Long and Board President, Dr. Blasco. Ms.
104 Long stated that if Mr. Moore did not refrain from reading confidential information in his comments that
105 she would be forced to have him removed from the meeting. At which point, Mr. Moore paused and
106 asked that Ms. Long repeat her comment. Ms. Long repeated that if he did not refrain from proceeding
107 with his comments regarding confidential information, that the Board would be forced to have him
108 removed from the meeting. Ms. Long explained that while he is permitted three (3) minutes to make
109 public comment that it did not afford him the ability to speak of confidential matters. He confirmed
110 that his complaints were investigated and were remanded as the licensees were not found to have
111 delivered treatment below the standard of care. Mr. Moore was belligerent with Ms. Long and continued
112 his statement. Ms. Long stated, as loudly as possible, that Mr. Moore was being disruptive during a
113 public meeting; but was overridden by the aggressive tone of Mr. Moore. While Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel spoke

114 against the allegations of her being made by Mr. Moore, he became irate and spewed profane language
115 at Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel as he charged at her person. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel respectfully asked Mr. Moore to
116 step away from her face as it appeared that he may become violent.
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118 Authorities were called to have Mr. Moore removed from the meeting for his belligerent behavior and the
119 meeting took a short recess.
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121 Board went into recess.
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123 Dr. Robert Talley commented for the record to that the group that disrupted the meeting was not in any
124 part affiliated with the ADA or NDA and noted that the behavior exhibited by the representatives of the
125 LVDA and Mr. Moore was completely disrespectful.
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127 Ms. Terri Chandler commented that she concurred with Dr. Talley's comments, and that she has great
128 respect for the Dental board.
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130 *3. Public Workshop - (For Possible Action)
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132 Notice of Public Workshop, Request for Comments, small business impact statements and review of
133 Nevada Administrative Code Chapter 631 related to the practice of dentistry and proposed regulation
134 changes and/or amendments pertaining to the following;
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136 *Unprofessional conduct (NAC 631.230); Complaints against licensees (NAC 631.240) and*
137 *Investigation of Board (NAC 631.250)*
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139 **NAC 631.230 – Unprofessional Conduct:**

140 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that the Board elected to change the regulations that currently exist, and that they
141 wanted to amend the regulation to include the language from AB 474, section 1(d). Proposed changes were part
142 of the record, which was also read by Dr. Blasco. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel and Mrs. Bernstein Chapman went over
143 some of the additional changes made to the proposed regulations. Dr. Johnson asked that Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel
144 clarify the query requirement. She explained that the Board requires that a controlled substance permit holding
145 licensee must run 1 query on themselves once a year, but that the Pharmacy Board requires that licensees run at
146 least 2 queries every 6 months; therefore, by complying with the Pharmacy Board requirements, dentist's will
147 automatically comply with the Dental Board's requirements.
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149 **MOTION:** Dr. Pisani moved that the Board approve the proposed changes to NAC 631.230, and was
150 second by Dr. Sanders. Without further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved by
151 all Board members present.
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153 **NAC 631.240 – Complaints against Licensees:**

154 Mrs. Bernstein Chapman explained the revisions of the proposed regulations with the Board. She discussed in
155 length the reasons for the changes, which was to provide clarification.
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157 **MOTION:** Dr. Pinther moved that the Board approve the proposed changes to NAC 631.240, seconded by
158 Dr. Johnson. There was brief discussion to clarify that the proposed changes in the motion
159 included the discussion to the agent of a licensee, which was confirmed by Dr. Pinther. With no
160 further discussion, the Board members unanimously approved the motion.
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164 **NAC 631.250 – Investigation of Board:**
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166 Mrs. Bernstein Chapman stated that the proposed change to simply add additional information for clarification
167 purposes. Mrs. Bernstein Chapman reviewed each proposed change with the Board.
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169 **MOTION:** Dr. Johnson moved that the Board approve the proposed changes to NAC 631.250 as discussed
170 with Mrs. Bernstein Chapman, seconded by Dr. Shahrestani. Without further discussion, the
171 Board, unanimously, approved the motion.
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173 *Conclusion of Workshop at 9:39 a.m.*
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175 *4. Public Hearings- Notice of Intent to Act upon -R143-17 - (For Possible Action)
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177 The purpose of the Hearing is to receive comments from all interested persons regarding the adoption
178 of the following proposed regulations that pertain to Chapter 631 of the Nevada Administrative Code.
179 The revisions are regarding the following:

