

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

December 6-9, 1976
The Royal Villa Motor Inn
Raleigh, North Carolina

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina met at The Royal Villa Motor Inn, Raleigh, North Carolina, December 6-9, 1976 for the purpose of interviewing applicants for license by endorsement of credentials, administering examinations for licensure, and conducting other business.

Drs. Charles B. Wilkerson, Jr., President, J. Jerome Pence, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer, David S. Citron, Bruce B. Blackmon, Bryant L. Galusha, Joyce H. Reynolds and E. Wilson Staub were present. Also present were Mr. Bryant D. Paris, Jr., Executive Secretary, Mrs. Betty Joe Barick, Mrs. Diane G. Freeman, and Mr. Lee Denney, Investigator.

Monday, December 6
5:00 p.m.

The Board convened for business and reviewing credentials of applicants for license by endorsement.

Dr. Wilkerson, President of the Board, welcomed the two new Board members, Drs. Blackmon and Reynolds, to membership on the Board, their terms being November 1, 1976 through October 31, 1982.

RE: North Carolina Drug Commission -- Appointment of Board member to serve. Following discussion of duties involved, Dr. Bruce B. Blackmon was appointed to serve as the Board's representative member on the North Carolina Drug Commission for a two-year term.

RE: Budget Committee -- Dr. Joyce H. Reynolds, Dr. Bryant L. Galusha and Dr. E. Wilson Staub were appointed as the Budget committee of the Board for November 1, 1976 through October 31, 1977.

RE: Executive Council meeting, North Carolina Medical Society -- Dr. David S. Citron, was appointed to represent the Board at the North Carolina Medical Society's Executive Council meeting in Raleigh, North Carolina in January, 1977 since the officers of the Board would be unable to attend as a result of their attendance at the annual meeting of the Federation of State Medical Boards.

RE: Dr. Julian M. McGee, Greensboro, N.C. -- Executive Secretary presented a letter to the Board from Dr. McGee advising the Board that he was retiring from the practice of medicine and surrendering his license to the Board, effective October 20, 1976. The Board received this as information, and noted that they would accept the surrender of Dr. McGee's license since the Order of Revocation had not been entered at the time of the surrender of his license.

RE: Dr. Eric C. Jelly, Chapel Hill, N.C. -- Request for temporary license. Following review of file, Dr. Pence moved that the request for a temporary license for Dr. Jelly until he can take the June, 1977 examination be denied, and the Board stand on its previous policy, and a copy of this letter advising Dr. Shahady of this be forwarded to the dean's office at the University of North Carolina School of Medicine. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed, one member abstaining from the vote.

RE: Doctors Frazer, Lee & Dixon, P.A. -- Request for name change for corporation. Dr. Galusha moved that the requested name, Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgeons of Greensboro, P.A., be accepted by the Board with the knowledge and approval of the office of the Secretary of State of North Carolina. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Yong Kie Kim, Morganton, N.C. -- Board reviewed Dr. Kim's file and letter from Dr. Ira M. Hardy, II and Dr. David L. Kelly, Jr. of the North Carolina Medical Society's Section on Neurological Surgery regarding Dr. Kim's training and practice in North Carolina. Dr. Citron moved this be received as information. Seconded by Dr. Blackmon and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Leon E. Kresler, Fort Wayne, Indiana -- Executive Secretary presented Dr. Kresler's letter to the Board withdrawing his application for license by endorsement of credentials, which was received as information by the Board.



