

MINUTES

North Carolina Medical Board

February 20 and 21, 2002

**1201 Front Street, Suite 100
Raleigh, North Carolina**

Minutes of the Open Sessions of the North Carolina Medical Board Meeting February 20 and 21, 2002.

The February 20 and 21, 2002, meeting of the North Carolina Medical Board was held at the Board's Office, 1201 Front Street, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27609. The meeting was called to order at 8:07 a.m., Wednesday, February 20, 2002, by Walter J. Pories, MD, President. Board members in attendance were: Charles L. Garrett, MD, Secretary/Treasurer; George C. Barrett, MD; E. K. Fretwell, PhD; Mr. Hari Gupta; Stephen M. Herring, MD; Robin N. Hunter-Buskey, PA-C; Elizabeth P. Kanof, MD; Robert C. Moffatt, MD; Michael E. Norins, MD; and Mr. Aloysius P. Walsh. Absent was John T. Dees, MD, Vice President;

Staff members present were: Mr. Andrew W. Watry, Executive Director; Ms. Helen Diane Meelheim, JD, Deputy Director; and staff.

MISCELLANEOUS

Presidential Remarks

Dr. Pories commenced the meeting by reading the North Carolina Board of Ethics' "ethics awareness and conflict of interest reminder." Dr. Pories welcomed Mr. Hari Gupta as a new member of the board.

Mr. Watry gave a PowerPoint presentation on the application process and medical licensure.

Resident Training Program Directors – A Meeting With

The Board met with resident training program directors of the State teaching institutions at the Board's Office on Tuesday, February 19, 2002. Program directors were invited for an informal meeting to discuss eligibility requirements for resident training licenses and the resident training licensing process. There were fruitful discussions and plans are to meet again in the near future.

Agent of the Board – Paul Saperstein

Motion: A motion passed designating Mr. Paul Saperstein as an Agent of the Board.

Secretary/Treasurer – Charles Garrett, MD

Motion: A motion passed appointing Dr. Garrett to complete the remainder of Mr. Saperstein's term as Secretary/Treasurer.

Bylaws Committee – Appointment of

The President appointed the Bylaws Committee as follows: Dr. Dees, Chair; Dr. Fretwell and Dr. Garrett.

Retreat Committee – Appointment of

The President appointed the Retreat Committee as follows: Dr. Fretwell, Chair; Dr. Norins; Mr. Gupta and Mr. Watry.

Licensing (draft) Rules

Motion: A motion passed to approve the proposed amendments to 21 NCAC 32B which were presented at a Public Hearing on January 22, 2002.

MINUTE APPROVAL

Motion: A motion passed that the January 23 and 24, 2002 Board Minutes be approved as presented.

ATTORNEY'S REPORT

HEARINGS

HOLT, Thomas, MD

2/21/2002 Hearing

Dr. Holt did not appear

BOARD ACTION: Deny application for license

ECHOLS, Ruthetta Whitfield, PA

2/21/2002 Hearing

Attorney for Ms. Echols:

BOARD ACTION: 30 day suspension with immediate stay

POLICY COMMITTEE REPORT

Charles Garrett, MD, Chair; Stephen Herring, MD; Aloysius Walsh; Elizabeth Kanof, MD; Michael Norins, MD

Dr. Garrett stated that henceforth the Policy Committee will continue to meet on the even numbered months but the report will be presented at the odd numbered month meetings. This will allow the committee to actually review the minutes prior to presentation to the Full Board for approval. Emergent items will be handled on a case basis.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (EMS) COMMITTEE REPORT

Robin Hunter-Buskey, PAC; Michael Norins, MD; Elizabeth Kanof, MD

The Office of Emergency Medical Services reports that there is a national shortage in the production and supply of Furosemide, also known as Lasix. They recommend adding the drug Bumetanide, also known as Bumex, to the NC EMS formulary.

Motion: A motion passed that Bumetanide (generic) be added to the North Carolina EMS formulary.