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181 *Provision of certain information and documentation by applicant for licensure; examination for*
182 *certain licenses (NAC 631.030); Rejection of application; reconsideration and review (NAC 631.050);*
183 *Examination for license to practice dentistry (NAC 631.090); Reexaminations; completion of failed clinical*
184 *demonstration (NAC 631.140); Licensee to notify Board of certain events (NAC 631.155); Placement of*
185 *license on inactive, retired or disabled status; reinstatement (NAC 631.170)*
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187 *Commencement of hearing at 9:39 a.m.*
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189 NAC 631.030:
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191 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel indicated that a workshop was held to amend the regulations as listed above, as they
192 relate to SB69. She added that the changes were sent to LCB and were returned to the Board with
193 some modifications to the language to be consistent with SB69. She noted that some of the changes
194 included were the requirements the Board desired to be added. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel went into further
195 detail by reading the changes being proposed for adoption.
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197 **MOTION:** Dr. Pinther moved that the Board adopt the language as proposed for NAC 631.030,
198 seconded by Dr. Sanders. Without further discussion, the motion was unanimously
199 approved by the Board members present at the meeting.
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201 NAC 631.050:
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203 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel went over the proposed language of NAC 631.050.
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205 **MOTION:** Dr. Pisani moved that the Board adopt the language as proposed in NAC 631.050,
206 seconded by Dr. Pinther. Without further discussion, the motion was approved
207 unanimously approved by the Board members present at the meeting.
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209 NAC 631.090:
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211 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that at the Board's request, they added the WREB clinical exam to make the
212 exam requirements as delineated as it is for the ADEX clinical exam. She confirmed that the proposed
213 regulation now delineated the exam requirements for the WREB and ADEX exams.
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215 **MOTION:** Dr. Pinther move that the Board adopt the language as proposed in NAC 631.090, seconded by
216 Dr. Johnson. Without further discussion, the motion was approved unanimously by the Board
217 members present.
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220 NAC 631.140:
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222 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel indicated that the proposed change was simply to add the WREB exam, so as to be
223 consistent with the changes in NAC 631.090.
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225 **MOTION:** Dr. Pisani moved that the Board adopt the language as proposed in NAC 631.040, seconded by
226 Dr. Pinther. Without further discussion, the motion was approved unanimously by the Board
227 members present.
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229 NAC 631.155:
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231 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that the changes related to the reporting requirements for a licensee to report
232 events to the Board, and that they wanted to ensure that the language remain consistent with that of
233 the language of NAC 631.050 and 631.030.
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235 **MOTION:** Dr. Sander moved that the Board adopt the language as proposed in NAC 631.155, seconded by
236 Dr. Pisani. Discussion: Dr. Shahrestani inquired if events that occurred internationally must be
237 reported as well. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that licensees are required to report events that
238 occur in the U.S., only. With the exception, however, of those licensed and serve in the
239 military. With no further discussion, the motion was approved unanimously by the Board.
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241 NAC 631.170:
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243 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel went over the proposed regulation.
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245 **MOTION:** Dr. Pisani moved that the Board adopt the language as proposed in NAC 631.155, seconded by
246 Ms. Gabriel. Without further discussion, the motion was approved unanimously by the Board
247 members present.
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249 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that with the adoption of the regulations, they will be returned to LCB to then be
250 forwarded to the Secretary of State once approved, for enactment.
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252 *Hearing concluded at 9:50 a.m.*
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254 *5. Executive Director's Report (For Possible Action)
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256 *a. Minutes - NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)
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258 (1) 01/19/2018 - Board Meeting, Public Workshop and Public Hearing
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260 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that every Board
261 member present should have had the opportunity to review the proposed draft minutes and inquired if
262 there were any amendments to be made. No changes were offered or noted. Dr. Blasco called for a
263 motion.
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265 **MOTION:** Dr. Sanders moved that the Board adopt the draft minutes of January 19, 2018. Motion was
266 seconded by Johnson. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.
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268 *b. Financials - NRS 631.180/NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)
269

270 (1) Review Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Balances for period
271 July 1, 2017 to January 31, 2018 (Informational Purposes only)
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273 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Ms. Hummel to go over the review of the Financial statements.
274 Mrs. Hummel noted that staff was continuously working diligently to cut costs. She noted further that
275 they have not had to start paying inLumon as they currently have not finished their project with
276 implementing the new licensing system. She added that the DSO review panel expenses would be on the
277 next budget for review at the next meeting, as expenses did not incur until February.
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279 Dr. Pisani, on behalf of the board, thanked Ms. Hummel for her work.
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281 *c. Authorized Investigative Complaints - NRS 631.360 (For Possible Action)