RE: Dr. Morgan Martin, Norwich, Connecticut -- Request for special consideration for license by endorsement of credentials. Following review of his request, Dr. Galusha moved that since Canadian medical schools are considered on the same basis as American medical schools, and Canadian citizenship is regarded on the same basis as American citizenship, Dr. Martin be advised he can apply for license by endorsement of credentials, and if and when he meets all other requirements for license by endorsement, his application will be considered on an individual basis. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Robert D. Prentice, Nottingham, England -- Request for temporary license. Following review of file, Dr. Blackmon moved that the request for a temporary license for Dr. Prentice until he can take the June, 1977 examination be denied, and the Board maintain its policy regarding issuance of temporary licenses and not allowing visiting professors to apply for an extension of their Certificate of Registration. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Idaho Naturopathic Association -- Executive Secretary advised the Board that a suit had been filed against the North Carolina Board of Medical Examiners, the State of North Carolina, North Carolina Counties of Iredell, Henderson and Forsyth, the United States Government, the United States Department of Health, Education and Welfare and other state boards by the Idaho Naturopathic Association. The Board asked that their attorney keep them advised of action in this case.

RE: North Carolina Board of Pharmacy -- The Board reviewed a letter from the Board of Pharmacy regarding physician ownership of pharmacies and possible conflict of interests arising from such, and suggestion of a meeting with the Board of Medical Examiners and the Board of Pharmacy, or a subcommittee of each Board. Dr. Citron moved that the Board of Pharmacy be advised that the Board of Medical Examiners feels they do not have the legal power to become involved in this matter in that they are empowered only to regulate the practice of medicine, and the Board would suggest that they discuss this matter with the North Carolina State Medical Society. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, December 7.

December 7
9:00 a.m.

RE: Applications for license by examination -- The following physicians submitted credentials and appeared and took the North Carolina examination (FLEX) for licensure on December 7, 8, 9, 1976, which was conducted from 8:00 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. on those days:

Vergil R. Abreu
Angelita D. Acuna
William J. Adey
Yousef H. Adham
Sarwat W. Ahmad
Sabra J. Alderman
Cyril A. Allen
Solange M. M. Amos
Michael L. Barringer
Florida S. Basilio
Clinton A. Briley
Eduardo A. Brugo
Julieta M. Calzado
Cristita P. Campbell
Joel M. Carter
Paik H. Chang
Chandana Chatterjee
Chia-Maou Chen
Kuliakanda M. Chengappa
Oh Hun T. Chung
George Claus
Oscar S. Cunanan
Nasreen R. Dar
Leon D. Davis
William L. Douglas
Melvyn G. Drew
Sriranjini Eachempati
Zareen F. Faiz
Steven J. Feagin
Zeinab S. Fetouh
Wayne D. Fogle
Arthur L. Fritz
Roger N. Goodlin
Ioannis D. Goutos

Ronald K. Gray
William G. Hamilton
William B. Harden
Shankar N. Hittalmani
Lynn D. Ikenberry
Ebenezer Israel
Ronnie S. Joyner
John Kabal
Michael A. Karr
Frederick M. Kelvin
Hiru D. Khianey
Jung-Ah C. Kim
Young O. Kim
Alan Klein
Michael W. Knoelke
Banerje Koduru
Narayan R. Kulkarni
Aruna Kumar
Kailash C. Lall
Chung Ha Lee
Won-Shick Loh
Yih H. Ma
Nelson M. Macatangay
Bahman Malekpour
Martin J. Maloney
Stephen R. Mitchell
John B. Mullen
David A. Nagey
Lam V. Nam
Ramesh K. Nayyar
Thuan D. Ngo
Sang B. Oh
Khairia Y. Omran
Y. B. Paranjape

Chandubhai G. Parekh
S. S. Reddy
James B. Patterson
Yeddu B. Raju
Ramon Quinones
John W. Rand
Robert L. Reddick
Hernane C. Restar
Hee S. Rhee
Gary H. Riggs
Fernando R. Ruiz
Suzanne F. Salama
R. Sampathkumaran
Geoffrey Sher
John K. Shill
Anwar A. Sinno
John P. Spencer
William W. Stead
Olivia D. Stinson
Young S. Suh
Jeffrey B. Symmonds
Jacob Tasher
Yachai Thitathan
Saiprasadarao Vallarapu
Jusus M. Villanos
Bertram E. Walls
Richard H. Weisler
Joseph L. Williams
Philip B. Woodhall
Frank Worix
Ernest D. Younger
Young S. Yun
Susan B. Yuson