CLINICAL PHARMACIST PRACTITIONER COMMITTEE REPORT

Robin Hunter-Buskey, PAC; Michael Norins, MD; Elizabeth Kanof, MD

Clinical Pharmacist Practitioner Applications-

Board Action: Approve

CPP

PRIMARY SUPERVISOR

PRACTICE CITY

Swenberg, Gwen E.

Covington, Mary M.

Chapel Hill

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT COMMITTEE REPORT

Robin Hunter-Buskey, PAC; Michael Norins, MD; Elizabeth Kanof, MD

PA License Applications-

(***Indicates PA has not submitted Intent to Practice Forms)

Board Action: Approve

<u>PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT</u>	<u>PRIMARY SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PRACTICE CITY</u>
Blau, Michael Scott	***	
Blount, Kelly Taylor	***	
Bratton, Michael John	White, Lindsey L.	Elizabeth City
Cicutto, Elizabeth Gail	***	
Donaldson, Gregory Scott	***	
Gurley, Beth Ann	Spencer, David	Winston-Salem
Kissel, Stacy Marie	***	
Mahony, Carolyn Joan	***	
Moloney, Erica Lin	Ohman, Eric	Chapel Hill
Riehle, Tonya Mae	***	
Speas, Tiffany Renae	***	
Tomasek, Andrea Dawn	***	
Zimmerman, Diane Ruth	***	

PA License Application for Committee Review-

A motion passed to close the session to investigate, examine, or determine the character and other qualifications of applicants for professional licenses or certificates while meeting with respect to individual applicants for such licenses or certificates.

The Board reviewed one licensure application. A written report was presented for the Board's review. The Board adopted the committee's recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

PA Intent to Practice Forms Acknowledged-

<u>PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT</u>	<u>PRIMARY SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PRACTICE CITY</u>
Althisar, Jr. Henry Marvin	Cloward, Davis Lisandro	Greensboro
Battle, Lydia Ann	Le, Mark Tuan	Huntersville
Berry, Gerard Flood	Berry, Gerard Flood	Winston-Salem
Best, Roger Scott	Davis, James Alexander	Charlotte
Betts, Rebecca Roberts	Torrey, Richard Kendrick	Durham
Brim, Rebecca Jane	McKeown, William David	Greensboro
Burkill, Michael Edward	Toth, Alison Patricia	Durham

Cassidy, John Francis
Cook, Betsy Ann
Day, Jr. Jerry Donald
Deakle, Mary Stone
Dillow, Michael Lee
Edwards, Susan G.
Elliott, Rhonda Smith
Evans, Shannon Dudley
Fedde, Vicki Hymel
Folstad, Stephanie Day
Gentry, Lelia Renee
Gray, Lee Alexander
Grove, Randall Paul
Hall, Laura L.
Hall, Laura L.
Hall, Robert Charles
Harrell, Loyce Lagretia
Harrison, Gabriela Denise
Holden, Colleen Marie
Hollingsworth, Robert Lee
Hulbert, Harry Turner
Idol, Julie Lynn
Irons, Robert Neal
Jarbeau, Michele Marie
Karimi, Najeeb
Karimi, Najeeb
Keel, Emily Kilpatrick
Kerns, Amy Marie
Kreft, William David
Manzi, Monica Ann
Marcus, Carolyn Howard
Marks, Carol Conley
McDowell, Julie B.
Mitra, Kathryn Elizabeth
Muolo, Charlotte Ann
Nicholson, Todd Richard
Omonde, Peter Gabriel
Paitsel, Lisa Koontz
Patrick, Frank Charles
Pennell, Shannon Waters
Rampolla, Kathleen Anne
Roberts, Wendy
Robeson, Brian Scott
Rosenthal, Murray
Schwartz, Daniel Lee
Shelton, Tyson Lee
Slaton, Malcolm Walton
Snell, Judith Anne
Stark, Gregg Alan
Stevens, Lisa LaJuana
Streilein, Annamaria Faust

