

MINUTES
OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF
MEDICAL EXAMINERS OF THE STATE
OF NORTH CAROLINA
HELD MARCH 12 - 15, 1986
IN CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA

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MINUTES

Call to Order

Jack A. Koontz, M.D., President of the Board of Medical Examiners, called this meeting to order at 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 12, 1986.

The following Board members attended this meeting: Charles Howard Duckett, M.D., Secretary-Treasurer; Eben Alexander, Jr., M.D.; David Stanford Citron, M.D.; John Thomas Daniel, Jr., M.D.; Thomas Edmunds Fitz, M.D.; Harold L. Godwin, M.D.; and Mrs. Martha Walston.

The following staff members attended this meeting: Bryant D. Paris, Jr., Executive Secretary; Michael E. Weddington, Attorney; Betty Joe Barick, Assistant Executive Secretary; Don Pittman and W. H. Breeze, Jr., Investigators; and Sibyl Lamoreaux, Secretary.

Lease

The Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that the Board accept the offer of the North Carolina Medical Society for the Board's headquarters staff to remain in its current facilities at \$10.95 per square foot and that it communicate its acceptance to the Medical Society.

For the Board's information, it unanimously adopted a further motion that it instruct the staff to examine other alternative office space.

McLean, Malcom, M.D.

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina held a hearing at Dr. McLean's request at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, March 15, 1986, at the Adams Mark Hotel, Charlotte, North Carolina. Both Dr. McLean and his counsel attended this hearing.

The Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion that, in consideration of additional evidence provided to the Board during this hearing, it finds, at this time, Dr. McLean is capable of practicing medicine with reasonable skill and safety in accordance with the provisions of North Carolina General Statute 90-14.(a)(5).

After hearing Dr. McLean's testimony on March 15, 1986, indicating that he has complied with the conditions stipulated by the Board of Medical Examiners in its order dated January 29, 1986, the Board enters an order that the license to practice medicine in the state of North Carolina previously issued to Dr. McLean be revoked and that the revocation be stayed for a period of not less than five years provided that:

1. Dr. McLean violates no state or federal law;
2. Dr. McLean abstains totally from the personal use and consumption of alcohol and medications except such as may be prescribed for him by another physician or dentist; and
3. Dr. McLean meets with the Board on an informal basis from time to time as may be requested by the Board.

Brewer, Thomas Edmund, Jr., M.D.

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina held a hearing on charges preferred against Thomas Edmund Brewer, Jr., M.D., at 1:00 p.m., Friday, March 14, 1986, at the Adams Mark Hotel, Charlotte, North Carolina. Both Dr. Brewer and his counsel attended this hearing.

Branly, Louis P., M.D.

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina held a hearing at the request of Louis P. Branly, M.D., at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, March 15, 1986. Both Dr. Branly and his counsel attended this hearing.

At the conclusion of the hearing, the Board unanimously adopted a motion that it finds Dr. Branly has satisfied the Board of Medical Examiners of his qualifications for licensure with certain limitations; orders the rescinding of the Board's previous administrative decision to deny Dr. Branly's application for licensure; further orders the approval of Dr.

Branly's licensure application provided it is a temporary license limited to the practice of psychiatry valid for one year from the date of issue; and also orders, should Dr. Branly wish to change his present practice arrangements, he shall first obtain permission from the Board

The Board did not indicate that it will be necessary for Dr. Branly to appear before the Board prior to the expiration of this temporary, limited license.

Farahany, Hossein H., M.D.

In accordance with the terms of the Order issued by the Board of Medical Examiners, Dr. Farahany appeared for an interview. He stated that he is fine and has nothing for the Board to review.

Khan, Matloob Ahmad, M.D.

Dr. Fitz reported that, according to information obtained by an investigator, Dr. Khan has not engaged in the practice of medicine in the state of North Carolina since the Board issued this physician a temporary license. The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Duckett that, should Dr. Khan request further licensure, he must complete the formal application process and submit the appropriate fee.