RE: Interviews for license by endorsement of credentials -- Physicians who appeared applying for license by endorsement, were interviewed individually by the Board and approved for licensure this date:

Seymour Bakerman	Loftus Hengeveld, Jr.	Frederick T. Owens
Harry H. Ballard*	Henry G. Herrod, III*	Elliot R. Pack*
John M. Bauer*	Michael S. Hershfield	John R. Perry
Theodore G. Bernthal, Jr.*	John M. Holmberg	Eric N. Prystowsky*
Andrew A. Bonin*	Richard G. Hopkins	Shailaja G. Raj
Joseph B. Boyd*	Jan M. Kadyk	Vanrajsinh G. Rana
Judith A. Buff	Rick R. Kamm	Philip A. Rich *
Gordon B. Burnett	Bertram D. Kaplan*	John C. Rogers*
Victor W. Bustard	Alan L. Kenwood*	Harold M. Rosenthal*
Coley J. Cassiano*	Jefferson B. Kiser, Jr.	Margaret A. Sanyal*
Myong S. Choi	Thomas R. Kitchens	David L. Shumway*
Ronald J. Cinocca*	John W. Krege	George A. Simpson
Edward E. Crouch	Christopher L. Krogh*	Stanley L. Slater
Hugh A. Dame	Harkisan A. Laheri	Erastus Smith, Jr.*
John C. Dickinson*	Charles P. Langley, III*	Nat E. Smith
Terry L. Dodge*	Albert S. Lasky	Robert W. Summers
Walter W. Fischer	Joseph D. Lee	Daniel J. Thomas*
Robert I. Fishburn	Chiang-yuan Liau	James W. Thompson
Charles B. Fults, Jr.	Edwin J. Lowd	Indira M. Varia
Timothy J. Gallagher	Jamil Malouf*	Ramon Velez
Harold E. Gebhart	Frederick T. Melges	James A. Villier*
Henry F. Gober, Jr.*	Charles C. Merchant	Donald J. Vincent
David C. Grulke*	John C. Neale, III	Shirley Weisenfeld
Alan K. Halperin*	Donald F. Nortman*	

*Indicates applicant who appeared before the Executive Secretary for his personal interview applying for license by endorsement of credentials, and was approved for licensure by the Board on this date.

Physicians who appeared at previous Board meetings applying for license by endorsement of credentials and completed requirements after that meeting date and were approved for licensure this date:

Carl Gene Coin	Joseph H. Keffer	Edmond S. Rahme
Anil R. Dalal	Tint Lwin	Michael N. Stewart
Hong Ming Huang		

Physicians who appeared applying for license by endorsement with incomplete credentials and were held until later Board meetings for approval:

William A. Bootle, Jr.	Nicholas R. Jurich	Melville A. Lambert
Kutas Dogan	Geoffrey C. Kincaid	Karl L. Siebecker, Jr.

RE: EMT-IV applications -- Following review, Dr. Staub moved that the applications for Lenoir County emergency medical technicians-IV be approved. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: EMT application -- Donald Cole. Mr. Cole's application had been reviewed at the June, 1976 Board meeting and approved if and when the form is completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary, or not approved if Mr. Cole had not had any clinical experience. Dr. Staub moved that since Mr. Cole's application is now in order, and he has had more clinical experience, his application be approved. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: MICN applications -- Application for Ms. Sandra Landis in Lenoir County. Following review of her application, Dr. Staub moved it be approved. Discussion followed regarding approval of the examination for the medical intensive care nurse and the program. Substitute motion: Dr. Citron moved that a decision on Ms. Landis' application be delayed until the January Board meeting and the Board members be provided with all past actions concerning this, and the Board hear the report from Dr. Pence on the Nursing Board and Board of Medical Examiners subcommittee meeting at the January meeting prior to making a final decision on this application. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed, Dr. Staub abstaining from the vote.