Nofal, Jr. Philip Alexander
Suh, Paul Boksuk
Battersby, Jr. Brian John
Braden, Gregory Alan
Gaworowski, Joanna M.
Moreschi, Rafael Mariano
Roy, Ranjan Shanti
Rich, Jonathan David
Smith, Melanie Rowe
Davis, James Alexander
Morell, Robert Craig
Cloward, Davis Lisandro
Hassan, Keith Lawrence
Faulkner, John Jay
Reyes, Lavinia Te
Thrash, William Virgil
Pelligra, Salvatore John
Verrett, Charlotte Inez
Ullrich, Christopher George
Rich, Jonathan David
Stephens, Wayland Chad
Wong, Francis Patrick
Shea, Thomas Charles
Thompson, Mark Allen
Le, Mark Tuan
Pinckney, Jr. Joseph Delacy
Sheldon, Frank Chadwick
Lentz, Robert Preston
Wynn, Richard Thomas W.
Medina, Victor Anthony
Bland, Deirdre Robinson
Gruber, Hope Marsha
Risner, Robert James
Ullrich, Christopher George
Skipper, Eric Ray
Leonard, Thomas Robert
Butcher, David Lee
Wentz, Elliott Lee
Strickland, James Donald
Russ, Donald Barnard
Proctor, Camilla Allyn
Williams, Frances Elizabeth
Stephens, Wayland Chad
Dickerson, Michael Manford
Nichols, Michelle Rogers
Glinski, Ronald William
Turpin, James Wesley
Butler, Robert Hoyt
Ullrich, Christopher George
Cloward, Davis Lisandro
Shapley-Quinn, Kathleen Mary

Kannapolis
Chapel Hill
New Bern
Winston-Salem
Morganton
Cary
Salisbury
Lumberton
Shelby
Charlotte
Winston-Salem
Greensboro
Fayetteville
Louisburg
Louisburg
Asheville
Greensboro
Fairmont
Charlotte
Red Springs
Winston-Salem
Greensboro
Chapel Hill
Gastonia
Huntersville
Charlotte
Washington
Greensboro
Charlotte
Cary
Winston-Salem
Greensboro
Elkin
Charlotte
Charlotte
Vass
Washington
Greensboro
Burlington
Lenoir
Rocky Mount
Greenville
Greensboro
Smithfield
Pilot Mountain
Whiteville
Marion
Asheboro
Charlotte
Greensboro
Burlington

Taitano, Gena Mae	Stephens, Wayland Chad	Winston-Salem
Trube, Gary Marc	Alligood, Jr. Gilbert Ray	Tarboro
Tuttle, Audrey Bruno	Stephens, Wayland Chad	Winston-Salem
Viehe, Mary Leona	Newman, William Neal	Raleigh
Webster, Scott Brandon	Perry, Glenn Bradford	Charlotte
Whitehead, Michael Baldwin	Griggs, Jr. James Philip	Charlotte
Whitehead, Michael Baldwin	Vaughan, John Watt	Charlotte
Whitmore, Donald Allen	Harris, Darren Leonard	Fayetteville
Wilkinson, Donald Edward	Goodfield, Peter	Hendersonville
Williamson, Al Bart	Etikerentse, Temisan Leslie	Fayetteville
Winsted, Beverly Diane	Shegog, Jamehl Demons	Winston-Salem
Woods, Duane David	Vance, John Hale	High Point