282 (1) Dr. Y – NRS 631.3475(5) and NAC 631.230(1)(b)
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284 Dr. Blasco drew the Board’s attention to Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel went over the alleged
285 violations of Dr. Y and recommended that the Board authorize an investigation against Dr. Y.
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287 MOTION: Dr. Pinther moved that the Board authorize the investigation against Dr. Y. Motion was
288 seconded by Dr. Shahrestani. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.
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290 (2) Dr. Z - NRS 631.230 (1)(b)
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292 Dr. Blasco drew the Board’s attention to Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel went over the alleged
293 violations of Dr. Y and recommended that the Board authorize an investigation against Dr. Z.
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295 MOTION: Dr. Pisani moved that the Board authorize the investigation against Dr. Z. Motion was
296 seconded by Ms. Gabriel. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.
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299 *6. General Counsel’s Report (For Possible Action)
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301 *a. Legal Actions/Lawsuit(s) Update
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303 (1) District Court Case(s) Update
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305 Dr. Blasco drew the Board’s attention to Mrs. Chapman. Mrs. Chapman indicated to the Board that there
306 was no report.
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309 *7. New Business (For Possible Action)
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311 *a. Approval of Disciplinary Screening Officer - NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)
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313 (1) Dawn McClellan, DDS
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315 Dr. Blasco drew the Board’s attention to Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that she was
316 requesting that Dr. McClellan be appointed as a DSO, and noted that Dr. McClellan was a Pedodontist.
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318 MOTION: Dr. Pinther moved that the board approve the appointment of Dr. McClellan as a DSO. Motion
319 was seconded by Ms. Gabriel. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously
320 approved.
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322 *b. Grant Sophia Long, Deputy Attorney General the authority to assign an agent/investigator
323 to investigate pending complaint against the following licensee - NRS 631.190
324 (For Possible Action)
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326 (1) Dr. X
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328 Dr. Blasco drew the Board’s attention to Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that she was
329 requesting that the Board grant Ms. Long the authority to assign and agent/investigator to investigate
330 the pending complaint against Dr. X.
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332 MOTION: Dr. Pisani moved that the board approve to grant Ms. Long the authority to appoint/assign an
333 investigator/agent to investigate the pending complaint regarding Dr. X. Motion was seconded
334 by Dr. Sanders. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.
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337 *c. Approval/Rejection of Moderate Sedation Training Program - NAC 631.2213 (For Possible Action)
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339 / (1) Academy of Dental & Medical Anesthesia (ADMA) with Memorandum of Understanding
340 with The Good Neighbor House – Conscious/Moderate Parenteral Sedation Course
341 [Cory Pickens, MD] (For Possible Action)
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343 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that Dr. Cody Pickens and Colonel Erwin Washington from the ADMA were
344 present to answer any questions the Board may have. Dr. Pickens thanked Ms. Sandra Spilsbury and
345 Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel for being so accessible when reaching out to them at the office. Dr. Pickens gave a
346 brief history of some former issues he had in the past, that the Board may possibly have concerns with.
347 There was lengthy discussion of the program and the training they offer. He discussed in detail their
348 training goals and some of the methods created to teach the course, curriculum included. Colonel
349 Washington addressed the Board and noted that while he is not a dentist, he is a retired kernel with
350 the Air Force and has an extensive background in the aviation field and thus brings his expertise in
351 preparing and establishing a high performance protocol comparable to the training received in the
352 military. Dr. Blasco thanked Colonel Washington for his service. There was discussion of the program
353 curriculum and the locations/states that the course has approval to be taught at. Additionally, there
354 was discussion of the requirements for licensure in other states for those licensed in Nevada and
355 wanting to take the course in Ohio. Dr. Pickens stated that everyone that participates in the program
356 must to be licensed to participate in the program in that specific state. Dr. Johnson inquired if Dr.
357 Pickens would give a synopsis of their training curriculum, to which Dr. Pickens kindly acquiesced, and
358 did so in detail at the Board's request. There was lengthy discussion of the curriculum, and the
359 protocol for those participants that require additional/extended training in order to successfully complete
360 the program. Dr. Pickens and Colonel Washington elaborated in detail on their protocol for such
361 scenarios and their mission to train each participant to be satisfactorily proficient. Furthermore, that
362 they have dentist's training dentist' to ensure dental practice quality control. There was additional
363 discussion regarding the patients that participate in the program and the protocol for follow-up care.
364 The Board requested that they be provided letters of affiliation with the program for each location.
365 There was brief discussion regarding Nevada's requirements and the ADMA curriculum. Mrs. Shaffer-
366 Kugel stated to Dr. Pickens and Colonel Washington that the program would be approved contingent
367 upon the Board receiving letters of affiliation with the programs.
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369 MOTION: Dr. Pisani moved that the board approve the ADMA Moderate Sedation Training Program course
370 contingent upon the following additional requirements being met:
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- 372 • Written documentation showing the affiliation between ADMA and Kettering Health Residency
- 373 • Course must be 60 hours of didactic must be live lecture
- 374 • 20 of the 25 patient cases for the administration of conscious sedation must be administered
375 by the same attendee in conjunction with dental procedures by that licensee
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377 Motion was seconded by Dr. Pinther. Discussion: Dr. Pickens encouraged that Board members to
378 stringently audit their course and offer their feedback to help them improve their program, and that
379 the auditing would be of no charge to the Board. With no further discussion, the motion was
380 unanimously approved.
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382 *d. Review, Discussion and Approval/Rejection of Public Health Dental Hygiene Program –
383 NAC 631.210(5) (For Possible Action)
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- 385 (1) Southern Nevada Health District (SNHD) through the Division of Public and Behavioral
386 Health Oral Health Program
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388 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that Dr. Capurro
389 was present and was the one who submitted the course for approval. Dr. Capurro stated that she was
390 present to support the approval for the program listed on the agenda. She noted that this would be the
391 first health district to provide dental hygiene services to rural citizens in several counties, and added