RE: Biennial Registration -- Reinstatement: Dr. Pence moved that if all fees and penalties have been paid, the physicians' licenses suspended for failure to register as required by North Carolina General Statute 90-15 be duly registered. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed:

William K. Tucker	John T. Gwynne	John C. Ayers, Jr.
William C. Langdon	Nancy L. P. Fawcett	Frank Mac Brown
Charles G. Heckel	James E. Minick	



RE: Dr. Andrew Best, Greenville, N.C. -- Dr. Staub moved that charges be preferred against Dr. Best and the proper procedures be instituted to notify him of said charges in writing, and he be advised that he will be given a hearing on such charges that will be presented against him, if and when his conviction is upheld in court. Seconded by Dr. Blackmon and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Ralph C. Reid, Pineville, N. C. -- Dr. Galusha recommended that the proper procedures be instituted to prefer charges against Dr. Reid, and he be so notified in writing, and advised that he will be given a hearing on such charges that will be presented against him.

RE: Dr. Joseph E. Swanton, Mussel Shoals, Alabama -- Dr. Galusha recommended that the proper procedures be instituted to prefer charges against Dr. Swanton, and he be so notified in writing, and advised that he will be given a hearing on such charges that will be presented against him.

RE: Dr. Harris H. Bass, Seattle, Washington -- Dr. Galusha recommended that the proper procedures be instituted to prefer charges against Dr. Bass, and he be so notified in writing, and advised that he will be given a hearing on such charges that will be presented against him.

RE: Dr. Albertus U. Stroupe, Mt. Holly, North Carolina -- Dr. Galusha recommended that the Board not prefer charges against Dr. Stroupe.

Dr. Citron moved that these recommendations be approved by the Board. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Voluntary surrender of Schedule 2 DEA privileges by physicians -- Dr. Citron moved that the Board authorize the President of the Board to instruct the Board's investigator to request the voluntary surrender of a physicians' DEA (Drug Enforcement Administration) Schedule 2 and 2-N prescription writing privileges if he deems it necessary, with a report to be made to the Board regarding this request. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, December 8.

December 8
9:00 a.m.

RE: Dr. Gordon M. Wilkins, Charlotte, N. C. -- A hearing was held before the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina upon and concerning charges and accusations preferred by the Board in the above matter at The Royal Villa Motor Inn, Raleigh, North Carolina, on December 8, 1976, at which hearing Dr. Gordon M. Wilkins did appear and was represented by counsel. Following this hearing and the presentation of evidence, the Board found and concluded that based on the evidence presented, Dr. Gordon M. Wilkins be found guilty as charged on all charges, and that grounds exist for the revocation of his license to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina. Upon motion duly made, seconded and passed, Dr. Wilkins' license to practice medicine in North Carolina was revoked, two members abstaining from the vote.

RE: Dr. William C. Ivey, Saxapahaw, N. C. -- A hearing was held before the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina upon and concerning charges and accusations preferred by the Board in the above matter at The Royal Villa Motor Inn, Raleigh, North Carolina, on December 8, 1976, at which hearing Dr. William C. Ivey did appear and was represented by counsel. Following this hearing and the presentation of evidence, upon motion duly made, seconded and passed, the Board postponed making a decision on his hearing until a subsequent Board meeting.

RE: Dr. Robert B. Hodgson, Hertford, N. C. -- A hearing was held upon and concerning charges and accusations preferred by the Board in the above matter in Hertford, North Carolina on November 11, 1976, at which hearing the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina was represented by President Charles B. Wilkerson, Jr., M.D., and at which hearing Dr. Hodgson did appear and was represented by counsel. Upon motion duly made and seconded and passed, a letter of reprimand from the Board to Dr. Hodgson was issued.

Meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, December 9.



December 9
9:00 a.m.

RE: Assistants to Physicians -- applications:

RE: Dr. Joseph B. Alexander, Lumberton, N.C. -- application complete for Elizabeth L. Blackmon. Dr. Wilkerson moved that Ms. Blackmon be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed. Dr. Blackmon abstained from voting.

RE: Dr. E. Reid Bahnson, Winston-Salem, N.C. -- application complete for Peter C. Sexton. Dr. Wilkerson moved that Mr. Sexton be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Arthur C. Broughton, Raleigh, N.C. -- Application complete for Nathaniel Cameron. Dr. Citron moved that Mr. Cameron be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Bruce B. Blackmon, Buies Creek, N.C. -- application complete for Elizabeth L. Blackmon to work as an assistant to a physician on a part-time basis. Dr. Citron moved that Ms. Blackmon be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed. Dr. Blackmon abstained from voting.

RE: Dr. Clement H. Block, Snow Hill, N.C. -- application complete for Eric R. Chlebisch. Dr. Citron moved that Mr. Chlebisch be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

RE: Dr. John T. Dees, Burgaw, N.C. -- application incomplete for Richard Sharp, lacking fee. Dr. Reynolds moved that Mr. Sharp be approved for use as an assistant to a physician if and when the fee is paid. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Bob M. Foster, Mocksville, N.C. -- application incomplete for John W. Levis. Dr. Blackmon moved that Mr. Levis be approved for use as an assistant to a physician if and when his final letter of recommendation is received. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed. (creds. comp.)

RE: Dr. Floyd A. Fried, Chapel Hill, N.C. -- application complete for Robert Lawhorn. Dr. Blackmon moved that Mr. Lawhorn be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Alan K. Halperin, Aurora, N.C. -- application complete for Emily K. Keel. Dr. Galusha moved that Ms. Keel be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Dr. George V. Irons, Charlotte, N.C. -- application complete for Roger L. Young. Dr. Galusha moved that Mr. Young be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Dr. William A. Moody, Morganton, N.C. -- application complete for William M. Buckley. Dr. Pence moved that Mr. Buckley be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Allan D. Nash, Brevard, N.C. -- application complete for Wayne F. Olsen. Dr. Pence moved that Mr. Olsen be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Lawrence K. Thompson, III, Durham, N.C. -- Application complete for Malcolm M. Anderson, Jr. Dr. Staub moved that Mr. Anderson be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Stephen Collins, Wilmington, N.C. -- application complete for Dooley Underwood and Paul E. Stout. Dr. Reynolds moved that Mr. Stout and Mr. Underwood be approved for use as assistants to physicians. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Albert F. Pumphrey, Elizabethtown, N.C. -- application incomplete for Mr. Michael E. Allen, lacking two letters of recommendation and photocopy of certificate of graduation from his program. Dr. Staub moved that the Board accept the letter certifying Mr. Allen's completion of the program at Howard University and the application be approved if and when the additional letters of recommendation are received, and if and when Dr. Pumphrey completes in more detail and answers fully numbers 4 and 5 on the application form, particularly regarding safeguards established for the protection of the patient in question 4; and in question 5, chart review by the physician and amount of time between the assistant's work and its review by the physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.



Assistants to physicians, applications, cont'd.