Grace, Eugene Vernon, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board institute the proper procedures to prefer charges against Dr. Grace based on 90-14(a)(6) Unprofessional Conduct:

1. prescribing controlled substances outside the course of his usual medical practice and
2. failure to maintain proper records on patients for whom he has prescribed controlled substances,

Fee Splitting by Urologists

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Duckett and seconded by Dr. Alexander that the Board of Medical Examiners issue an opinion stating the Board of Medical Examiners has reviewed information concerning payment of a fee by a

lithotripsy practice to referring physicians. As a result of its review, the Board has expressed the opinion that each physician should bill for the services rendered to the patient.

White, Steven, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Mrs. Walston and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board of Medical Examiners institute the proper procedures to prefer charges against Dr. White on the basis of North Carolina General Statute 90-14: Unprofessional Conduct. The Board unanimously adopted a further motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board hold this hearing in June, 1986, and that it schedule one full day at the beginning of the meeting for Dr. White's hearing.

Licensure, Enforcement of Statutes

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that the Board of Medical Examiners agreed to place this item on an agenda to be discussed with the Deans at the May, 1986, meeting.

Optometry Information Request from Robert L. Munt, Jr., M.D.

The Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Citron that the Board write to Dr. Munt, enclose a copy of the North Carolina General Statutes covering the practice of Optometry, and suggest contacting the Board of Optometry to clarify what constitutes the practice of Optometry. The Board also unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Citron that the Board of Medical Examiners send a copy of the correspondence on this matter to the Board of Optometry and request a response.

Gardner, Donald Nelson, M.D.

The Board reviewed a favorable report from Barry L. Hainer, M.D., concerning Dr. Gardner. The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Alexander and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board of Medical Examiners extend Dr. Gardner's temporary license until January 1, 1987; and that, if Dr. Gardner wishes further licensure, the Board request him to appear at its December, 1986, meeting.

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I. NP Applications Approved by the Board:

1.	ABRAMS, E. Marie	O. Aiken Mays, M.D.
2.	BLUE, Maxine	Anne McLaurin, M.D.
3.	WOLFE, Janet Ann	J.S. Waters, M.D.
4.	CHESNEY, Anita	Mary Fulghum, M.D.
5.	CLINE, June	D.H. Moore, M.D.
6.	COLLIE, Mattie	D. Whiteside, M.D.
7.	DIXON, Julia	B.E. Taylor, M.D.
8.	DUNPHY, Barbara Ann	J.S. Forrester, M.D.
9.	EFIRD, Ruth K.	Melanie Mintzer, M.D.
10.	ESTEP, Mary T.	C. Messick, M.D.
11.	HAMILTON, Anna B.	P.T. Williams, M.D.
12.	KESLER, Mary R.	G.B. Brothers, M.D.
13.	MARSH, Kathleen Ann	D.B. Kelling, M.D.
14.	MERRITT, Edna A.	G. Satterfield, M.D.
15.	RACHELS, Cheryl	J.S. Vetter, M.D.
16.	SEAL, Vivian H.	A.M. Griffin, M.D.
17.	SMITH, Margaret W.	Ida Stratton, M.D.
18.	TELEM, Deborah T.	P.W. DeHoff, M.D.
19.	WOODRUFF, Susan R.	P.W. DeHoff, M.D.
20.	WHITNEY, Angela	J.A. Henderson, M.D.

II. NP Administrative approvals:

A. Changes in primary supervising physician:

	<u>Nurse Practitioner</u>	<u>New Primary Physician</u>	<u>Approved</u>
1.	PRESSLEY, Patricia P., FNP Durham	Joyce A. Copeland, M.D. Durham	1/30/86

B. Additional practice sites approved:

	<u>NP/MD</u>	<u>New Site</u>	<u>Approved</u>
1.	BROBST, Lucy Bancroft, FNP Robert J. Kastner, M.D.	Dare County Health Dept. Manteo, NC	1/15/86
2.	POTTER, Ann Bartz, FNP Alice Inouye, M.D.	King Medical Center King, N.C.	2/19/86

III. NP Subcommittee Statement of Concern:

Subcommittee members expressed concern over the regulation which allows "up to one week" countersigning period.

