



NEVADA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS
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 Conference Room: 6010 S Rainbow Blvd, Suite A1, Las Vegas, Nevada 89118

Telephone Conference

PUBLIC MEETING

Thursday, May 25, 2017

5:32 p.m.

Board Meeting Agenda

Please Note: The Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners may hold board meetings via telephone conference call. The public was welcomed to attend the telephone conference meeting at the Board office located at 6010 S. Rainbow Blvd, Suite A1; Las Vegas, Nevada 89118.

The Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners may 1) address agenda items out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Board or to aid the efficiency or effectiveness of the meeting; 2) combine items for consideration by the public body; 3) pull or remove items from the agenda at any time. The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. See NRS 241.030. Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual the board may refuse to consider public comment. See NRS 233B.126.

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. Theresa Guillen ("Ms. Guillen") -----EXCUSED |
| Dr. Jason Champagne ("Dr. Champagne") --PRESENT | Ms. M Sharon Gabriel ("Ms. Gabriel") -----PRESENT |
| Dr. Gregory Pisani ("Dr. Pisani") -----PRESENT | Ms. Mary Teresa Chandler ("Ms. Chandler") ---PRESENT |
| Dr. Brendan Johnson ("Dr. Johnson") -----PRESENT | |
| Dr. Ali Shahrestani ("Dr. Shahrestani") -----PRESENT | |

Others Present: Sophia Long, Deputy Attorney General/Board Co- Counsel; Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Executive Director.

Public Attendees: Howard Steffan, Nevada resident.

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

Mr. Steffan began his public comment regarding a complaint that he was demanding the board look into. Board Co-counsel, Ms. Long, interrupted Mr. Steffan to advise him that his comments were inappropriate as they would violate NRS 631, regarding the confidentiality of complaints that are remanded. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel read the

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statute into the record. After much discussion between Ms. Long and Mr. Steffan, Mr. Steffan ended his public comment and disconnected from the telephone conference.

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)

***3. New Business** (For Possible Action)

- *a. **Consideration to Amend Paragraph 8(D) and 8(E) of the corrective action stipulation agreement approved by the Board on January 20, 2017 with regards to reimbursement of investigative costs, supplemental continuing education and the request for additional time to complete**
(For Possible Action)

- (1) Timothy Wilson, DDS

Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel noted to the Board that Dr. Timothy Wilson entered into a stipulation agreement with the Board and that he was now asking to amend said stipulation agreement to allow for payment plan arrangements. Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel noted to the Board that Dr. Wilson did make a payment of \$2500 earlier in the day at the board office. She added that Dr. Wilson was asking for the remaining balance to be payable in two payments, and for an extension of time to complete the required continuing education hours.

MOTION: Dr. Johnson made the motion to approve Dr. Timothy Wilson's request for an extension of fees due and to complete his continuing education requirement until July 15, 2017. Motion was seconded by Dr. Sanders. All were in favor of the motion.

- *b. **Approval for Board Members/Staff to be Members of the American Association of Dental Boards (AADB) for fiscal year July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018 –NRS 631.190** (For Possible Action)

- (1) Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Ex. Director
- (2) John P Kelleher, Esq. General Counsel
- (3) Ali Shahrestani, DMD
- (4) Timothy Pinther, DDS
- (5) Mary "Terri" Chandler, RDH
- (6) Gregory Pisani, DDS
- (7) R. Michael Sanders, DDS
- (8) [TBD]

MOTION: Dr. Pinther made the motion to approve all 7 individuals listed, with an opportunity for another Board member to attend if interested. Motion was seconded by Dr. Pisani. All were in favor of the motion.

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

No public Comment.

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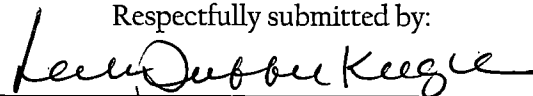
5. Announcements: Mrs. Shaffer-Kugel announced that the new licensing system would be up soon.

***6. Adjournment** (For Possible Action)

A motion and a second were made to adjourn the meeting. All were in favor.

Meeting Adjourned at 5:52 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:



Debra Shaffer-Kugel, Executive Director