RE: Dr. Riley M. Jordan, Raeford, N.C. -- application for Mr. Harvey G. Colley, which had been submitted and considered by the Board at the August, 1976 meeting, and no action had been taken at that time. Dr. Galusha moved that the Board reconsider Dr. Jordan's application for use of Harvey G. Colley as an assistant to a physician following the receipt of three consecutive favorable reports, if the application is complete and in order, and this information be conveyed to Mr. Diehl, Dr. Jordan's attorney. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Registered nurses performing medical acts -- applications:

Dr. David F. Slawek, Hendersonville, N.C. -- application complete for Barbara H. Garrison, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Harry Fagan, Raleigh, N.C. -- application complete for Margaret E. Goodson and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Harry H. Summerlin, Asheville, N.C. -- application complete for Mary Ellen Estok, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Stuart Roberson, Waynesville, N.C. -- application complete for Ellen Leonard, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Ned Kelly, Hot Springs, N.C. -- application complete for Sandra L. F. List, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. John A. Parrott, Kinston, N.C. -- application complete for Linda Sanderson, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. R. C. Irving, Hendersonville, N.C. -- application complete for Joan E. Walker, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Henry L. Stephenson, Washington, N.C. -- application complete for Janet R. Waters, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Sydnor T. Withers, Jr., Wilmington, N.C. -- application complete for Ginga C. Garden, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Michael Hamilton, Durham, N.C. -- application complete for Martha L. Henderson, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Thomas M. Daniel, Smithfield, N.C. -- application complete for Mary Ledbetter, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. James T. Best, Sea Level, N.C. -- application complete for Amie Modigh, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Wallace N. Evans, Cary, N.C. -- application complete for Sandra Rickman, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Edward T. Viser, Ahoskie, N.C. -- application complete for J.M. Loy Rountree, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. James D. Trader, Greensboro, N.C. -- application complete for Abedna S. Scales, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. George Macatee, Jr., Asheville, N.C. -- application complete for Beverly A. L. Smith, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Verna Y. Barefoot, New Bern, N.C. -- application complete for Opal M. Wood, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. John Noble, Siler City, N.C. -- application complete for Corinne E. Klaiman, and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Pence moved that the Board approve all the applications of the registered nurses performing medical acts recommended by the subcommittee as indicated.. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Edward G. Bond, Edenton, N.C. -- application complete for William H. Redding. The subcommittee recommended approval of this application with the deletion of thoracentesis, thoracotomy and spinal taps from the job description as functions he would perform. Dr. Citron moved that this recommendation be approved. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.



Registered nurses performing medical acts, cont'd.

RE: Dr. John K. Pearson, Apex, N.C. -- application incomplete for Lydia Smith, lacking signatures of other supervising physicians, and approved by subcommittee if and when those signatures are obtained. Dr. Pence moved that the Board approve the subcommittee's action. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

RE: Registered nurses performing medical acts: Program approvals and subcommittee report -- Dr. Pence, Chairman of the Board of Medical Examiners and Board of Nursing joint subcommittee, reported that the subcommittee had approved the programs for the Family Planning Nurse Practitioner Equivalency Course at Wake Forest University, and had also approved the nurse practitioner courses at the University of Florida, University of Mississippi, University of Alabama and New Jersey College of Medicine. He moved that the Board approve the subcommittee's action. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

Also on the agenda and discussed was the National Board of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners qualifying examination. The subcommittee considered a report from the Joint Practice Committee regarding geriatric nurse practitioners, the mobile intensive care nurse and possible revisions for the application form were discussed.

Site visits to the various clinics with nurse practitioners was also discussed. One site visit has already been made by Dr. Citron and Ms. McRee, and the subcommittee is in the process of making plans for other site visits. The Board received this report as information.

RE: Approval of applications for licensure -- Dr. Citron moved that the Board approve the applicants interviewed by the Executive Secretary who were applying for license by endorsement of credentials and who were graduates of medical schools within the last five years. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. Staub moved that the five-year graduate applicant who was lacking the current letters of recommendation, Dr. Geoffrey C. Kincaid, be approved if and when those letters are received. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. Citron moved that the Board approve the actions taken by the two groups of Board members in interviewing applicants for license by endorsement of credentials. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

There being no further business to come before the Board at this time, Dr. Galusha moved that the meeting be adjourned. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.



 J. W. Pence, Jr., M.D., Secretary-Treasurer
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