Moore, Anthony Joseph, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Alexander and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board of Medical Examiners issue Dr. Moore a temporary license, expiring March 31, 1988; and that the Board take appropriate action prior to the expiration of this temporary license.

Clark, Theodore R., M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Daniel that the Board of Medical Examiners request Dr. Clark to appear for an informal interview at its June, 1986, meeting. The Board also unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Citron and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board discuss with Dr. Clark the following concerns:

1. Does Dr. Clark receive personal income from physicians referred to the Physicians Health and Effectiveness Committee?
2. What differences exist between Dr. Clark's position as a psychiatrist and as a member of the Physicians Health and Effectiveness Committee?
3. What is the Physicians Health and Effectiveness Committees' procedure for referring patients?
4. When did a physician from the Dartmouth Clinic last see Marilyn Glaser, M.D.?
5. How did Dr. Fleury arrive at the conclusion that Archibald Carter Magee, M.D., is mentally competent to practice medicine in North Carolina with a reasonable degree of skill and safety to patients?

Graduates of Medical Schools in the Caribbean - Policy for Licensure Interviews

The President instructed that the full Board interview all applicants for licensure who have graduated from medical schools in the Caribbean.

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT:

Mrs. Walston, Chairperson of the Physician Assistant Subcommittee, presented the following report; and the Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Mrs. Walston and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners approve the Physician Assistant Subcommittee Report.

I. PA Applications Approved by the Board:

1. BERTELS, Christina Gray	James N. Davis, M.D.
2. CARROLL, Cynthia Catherine	John D. Matthews, M.D.
3. INGRAM, Robert Edward	John D. Matthews, M.D.
4. CLARK, Adele Roberts	Doulgas G. Kelling, M.D.
5. DONNELLY, William J., III	Peter F.W. Kuers, M.D.
6. EVANS, William Graham	James F. Morris, M.D.
7. FAULKNER, John Hume	Kathryn M. Andolsek, M.D.
8. POULSON, Elisa Joy	Kathryn M. Andolsek, M.D.
9. JOHNSON, Nathaniel	Riley M. Jordan, M.D.
10. KATZ, Marc Steven	John Keith Earl, M.D.
11. KOBER, Charles Edward	Mark Kirsch, M.D.
12. PIXTON, Jan Maree	James J. Pence, Jr.
13. RODEFFER, Karen Marie	Gregory G. Holthusen, M.D.
14. WATERMAN, Robert A.	Erle H. Austin, III, M.D.
15. WATSON, Ann Sheffield	James J. Morris, Jr., M.D.
16. WEATHERS, Paul Michael	Hugh Fitzpatrick, III, M.D.
17. WEBB, David Vincent	Luther R. Doffermyre, M.D.
18. WELBOURNE, Rebecca Jo	Stephen Florian Weber, M.D.
19. WILLIAMS, Samuel G.	Robert W. Patterson, M.D.
20. ZIMMERMAN, Diane	David Bruce Matchar, M.D.
21. ZITO, Charles Thomas	Eugene M. Holden, M.D.

II. PA Application Approved If and When Complete:

1. COLLINS, Kimberly Ann	Jane E. Brazy, M.D.
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III. Administrative Approvals Approved by the Board:A. Changes in primary supervising physicians:

<u>Physician Assistant</u>	<u>New Primary Physician</u>	<u>Approved</u>
1. CHAUVIN, Robert S., Jr., PA Durham	William F. Uthe, M.D. Durham	1/31/86

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board of Medical Examiners conclude this interview as Dr. Singh does not meet the Board's postgraduate training requirement.