Public Agenda Items for Committee Discussion-

- A. Committee discussed the issue of physicians that may have investigations in process and the like, and may wish to supervise physician extenders. Committee wishes to remind the Full Board that when developing the terms of consent orders, to exclude the allowance of supervising extenders if so desired.
- B. NCAPA does not wish to support a portion of the proposed OEMS rules that appeared in the January 2002 issue of the NC Register, which would require PAs to take a written examination approved by the OEMS concerning aspects of EMS logistics and administration. Send letter to OEMS rules committee, stating that the NCMB is also opposed to this proposed piece of legislation. Send copy of letter to NCAPA.
- C. PAAC met earlier this month as a workgroup, to consider changes in the current PA regulations regarding physician supervision and countersignature.
- D. The NCCPA is currently in the process of altering their exam schedule in order to assist new graduates more efficiently. PAs may be able to take the exam upon completion of program requirements, but before actual graduation. This may help them to obtain licensure more quickly, in the absence of PA temporary licenses.
- E. Place a hyperlink on the NCMB website to NCCPA and AAPA

Motion: A motion passed to accept the report as presented.

NURSE PRACTITIONER COMMITTEE REPORT

Robin Hunter-Buskey, PAC; Michael Norins, MD; Elizabeth Kanof, MD

NP Initial Applications Recommended for Approval after Staff Review-

Board Action: Approve

NURSE PRACTITIONER

Bailey, John Callie
Barrett, Andrew Scott
Calhoun, Kelly Howell
Docherty, Sharron Lee

PRIMARY SUPERVISOR

Davant III, Charles
Rotondo, Michael F.
Rathbun, Mary Anne
Kurtzberg, Joanne

PRACTICE CITY

Blowing Rock
Greenville
Charlotte
Durham

Elm , Jesse Phillip	Hagberg , Robert D.	Shelby
Halstead , Lisa Sherrill	Rathbun , Mary Anne	Charlotte
Hecht , Haya P.	Hoole , Axalla	Chapel Hill
Johnson , Amanda Forsythe	Waters , Erica R.	Raleigh
Kiger , Lisa Ann	Braden , Gregory	Winston-Salem
Mason , Rebecca Alexandria	Van Derveer , Craig A.	Charlotte
Moore , Melody Lynn	Hatharasinghe , Roger	Statesville
Morris , Kathy Frances	Golembe , Barry L.	Charlotte
Nasir , Laura C.	Godwin Jr. , Patrick	Roxboro
Pace , Jackie Bailey	Walton-Cost , Rhonda	Charlotte
Rhoades , Kay Hall	Nascimento , Luiz	Hamlet
Sheppa , Lara J.	Westover , Edward	Raleigh
Skakey , Josette Marie	Person , Robert G.	Salisbury
Smith , Donna Corinne	Sherrod , John P.	Siler City
Stone , Nancy Tuttle	Newsome , Samuel C.	King
Watson , Melanie Gail	Sutton , Linda M.	Durham
Williamson , Kristen Lyn	Carey , Lisa A.	Chapel Hill
Wojciechowski , Colleen Theresa	Yarnall , Kimberly	Durham

NP Subsequent Applications administratively approved-

Board Action: Approve

<u>NURSE PRACTITIONER</u>	<u>PRIMARY SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>PRACTICE CITY</u>
Beasley , Amanda	Beauford , Wayne	High Point
Clarke , Mary L.	Hoole , Axalla J.	Chapel Hill
Cohen , Susan	Bonin , Andrew A.	Durham
Dziwanowski , Jennifer J.	Chavez , Alexander	Havelock
Eure , JoAnne H.	Johnson , Lynn R.	Greenville
Goodman , Karen W.	Vukoson , Matthew	Chapel Hill
Hanley , Jennifer A.	Thompson , Sidney E.	Fayetteville
Houdek , Debra L.	Lawson , Ellen T.	Asheville
Huneycutt , Barbara C.	Lods , Stephen	Concord
Jacobowitz , Tomasita	Swords , Bruce H.	Greensboro
Joyner , Michael W.	Simpson , Jerry A.	Greenville
Kenny , Julia E.	Beal , Evelyn N.	Fayetteville
Kilb , Joanne R.	Tackman , Anthony	Raleigh
King , Patricia A.	Valach , Renee E.	Goldsboro
Lewis , Karen S.	Valach , Renee E.	Goldsboro
Liles , Joanne D.	Lee , Sue H.	Bayboro
Lux , Gail Y.	Stafford , Charles W.	Jacksonville
Marshall , Virginia A.	Bahnsen , Tristram	Durham
Marshburn , Karen O.	Sandland , Helen	Wilmington
Matusik , Leonard J.	Earl , John K.	Hickory
Maynard , Carolyn	Garmon-Brown , Ophelia	Charlotte
McCann , Heather	McFadden , John C.	High Point
McKenna , Noreen C.	Joyner , William L.	Wilmington
Parker , Penney E.	Johnson Jr. , Earlie	Jacksonville
Parmer , Rita W.	Johanson , William T.	Morganton
Pfeiff , Luanne D.	Norton , Deborah	Raleigh

