

NEVADA STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS



Meeting Location:

Nevada State Board of Dental Examiners 6010 S Rainbow Blvd, Suite A-1 Las Vegas, NV 89118

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Meeting Date & Time

Tuesday, July 28, 2020 6:30 p.m.

MINUTES

BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS NOTICE OF AGENDA & TELECONFERENCE MEETING

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

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<u>Note</u>: Asterisks (*) "<u>For Possible Action</u>" denotes items on which the Board may take action. **Note**: Action by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or tabled.

Call to Order

Roll call/ Quorum

Board Member Moore apologized for starting late due to the Committee meeting running over, and called the meeting to order at approximately 6:59 p.m. Mr. Frank DiMaggio conducted the following roll call:

Dr. D. Kevin Moore (President)PRESENT	Dr. Ronald LemonPRESENT
Dr. David Lee (Secretary-Treasurer) PRESENT	Dr. Ronald WestPRESENT
Dr. Elizabeth Park PRESENT	Ms. Caryn Solie PRESENT
W. Todd Thompson PRESENT	Ms. Gabrielle Cioffi PRESENT
Mrs. Jana McIntyre PRESENT	

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Executive Staff present: Phil Su, Esquire, Board General Counsel; Rosalie Bordelove, DAG, Board Co-Counsel; Frank DiMaggio, Executive Director; Angelica Bejar, Public Information-Travel Administrator.

2. Public Comment: The public comment period is limited to matters specifically noticed on the agenda. No action may be taken upon the matter raised during public comment unless the matter itself has been specifically included on the agenda as an action item. Comments by the public may be limited to three minutes as a reasonable time, place and manner restriction, but may not be limited based upon viewpoint. The Chairperson may allow additional time at his/her discretion.

There was no public comment made.

- *3. President's Report: (For Possible Action)
 - *a. Request to remove agenda item(s) (For Possible Action)

There were no requests made.

*b. Approve Agenda (For Possible Action)

MOTION: Board Member Thompson moved to approve the agenda. Board Member Lee seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

- *4. Secretary Treasurer's Report: (For Possible Action)
 - *a. Minutes (For Possible Action)
 - (1) Budget and Finance Committee Meeting 06/23/2020

Board Member Lee stated that all board members should have had the opportunity to review the draft minutes and inquired if there were any amendments or changes to be made.

MOTION: Board Member Lee moved to approve the minutes. Board Member Cioffi seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

5. General Counsel's Report: (Informational Purposes Only)

General Counsel, Mr. Su, stated that the Review Panel convened that week where they reviewed twenty (25) matters. He noted that they were recommending that eight (8) cases be remanded; one (1) matter to be referred to the Dental Hygiene Review Panel; five (5) were referred for proposed stipulation agreements, and eleven (11) were being referred back for additional investigation and/or follow-up at a future review panel meeting.

- *6. Old Business: (For Possible Action)
 - *a. Consideration and approval/rejection to hire part-time Infection Control Employee (For Possible Action)
 - (1) Natalia Y. Hill, RDH

Board Member Moore stated that Ms. Natalia Hill applied for a part-time Infection Control Employee position, that she met the criteria, and he recommended approval.

MOTION: Board Member Park moved to approve the hire of Ms. Natalia Hill, RDH as a parttime Infection Control Employee. Board Member McIntyre seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

*b. Approval of Temporary Anesthesia Permit (For Possible Action)

- (1) General Anesthesia (For Possible Action)
 - (a) Pouya Sohrab Partovi, DDS

[Additional temporary anesthesia permit – GA for consideration under new business]

Board Member Moore stated that he and Board Member Lee reviewed the application for a temporary permit, all was in order, and they recommended approval of the temporary permit for Dr. Partovi.

MOTION: Board Member West moved to approve the temporary permit for Dr. Partovi. Board Member Thompson seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

*c. Approval of Permanent Anesthesia Permit (For Possible Action)

- (1) Moderate Sedation (Pediatric Specialty) (For Possible Action)
 - (a) Robert Bruce Howell, DDS

Board Member Moore stated that all was in order for Dr. Howell, evaluation was successful, and recommended approval of the permanent Moderate Sedation (pediatric specialty) permit.

MOTION: Board Member Thompson moved to approve the permanent Moderate Sedation (pediatric specialty) permit for Dr. Robert Bruce Howell. Board Member West seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

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

- (1) Julian Freeman, DMD
- (2) Benjamin A. Neibaur, DMD
- (3) Joseph E. Morneau, DDS
- (4) Michael C. Li, DDS
- (5) Madelyn S. Blanton, RDH

Mr. Su stated that he reviewed all the applications for voluntary surrender of license, and that all board members should have received a copy. He stated that all appeared to be in order. Mr. Su noted that approving a voluntary surrender license did not preclude the board from imposing action on a licensee.

MOTION: Board Member Park moved to approve the list of voluntary surrenders. Board Member West seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

*e. Appointment and proposed changes to Committees (For Possible Action)

- (1) Committee on Dental Hygiene and Dental Therapy
 - a. Caryn Solie, RDH
- (2) Continuing Education Committee
 - a. D. Kevin Moore, DDS
- (3) Examination Liaisons (ADEX Representatives)
 - a. David Lee, DMD
 - b. Caryn Solie, RDH

(4) Infection Control

a. Caryn Solie, RDH

Board Member Moore stated that Board Member Solie was kind enough to volunteer to sit on the committees noted. He welcomed volunteers to be appointed to any of the positions noted, and if not he would volunteer to fill a vacancy on the Continuing Education Committee.

MOTION: Board Member Park moved to approve the appointments to the committees as listed. Board Member Lemon seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

- *7. New Business: (For Possible Action)
 - *a. <u>Select and approve interested Board members to attend the AADB meeting in Chicago on February 27-28, 2021</u> (For Possible Action)

Board Member Moore stated that he and Board Member Lee attended the AADB meeting last year, felt that it was beneficial to attend. He noted his interest in attending and stated that for anyone wishing to attend to notify staff.

- *b. Approval of Temporary Anesthesia Permit (For Possible Action)
 - (1) General Anesthesia (For Possible Action)

(a) Spencer Armuth, DMD

Board Member Moore stated that he reviewed the application for a permit, all was in order and he recommended approval of the temporary permit for Dr. Armuth.

MOTION: Board Member Lee moved to approve the temporary permit for Dr. Armuth. Board Member Lemon seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

8. Public Comment: This public comment period is for any matter that is within the jurisdiction of the public body. No action may be taken upon the matter raised during public comment unless the matter itself has been specifically included on the agenda as an action item. The Chairperson of the Board will impose a time limit of three (3) minutes. The Chairperson may allow additional time at his/her discretion.

No public comment was made.

9. Announcements

No announcements were made.

*10. Adjournment (For Possible Action)

Board Member Moore called for adjournment.

MOTION: Board Member Park moved to adjourn the Board meeting at approximately 7:13 p.m. Board Member West seconded the motion. All were in favor, motion passed.

Respectfully submitted:

Frank DiMaggio, Executive Director