Slockett, Robert Thomas, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion to take no action on Dr. Slockett's application at this time.

Shah, Atul, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that the Board of Medical Examiners regrets it cannot grant Dr. Shah a license as his postgraduate training does not meet the Board's requirements.

Bunn, David Glenn, M.D.

The Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Citron that, prior to approving further licensure for Dr. Bunn, the Board require this physician, at his own expense, to take and pass Component II of FLEX; that the Board extend Dr. Bunn's license until the Board of Medical Examiners receives the results of the June, 1986, FLEX; but that, if this physician fails to take and pass FLEX Component II in June, 1986, the Board not extend Dr. Bunn's license beyond August 9, 1986.

McGovern, Lawrence Owen, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Daniel and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board of Medical Examiners approve Dr. McGovern for a temporary license expiring at the end of one year; that the Board request Dr. McGovern to appear for an informal interview prior to the expiration of this temporary license; and that, based on Dr. McGovern's report on his activities, at the end of one year, the Board take appropriate action.

Endorsement and Examination Applicants for Licensure

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Alexander that the following applicants for license by endorsement and examination be approved for licensure.

MICHAEL DAVID ALTHEIMER
VICTOR KWEN-WEI AU
JAMES NICHOLAS BARANIUK
DAVID JAMES BECKER
JONATHAN JORDAN BERRY
KYLE EMERSON BLACK, JR.

ROBERT SAMUEL BUJARD, JR.
DOUGLAS HAMILTON CANNON
DENNIS NELSON CASEY
RUSSELL ALAN CHEANEY
TOMAS JORGE CONCEPCION
JAN NEAL COOLS
COREY KNOX CRAIN
ELY JAY CRARY
DAVID FRANCIS CRUDO
JOHN KEVIN CULHANE
JAMES JOSEPH DE LIGIO
GEORGE HILTON DENFIELD, III
SUSAN WARREN DENFIELD
LOUIS JOHN DOLINAR
PAUL JOSEPH DONOVAN
STEPHEN MICHAEL DORMAN
USHA VASANT DOSHI
REGINA MARGARET EARLE
JAMES CONRAD EISENACH
JAMES PHILIP EVANS
CAROL ANN FORD
CAROL SUE FRANK
JEFFREY HOWARD FRANK
ROY PAUL GALLINGER
DOROTHY JOAN GANICK
SCOTT WARREN GERSH
JACK LOUIS GIBBS
WADE KENTON GRAINGER
KEVIN DWIGHT GREEN
LORNE FRANKLYN HALL
JAMES EMERY HASWELL
MICHAEL BENJAMIN HONAN
MARY LEE HOWELL
JOHN DAVID HUBBARD
MYRON KENT HULTGREN
PETER AARON JANICK
DEBRA ANN JONES
KEVIN NEWELL KEENAN
JOHN OTEY KETRON
DIANA MARIE KRAFT
JOHN COLLINSON KRUSE
AJAY KUMAR
THOMAS WARREN LEE
PAUL HARVEY LEVESQUE
ROBERT ALLAN MARGULIES
WILLIAM FRANK MCGANN, JR.
WILBUR ARTHUR MULLARKY
JOHN JOSEPH MURRAY