Rathinam, Florence
Richards, Betsy E.
Ruppert, Nancy
Sampson, Barbara J.
Smith, Lois
Steele, Linda L.
Storck, Carolyn
Whaley, Jimmy
Wiseman, Michael B.
Young, Kelly R.

Singh, Vinod
Cabral, Gonzalo
Shattenkirk, Kathleen
Ponder, Jerome
Mullen III, Joseph
Williamson, Steven G.
Garrett, James E.
Gilmer, Peter
Ling, Brian N.
Sutton, Linda

Benson
Wilson
Troy
Ft. Bragg
Shelby
Huntersville
Jacksonville
Durham
Asheville
Durham

Public Agenda Items for Committee Discussion-

- A. NCBON Advisory Statement Process was distributed per previous Committee request. Each activity on it was reviewed. There is concern that the BON has created a document that contains items which should be under Medical Board jurisdiction.
Board Action: Copies of the Advisory Statement will be distributed to Board Members for a discussion with Board attorneys at the next NP Committee meeting.
- B. The issue of midwives/PAs and deliveries was revisited. Invite the Director of the Legal Department to attend the next NP Committee meeting for discussion and clarification.

Motion: A motion passed to accept the report as presented.

LICENSING COMMITTEE REPORT

John Dees, MD; Geroge Barrett, MD; E.K. Fretwell, PhD; Robin Hunter-Buskey, PAC; Robert Moffatt, MD

Proposed Rule to replace .0508/Clerkships

Catchline: At the January meeting Mr. Watry presented a substitute rule for .0508 (2) that the Board had previously voted to rescind (copies attached). Board Action was to table this issue until after the meeting between the Board and the Directors of NC postgraduate training programs. The meeting is scheduled for February 19th.

Committee Recommendation: Proposed wording for new clerkship rule: A candidate must furnish evidence that he has successfully completed clinical rotations at facilities providing training which is the same as that for approved US medical school students in the area(s) of the specific clinical rotations.

Board Action: Proposed wording for new clerkship rule: A candidate must furnish evidence that he has successfully completed clinical rotations at facilities providing training which is the same as that for approved US medical school students in the area(s) of the specific clinical rotations.

Temporary Dated Licenses

Catchline: It has been requested the Board revisit the issue of dated temporary licenses and the obstacles they create for physicians seeking jobs with HMOs etc.

Committee Recommendation: The Committee feels the Board does need to issue dated licenses and recommends leaving the policy as is – the Board needs to consider on a case-by-case basis. This is a useful tool in the Board’s mission and should not be changed.

Board Action: The Committee feels the Board does need to issue dated licenses and recommends leaving the policy as is – the Board needs to consider on a case-by-case basis. This is a useful tool in the Board’s mission and should not be changed.

Saba University statistics

Catchline: A request was made to obtain statistics on how many graduates of Saba University have been licensed by this Board and how many were required to appear for a subcommittee interview.

Full licenses issued = 2

Resident licenses issued = 8

Interviews conducted by a subcommittee = 3 (all interviews were for full license applications)

Committee Recommendation: Continue investigating. Collect site visit information from the California Board and their current list of disapproved schools.

Board Action: Continue investigating. Collect site visit information from the California Board and their current list of disapproved schools.