392 that they hired a Public Health Endorsed Dental Hygienist to work in the clinic, pending approval of the
393 course. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel indicated to the Board that a program that is created for the purposes of
394 providing services by Dental Hygienists with Public Health Endorsements must be approved by the board
395 pursuant to NAC 631.210(5). Furthermore, that the Board has to ensure that they are running pursuant
396 to appropriate parameters prior to approving a facility or program. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel inquired on what
397 Tele-Dental was. Dr. Capurro stated that it is a program that allows them to have pictures taken from a
398 remote area that is then sent to a licensed dentist for review. Mrs. Harris inquired on the grant they
399 have for the program and their plan for it. Ms. Capurro described the grant in detail and how it will be
400 used.

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402 MOTION: Dr. Sanders moved that the board approve the Public Health Dental Hygiene Program. Motion
403 was seconded by Dr. Johnson. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously
404 approved.

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407 *e. Approval of Voluntary Surrender of License – NAC 631.160 (For Possible Action)

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409 (1) Corbin Partridge, DMD

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411 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel stated that Dr. Partridge
412 had no pending matters with the Board and recommended approval of the voluntary surrender. She
413 noted that once approved, the voluntary surrender was absolute and irrevocable.

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415 MOTION: Dr. Johnson moved that the board approve the voluntary surrender of Dr. Corbin Partridge.
416 Motion was seconded by Dr. Sanders. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously
417 approved.

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419 *f. Approval for Anesthesia-Permanent Permit – NAC 631.2233 (For Possible Action)

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421 (1) General Anesthesia (For Possible Action)

422 (a) Kevin M. Croft, DDS

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424 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Dr. Johnson. Dr. Johnson stated that all was in order and
425 recommended the approval of a permanent general anesthesia permit for Dr. Croft.

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427 MOTION: Dr. Pisani moved that the board approve the permanent general anesthesia permit for Dr. Croft.
428 Motion was seconded by Dr. Pinther, Dr. Johnson abstained from the motion. With no further
429 discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.

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431 (2) Conscious Sedation (For Possible Action)

432 (a) Chandler D. Hyer, DMD

433 (b) Deep Karan S. Dhillon, DDS

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435 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Dr. Johnson. Dr. Johnson stated that all was in order and
436 recommended the approval of a permanent conscious sedation permit for Dr. Hyer and Dr. Dhillon.

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438 MOTION: Dr. Pinther moved that the board approve the permanent conscious sedation permit for Dr.
439 Hyer and Dr. Dhillon. Motion was seconded by Dr. Sanders, Dr. Johnson abstained from the
440 motion. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.