ROBERT KENNETH NIXON, JR.
THOMAS JOSEPH O'NEILL, III
RAFAEL JOSE PEREZ
ANAMARI PESTANA
BRUCE WAYNE PHILLIPS
DERRICK DURRAN PHILLIPS
REBECCA GAIL HURST PIKE
JOSEPH EDWARD POWELL
JOHN EDWARD PRESCOTT
DAVID YOTHAM RAINEY
ROBERT JOHN REIBOLD
RICHARD MARTIN REITER
WALTER JONES REVELL, JR.
EUGENE JOSEPH ROE, JR.
REETA ROHATGI
ORION ALBERT RUST
HARGOVIND CHAMPAKLAL SHAH
SHARAD DWARKADAS SHAH
GEORGE MICHAEL SHEHI
JOHN ROBERT SHUPTRINE
CARL TAYLOR SMEDBERG
CARLOS ADRIAN SOTOLONGO
WILSON FARRIS SURRATT
IAN LOGAN TAYLOR
ROBERT BRADLEY THOMASON, III
KATHERINE ANN THOMPSON
GLENN DAVID TOPPENBERG
JON JAY TUMEN
SUZANNE WAGNER
CATHY ANN WALL
SHARON CLAIRE WERNTZ
FREDERICK EDWARD WHISKIN
TERRY EDWARD WHITE
CURTIS ANDREW WINTER
EDWARD LOUIS WOODS
DONALD JOHN ZELLER
GEORGE STEPHEN ELKINS AITKEN
SUSAN RUTH BECK-DAVIS
MICHAEL JOSEPH BELL
MARSHA FRAZELLE BERTHOLF
STEPHEN JOSHUA CITRON
MICHAEL CARLYLE DUBIK
JILL HICKEY M'CLOUGHLIN
THEODORE ARTHUR MICKLE, JR.
BARBARA ANN MONTFORD
PAUL DION OSBORNE
DENNIS RAY PORTER

DENNIS O'GAREY STUART
 JAMES EDWARD THOMAS, JR.
 STEVEN VINCENT TURPIN
 JAMES GRIER WALL
 FRED HENRY WILSON

Reinstatement of Licenses Suspended for Failure to Register

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Citron that the Board of Medical Examiners reinstate the licenses of the following physicians:

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| 1. Robert Arturo Gobbee, M. D.
1389 West Main Street
Waterbury, Connecticut | Suspended 6/12/84
Reinstated 3/3/86
\$95.00 |
| 2. Alan Davis Stiles, M. D.
41-1 N. Main Street
Sherborn, MA 01779 | Suspended 6/12/84
Re-instated 2/14/86
\$95.00 |
| 3. Joseph Guard Ross, M. D.
200 S. Herlong -#E
Rock Hill, SC 29730 | Suspended 6/12/84
Re-instated 3/5/86
\$95.00 |
| 4. Ronald G. Washburn, M. D.
Bldg. 10 - Room 11N107
NIH
Bethesda, MD 20892 | Suspended 6/12/84
Re-instated 2/3/86
\$95.00 |
| 5. Richard Edward Sabatier, M. D.
4005 University Blvd.
Houston, Texas 77005 | Suspended 6/15/82
Re-instated 6/15/82
\$125.00 |
| 6. John Richard Melmed, M. D.
11716 Devilwood Drive
Potomac, Maryland 20854 | Suspended 6/15/82
Re-instated 2/24/86
\$125.00 |
| 7. Mohamed K. Goudarzi-Langroudi, M. D.
18 Bethune Street - Apt. 2B
Alexandria Bay, NY 13607 | Suspended 6/15/82
Re-instated 2/24/86
\$125.00 |
| 8. Gregory Joseph Dray, M. D.
3101 Main Street
Bridgport, Connecticut 06606 | Suspended 6/15/82
Re-instated 7/21/86
\$115.00 (Fee arrived
before 2/1/86) |
| 9. William Roscoe Kilpatrick, M.D. | Suspended 5/20/74 |

967 Asylum Ave., Apt. 7-E
Hartford, Connecticut 06105

Re-instated 2/4/86
\$200.00

10. Paul Huie Cook, M. D.
4 Catawba Street
Spartanburg, South Carolina 29303

Suspended 5/9/60
Re-instated 2/12/86
\$200.00

Carlan, Susanne Stanley, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Citron and seconded by Dr. Koontz that the Board of Medical Examiners write Dr. Clark thanking him for his letter but also informing him that, at this time, the Board has decided not to take action affecting Dr. Carlan's licensure status.