Video Conference Interviews

Catchline: This issue has been referred back to the License Committee for further exploration and determining the importance of the interview and photograph.

Committee Recommendation: Pursue the previous recommendation: Approve video conferencing for licensing purposes outlined here be used in a fairly conservative way that the judgment of the staff will determine when it makes good sense and that the procedure operate in a such a way that individual Board Members cooperate but are not unduly burdened. There will be a reporting back to the License Committee by staff as to the numbers the previous year which would be factors such as how many applicants requested this privilege, how many were granted this privilege and any other comments that will be useful as we look to continuing this service in the future. Investigate the cost of purchasing equipment for the Board’s office.

Board Action: Pursue the previous recommendation: Approve video conferencing for licensing purposes outlined here be used in a fairly conservative way that the judgment of the staff will determine when it makes good sense and that the procedure operate in a such a way that individual Board Members cooperate but are not unduly burdened. There will be a reporting back to the License Committee by staff as to the numbers the previous year which would be factors such as how many applicants requested this privilege, how many were granted this privilege and any other comments that will be useful as we look to continuing this service in the future. Investigate the cost of purchasing equipment for the Board’s office.

Psychometric Validity of examination retakes

Catchline: There has been some concern regarding multiple retakes on Steps 1, 2 and 3 of USMLE. The National Board of Medical Examiners recommends “allow no more than six

attempts to pass each Step without demonstration of additional educational experience acceptable to the medical licensing authority”.

Committee Recommendation: Draft a proposed rule, by the March meeting, to adopt the national standard on exam retakes recommended by the USMLE program – no more than 6 retakes on each step.

Board Action: Draft a proposed rule, by the March meeting, to adopt the national standard on exam retakes recommended by the USMLE program – no more than 6 retakes on each step.

Board Directive on Multiple Exam Retakes

Catchline: None

Committee Recommendation: None

Board Action: A recommendation was made that if an applicant has more than 6 failures on any component of USMLE, the applicant must interview with a subcommittee of the Board.

A motion passed to close the session to investigate, examine, or determine the character and other qualifications of applicants for professional licenses or certificates while meeting with respect to individual applicants for such licenses or certificates.

The Board reviewed 11 licensure applications. A written report was presented for the Board’s review. The Board adopted the committee’s recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

Motion: A motion passed to accept the report.

A motion passed to return to open session

SPLIT BOARD LICENSURE INTERVIEWS

A motion passed to close the session to investigate, examine, or determine the character and other qualifications of applicants for professional licenses or certificates while meeting with respect to individual applicants for such licenses or certificates.

Eleven licensure interviews were conducted. A written report was presented for the Board’s review. The Board adopted the committee’s recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

APPLICANTS PRESENTED TO THE BOARD

Jawaid Ahsan
Shawn Raynard Alexander
Peggy Sue Barnhill
Perry Justin Blackshear
David Don Berry
Brian Max Boesiger

Elizabeth Ursula Bollenbacher
James Judson Booker IV
George Moore Brinson
Laura Devereux Brown
Suzanne Margarete Bruch
Jason Shade Burgess

John Andrew Burnsed
Doris Carrizales
Sandra Jean Carty
Donald Daniel Castle
Te-Ming Tommy Chang
Christine Mary Chruscicki

Jefri David Cicin
Kendall Robert Clark
Joseph Ira Coleman
Phillip D. coleman
John Andrew Copeland
David William Corbett
Kevin Joseph Corcoran
Cynthia Rose Cuyegkeng-Jose
Joseph Michael DeBord
Donald De Santis
David Rodolph Dixon
Percy Elford Dunagin, Jr.
John Edward Fassler
James Randolph Fine
Matthew Kent Flynn
Brett Hugh Foreman
Marta Viviana Fraile
William Charles Freudenthal
Jane Patricia Gagliardi
James Eric Gardner
Robert Alan Goins
Kristi Dawn Gordin
Barbara Duff Griffith
Natasha Ann Halmi
Marie Nash Hardy
Emily Elizabeth Hass
Alison Volpe Holmes
Paul Erik Houmann
Chad Daniel Howard
Victoria Anne Januski
Joseph William Jasser
Slobodan Jazarevic
Perry Eugene Jones
Jessica Haran Katznelson
Elizabeth Ann Kelly