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445 *g. Approval for Anesthesia-Temporary Permit – NAC 631.2254 (For Possible Action)

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447 (1) Conscious Sedation (For Possible Action)

448 (a) Brian D. Jones, DMD

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450 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Dr. Johnson. Dr. Johnson stated that all was in order with the
451 application and recommended the approval of a temporary conscious sedation permit for Dr. Jones.

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453 MOTION: Dr. Sanders moved that the board approve the temporary conscious sedation permit for Dr.
454 Jones. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pinther, Dr. Johnson abstained from the motion. With no
455 further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.

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457 *h. Appointment of Anesthesia Evaluator/Inspector - NRS 631.190 (For Possible Action)

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459 (1) Tony Guillen, DDS – Conscious Sedation

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461 Dr. Blasco drew the Board's attention to Dr. Johnson. Dr. Johnson stated that Dr. Tony Guillen submitted
462 an application to be an anesthesia evaluator/inspector for the board, and recommended approval.

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464 MOTION: Dr. Pinther moved that the board approve the appointment of Dr. Guillen as an Anesthesia
465 evaluator/inspector. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani, Dr. Johnson abstained from the
466 motion. With no further discussion, the motion was unanimously approved.

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469 *8. Resource Group Reports (For Possible Action)

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471 *a. Legislative and Dental Practice (For Possible Action)

472 (Chair: Dr. Pinther; Dr. Champagne; Dr. Blasco; Dr. Sanders; Ms. Harris)

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474 Dr. Pinther stated that there was no report.

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476 *b. Legal and Disciplinary Action (For Possible Action)

477 (Chair: Dr. Pisani; Dr. Blasco; Dr. Shahrestani; Dr. Sanders; Ms. Harris)

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479 Dr. Pisani stated that there was no report.

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481 *c. Examinations Liaisons (For Possible Action)

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483 *(1) WREB/HERB Representatives (For Possible Action)

484 (Dr. Blasco; Ms. Gabriel)

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486 Dr. Blasco stated that there was no report.

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488 *(2) ADEX Representatives (For Possible Action)

489 (Timothy Pinther; DDS)

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491 Dr. Pinther stated that there was no report.

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493 *d. Continuing Education (For Possible Action)

494 (Chair: Dr. Blasco; Dr. Shahrestani, Dr. Pisani; Ms. Gabriel)

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496 Dr. Blasco stated that there was no report.

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498 *e. Committee of Dental Hygiene (For Possible Action)

499 (Chair: Ms. Gabriel; Ms. Pate; Mrs. Bethea; Dr. Shahrestani)

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501 Ms. Gabriel stated that there was no report.

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503 *f. Specialty (For Possible Action)

(Chair: Dr. Pisani; Dr Johnson; Dr. Pinther)

Dr. Pisani stated that there was no report.

*g. Anesthesia (For Possible Action)

(Chair: Dr. Johnson; Dr. Pinther; Dr. Champagne; Dr. Sanders)

Dr. Johnson stated that there was no report.

*h. Infection Control (For Possible Action)

(Chair: Ms. Gabriel; Dr. Blasco; Dr. Champagne; Dr. Pisani; Mrs. Bethea)

Ms. Gabriel stated that there was no report.

*i. Budget and Finance Committee (For Possible Action)

(Chair: Dr. Champagne; Dr. Pinther; Dr. Blasco; Ms. Pate)

Dr. Champagne stated that there was no report.

9. Public Comment: (Public Comment is limited to three (3) minutes for each individual)

Ms. Terri Chandler commented that she wanted to acknowledge Dr. Capurro's leadership and the roles she plays in bringing services to the rural areas.

Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

10. Announcements:


Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel announced that renewal portal would open on Wednesday, April 4th, and that a postcard reminder was mailed out to notify Dental Hygienist' and Limited License holders. She noted that pocket cards were now emailed upon renewing and no longer mailed.

She noted further that the Board's Newsletter would be going out in approximately 30 days.

*11. Adjournment (For Possible Action)

MOTION: Dr. Johnson moved that the March 23, 2018 meeting of the Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners be adjourned. Motion was seconded by Dr. Sanders, and without discussion, unanimously approved by the Board. Meeting adjourned at 10: 51 a.m.

Minutes approved at the May 11, 2018 Board Meeting
Respectfully Submitted by:


Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Executive Director