Russ, Zack, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Duckett and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board of Medical Examiners prefer charges against Dr. Russ and that the basis of these charges be G.S. 90-14, Unprofessional Conduct, specifically failure to conform to the prevailing and acceptable standards of medical treatment in the state of North Carolina.

The Board unanimously adopted a further motion made by Dr. Duckett and seconded by Dr. Fitz that, after Dr. Russ has received these charges, the Board of Medical Examiners send copies to Drs. Pearce and Watkins and to the Administrator of Watagua County Hospital; that the Board send letters to Drs. Pearce and Watkins; that it also send a copy of the letter to Dr. Watkins to the Administrator of Watagua County Hospital.

Van Pala, Henry Joseph, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that it accept as information a report indicating Dr. Van Pala surrendered his license to practice medicine in this state effective January 28, 1986.

Brantley, Charles Kenneth, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Alexander that the Board of Medical Examiners issue Dr. Brantley a temporary license for a period of one year; that it limit this temporary license to the practice of psychiatry under supervision within a controlled environment, that the Board interview Dr. Brantley prior to the expiration of this temporary limited license; and that the Board's

attorney prepare a Consent Order to accompany the temporary limited license stipulating that use of alcohol or controlled substances not prescribed for Dr. Brantley by another physician or dentist constitutes grounds for revocation of this license.

Chamberlin, Allen Chapin, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Duckett and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board of Medical Examiners not consider this matter further until such time as Dr. Chamberlin's license in Connecticut is without encumbrance, to include probation, and the Connecticut Board has verified Dr. Chamberlin's unencumbered licensure status.

The Board discussed adopting the policy that disciplinary restriction in another state constitutes grounds for disapproval of licensure application in North Carolina. The Board suggested that, when applicable, the Executive Secretary remind the Board of Medical Examiners of this proposed policy. Finally, the Board requested that the Executive Secretary and Attorney study this matter and present their recommendations to the Board of Medical Examiners at a future meeting.

Campbell, John Duane, M.D.

The Board of Medical Examiners reviewed a report indicating that Dr. Campbell will voluntarily surrender his license to practice medicine in North Carolina. The Board unanimously adopted a motion that it communicate to Dr. Campbell that the Board of Medical Examiners interprets his Affidavit as licensure surrender.

Sehgal, Pragma Ramesh Shodhan, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Duckett and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board of Medical Examiners approve this photograph as complying with its requirements to take FLEX.

Photographs, Certified, Submitted by Graduates of Foreign Medical Schools

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that it consider on an individual basis photographs submitted by foreign medical graduates which deviate from the Board of Medical Examiners' credentialing requirements.

Mann, John Robert, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Koontz that the Board of Medical Examiners prefer charges against Dr. Mann.

Khatri, Sat Dev, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Duckett and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board of Medical Examiners prefer charges against Dr. Khatri; and that the basis for these charges be improper prescribing practices and failure to conform to the prevailing and acceptable standard of medical treatment in the state of North Carolina.

Barnes, James Allan, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Alexander and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board's Attorney prepare a Consent Order containing the same conditions as the West Virginia Order for Dr. Barnes' signature.

Mini-Fellowships

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that, prior to the May, 1986, meeting of the Board of Medical Examiners, the Executive Secretary provide information from Dr. Casterline concerning ECFMG exemptions for exchange physicians. Dr. Alexander also recommended that, at the May meeting, the Board discuss this matter with the Deans.

Homeopathic Pharmacopeia

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Alexander and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners request the Executive Council of the North Carolina Medical Society to introduce a resolution through John Glasson, M.D., Council on Medical Services, for the American Medical Association to lobby for changing the Homeopathic Pharmacopeia. The Board of Medical Examiners instructed that Dr. Godwin and the Executive Secretary bring this matter to the attention of the Executive Council of the North Carolina Medical Society at its upcoming meeting.