Brian Paul Kersten
Radhika Khwaja
Han Woong Kim
Emily Jean Knobloch
Amanda Michelle Laird
Sherwood Phillip Leo
Bruce Harlan Lobitz
Donald Henry Lomax
Vivian Onsy Makar
Satish Mathan
Randall Robert McCafferty
John Martin McClure III
Benjamin Keith Merritt
Marcos Antonio Mestre
William Donald Miller
Lloyd Franklin Moore
Alea Hoknao Morningstar
Eric Sarkis Mudafort
Tonya Lanell Mulloy
Eric Edward Netland
Francis Obeng
Thomas More O'Brien
Vitalis Ohakwe Ojiegbe
Ifeanyichukwu Obiora Okafor
Izhak Oliver
Christopher Nnanna Oti
Vivek Pratap Padha
Susan Leonor Padrino
William Palmer Jr
Chandrashek Yadao Patil
Rachel O'Neill Pertile
Bethany Joan Picker
Yvonne Frazier Posey
James Robert Powell
Aamer Asghar Qureshi

Pejawar Muralidhar Rao
Yeshwant Patlolla Reddy
Rodney Lane Redelsperger
David Rosenbach
Peter Anthony Rice
Roytesa Tecell Rodgers-Savage
Elizabeth Ann Rothman
Sinasi Salman
Kenneth Leigh Sanders
Stacie Denise Sanders
Aria Naomi Sasaki
Frini Dalsania Shah
Kevin Cronin Sharkey
Avtar Singh
Steven Earl Skahill
Jeremy Ben Soule
Allen James Sours, Jr.
Lori Briana Epps Spells
John Hugh Steely
Orly Pnina Steinberg
Margarita Liliana Taboas
Kyron Collin Tamar
Alan John Tanner
Roopal Bhagwatprasad Thakkar
Alfred Hunter Thompson
Luzviminda Daluz Torres-Hecker
Robert Glenn Townsend
Azher Begum Uddin
Ron Dell Waldrop
David Clayton Wells
Stephanie Wiman Wells
Elma Denise Whidby
Eyako Kofi Wurapa
Christopher Alan Zagar

LICENSES APPROVED BY ENDORSEMENT AND EXAM

Brian Max Boesiger
Elizabeth Ursula Bollenbacher
James Judson Booker IV
George Moore Brinson
Laura Devereux Brown
Suzanne Margarete Bruch
Jason Shade Burgess
John Andrew Burnsed
Sandra Jean Carty
Donald Daniel Castle
Te-Ming Tommy Chang
Jefri David Cicin
Kendall Robert Clark

John Andrew Copeland
Kevin Joseph Corcoran
Cynthia Rose Cuyegkeng-Jose
Donald De Santis
David Rodolph Dixon
James Randolph Fine
Matthew Kent Flynn
Brett Hugh Foreman
Marta Viviana Fraile
William Charles Freudenthal
Jane Patricia Gagliardi
James Eric Gardner
Robert Alan Goins