Special Purpose Examination, FLEX

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Citron and

seconded by Dr. Alexander that the Board of Medical Examiners approve and accept as information a response to the Federation of State Licensing Boards' questionnaire concerning Development of a Special Purpose Examination.

Guidebook on Medical Discipline

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that, at future meetings, the staff make available a bound copy of this guidebook; that, on a trial basis, the Board utilize it as an unofficial reference; and that, if this guidebook proves useful in deciding upon disciplinary actions, the Board of Medical Examiners officially adopt the Guidebook of Medical Discipline and publicize it throughout the state.

APA Regulation Hearing

The Board accepted as information a report from the Executive Secretary indicating that, because of changes in the Administrative Procedures Act, the Board of Medical Examiners will delay until June, 1986, a Hearing to amend regulations on (1) discarding application material and (2) resident training license registration fee.

Brookshire, Delores S., Data Request

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that it not approve this data request.

Minutes, Approval of August, 1985; September, 1985; October, 1985, and December, 1985

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that it approve these Minutes with the following correction:

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The date of the beginning of this meeting is August 7, 1986.

Format of May, 1986, Meeting

The Board stated that it wished to hold its annual meeting with the Deans of North Carolina Medical Schools in May, and Dr. Alexander also expressed the desire that these schools send the actual Deans to represent their institutions.

The Board further stated that it will consider physician assistant and nurse practitioner applications, EMS applications; applicants for licensure interviewed by a Board member or the Executive Secretary; and the fourteen proposed legislative items.

North Carolina Women's Center, P.A.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Citron and seconded by Dr. Koontz that the Board of Medical Examiners not approve this proposed name as the public could confuse it with an already existing corporation which has a similar name.

Carolina Cosmetic Surgery, P.A.

The Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Godwin that the Board present this matter to the Office of the Secretary of State.

Officers and Directors Insurance Policy

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that it accept as information a report that the Executive Secretary has submitted two applications for additional coverage.

"Do's and Don'ts for Physicians"

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Alexander and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners approve the proposed "Do's and Don'ts for Physicians" with the Mr. Epps' suggested items 5 and 10 added to the section entitled Laws or Regulations.

Hometown Data Request

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board of Medical Examiners not approve this data request.

Supervision of EMS Personnel by Physician Assistants

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Daniel and seconded by Dr. Fitz that, in accordance with North Carolina General Statutes, a physician assistant may not issue orders to Emergency Medical Service personnel.

Carolina Pediatrics and Allergy of Rockingham County, P.A.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners approved this proposed corporation name.

Hopkins, Richard Glenn, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Godwin that, prior to taking further action, the Board of Medical Examiners require Dr. Hopkins to take and pass Component II of FLEX.

Shaftner, Kimberly, M.D.

The Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Fitz that the Board prepare a Consent Order for Dr. Shaftner's signature stating: the Board reprimands Dr. Shaftner for his abuse of controlled substances; the Board places Dr. Shaftner in a probationary status for a period of five years subject to the following conditions: (1) Dr. Shaftner shall faithfully perform his contract with Richard B. Rubin, M.D.; (2) Dr. Shaftner shall arrange for Dr. Rubin to provide to the Board quarterly reports on Dr. Shaftner's progress so long as Dr. Shaftner is performing his contract with Dr. Rubin or is otherwise under the care of Dr. Rubin, such reports being due by not later than the last day of the months of March, June, September and December of each year; (3) Dr. Shaftner shall consult with the Physicians Health and Effectiveness Committee of the North Carolina Medical Society at least once every six months during the period of his probation and arrange for the said Committee to provide to the Board a report on Dr. Shaftner within fifteen days after each such consultation; (4) Dr. Shaftner shall not use or consume any alcohol or controlled substance unless the same shall have been prescribed for him by another physician or dentist; (5) Dr. Shaftner shall be and remain of high moral character and shall violate no state or federal laws; (6) Should Dr. Shaftner determine to make any change in his practice arrangements, affiliation or employment, he shall first advise the Board and obtain the approval of the Board for any such change; and (7) Dr. Shaftner shall provide to a representative of the Board of Medical Examiners, within not more than six hours after demand is made therefor, a urine sample for drug screening purposes upon such frequency as the Board, in its discretion, may choose..

Overholtzer, Daniel Irvin, II, PA

The Board unanimously adopted a motion that the Attorney for the Board of Medical Examiners prepare a Consent Order containing a reprimand for failure to provide appropriate supervision to Daniel Irvin Overholtzer, II, PA; that the Consent Order specifically refer to Mr. Overholtzer's illegal issuance of a controlled substance prescription; that it also refer to Dr. Griggs' lack of supervision influencing Dr. Bobbit's decision to withdraw as Mr. Overholtzer's back-up supervising physician; and that the Attorney prepare this Consent Order for Dr. Griggs' signature.

Michaelis, Charles Edwin, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Citron and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners, in accordance with current statutory requirements, require Dr. Michaelis to take and pass FLEX Components I and II prior to considering his application for licensure.

Brinton, Floyd, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners rescind its previous action to prefer charges against Dr. Brinton. The Board also unanimously adopted a further motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners continue to monitor Dr. Brinton's practice activities.

Hughes, William Henry, M.D.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Citron and seconded by Dr. Daniel that the Board of Medical Examiners prefer charges against Dr. Hughes on the basis of North Carolina General Statute 90-14(3), Unprofessional Conduct, specifically providing a false response during an oral interview.

Emergency Medical Services Report

Dr. Daniel presented this report; and, based upon his recommendation, the Board of Medical Examiners unanimously adopted a motion to approve it.

Bee Sting Certifications Approved by the Board

Sixty-five

Emergency Medical Technicians-Intermediate Applications Approved by the Board

Fifty-five

Emergency Medical Technicians-Paramedic Applications Approved by the Board

Twelve

Mobile Intensive Care Nurse Applications Approved by the Board

Eighteen

Chelation Therapy Hearing

The President instructed that the Board and staff make arrangements to conduct this Hearing for whatever period of time may be necessary during the June, 1986, meeting.

Magee, Archibald Carter, M.D.

The Board's Attorney reported that Dr. Magee has appealed the Board's decision on his request for licensure reinstatement.

Guess, George, M.D.

The Board's Attorney reported that Dr. Guess has appealed the Order entered by the Board of Medical Examiners.

Heaphy, Leo, M.D.

The Board's Attorney reported that attempts to locate this physician have proven unsuccessful.

Baker, Herbert Marvin, M.D.

The Board's Attorney reported that this Hearing has been continued indefinitely.

Kej, Gyan, M.D.

The Board's Attorney reported that Dr. Kej has applied to the Maryland Program for evaluation.

Rogers, Charles Wilburn, M.D.

The Board's Attorney stated that the Board is now in a position to hold Dr. Rogers' Hearing.

Pronouncement of Death by Physician Assistants

The Board discussed that physician assistants may pronounce an individual dead if the death is expected. The Executive Secretary stated that he will research this matter and present a report to the Board.

March, 1987, Board Meeting

The Board adopted a motion that it hold this meeting at the Raleigh Hilton during the same time period as the March, 1986, meeting. Dr. Fitz abstained from this vote.

Chiropractors' Drawing Blood and Performing Urinalysis

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Fitz and seconded by Dr. Koontz that it is the opinion of the Board of Medical Examiners that drawing blood, performance of laboratory studies, and interpretation of these studies constitute the practice of medicine and fall within the scope of the Medical Practice Act.

DeVilla Medical Eye Center, P.A.

The Board unanimously adopted a motion made by Dr. Koontz and seconded by Dr. Duckett that the Board of Medical Examiners not approve this proposed name as it does not meet the statutory requirements.

Adjournment

The President of the Board of Medical Examiners declared this meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m., Saturday, March 14, 1986.

Charles H. Duckett, M.D.

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