Kristi Dawn Gordin
Barbara Duff Griffith
Natasha Ann Halmi
Marie Nash Hardy
Emily Elizabeth Hass
Alison Volpe Holmes
Paul Erik Houmann
Chad Daniel Howard
Victoria Anne Januski
Joseph William Jasser
Slobodan Jazarevic
Perry Eugene Jones
Jessica Haran Katznelson
Elizabeth Ann Kelly
Brian Paul Kersten
Radhika Khwaja
Han Woong Kim
Amanda Michelle Laird
Vivian Onsy Makar
Satish Mathan
Randall Robert McCafferty
John Martin McClure III
Marcos Antonio Mestre
William Donald Miller
Alea Hoknao Morningstar
Eric Sarkis Mudafort
Tonya Lanell Mulloy
Eric Edward Netland
Francis Obeng
Ifeanyichukwu Obiora Okafor
Vivek Pratap Padha
Susan Leonor Padrino
William Palmer Jr
Chandrashek Yadao Patil
Rachel O'Neill Pertile
Bethany Joan Picker
Yvonne Frazier Posey
James Robert Powell
Aamer Asghar Qureshi
Pejawar Muralidhar Rao
Yeshwant Patlolla Reddy
Peter Anthony Rice
Roytesa Tecell Rodgers-Savage
Elizabeth Ann Rothman

Sinasi Salman
Stacie Denise Sanders
Aria Naomi Sasaki
Frini Dalsania Shah
Kevin Cronin Sharkey
Steven Earl Skahill
Jeremy Ben Soule
Lori Briana Epps Spells
John Hugh Steely
Margarita Liliana Taboas
Kyron Collin Tamar
Alan John Tanner
Roopal Bhagwatprasad Thakkar
Alfred Hunter Thompson
Azher Begum Uddin
Ron Dell Waldrop
David Clayton Wells
Stephanie Wiman Wells
Elma Denise Whidby
Eyako Kofi Wurapa
Christopher Alan Zagar

Interview Forms Not Received

Joseph Ira Coleman
Joseph Michael DeBord
John Edward Fassler
Orly Pnina Steinberg

Applicants for Reactivation (short process)

Perry Justin Blackshear
Lloyd Franklin Moore

Applicants for Reinstatement (long process)

Benjamin Keith Merritt
Luzviminda Daluz Torres-Hecker

Conversion from Full License to Retired Volunteer License

Donald Henry Lomax

COMPLAINT COMMITTEE REPORT

Aloysius Walsh; John Dees, MD; Elizabeth Kanof, MD; Walter Pories, MD; Hari Gupta

A motion passed to close the session to prevent the disclosure of information that is confidential pursuant to sections 90-8, 90-14, 90-16, and 90-21.22 of the North Carolina General Statutes and not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes.

The Complaint Committee reported on 43 complaint cases. A written report was presented for the Board's review. The Board adopted the committee's recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Stephen Herring, MD; George Barrett, MD; E.K. Fretwell, PhD; Robin Hunter-Buskey, PA-C; Charles Garrett, MD; Michael Norins, MD

A motion passed to close the session to prevent the disclosure of information that is confidential pursuant to sections 90-8, 90-14, 90-16, and 90-21.22 of the North Carolina General Statutes and not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes.

The Investigative Committee reported on 27 investigative cases. A written report was presented for the Board's review. The Board adopted the committee's recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

INFORMAL INTERVIEW REPORT

A motion passed to close the session to prevent the disclosure of information that is confidential pursuant to sections 90-8, 90-14, 90-16 and 90-21.22 of the North Carolina General Statutes and not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes.

Fourteen informal interviews were conducted. A written report was presented for the Board's review. The Board adopted the Split Boards' recommendations and approved the written report as modified. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

MALPRACTICE COMMITTEE REPORT

Aloysius Walsh; John Dees, MD; Elizabeth Kanof, MD; Walter Pories, MD; Hari Gupta

A motion passed to close the session to prevent the disclosure of information that is confidential pursuant to sections 90-8, 90-14, 90-16, and 90-21.22 of the North Carolina General Statutes and not considered a public record within the meaning of Chapter 132 of the General Statutes.

The Malpractice Committee reported on 18 cases. A written report was presented for the Board's review. The Board adopted the committee's recommendation to approve the written report. The specifics of this report are not included as these actions are not public information.

A motion passed to return to open session.

ADJOURNMENT

This meeting was adjourned on February 21, 2002.

Charles L. Garrett, MD
Secretary/Treasurer