

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS  
OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

The Velvet Cloak Inn and The North Carolina  
Medical Society Building  
Raleigh, North Carolina

December 3-6, 1973

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina met at The Velvet Cloak Inn and The North Carolina Medical Society Building in Raleigh, North Carolina, December 3-6, 1973, for the purpose of interviewing applicants for license by endorsement of credentials, administering the examination to applicants for license in North Carolina and other business.

Monday, December 3, 1973  
8:00 p.m.

The Board convened for business and reviewing credentials. Drs. Joseph W. Hooper, Jr., President, Charles B. Wilkerson, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer, Frank Edmondson, Bryant L. Galusha, Cornelius T. Partrick, E. Wilson Staub and Vernon W. Taylor, Jr. were present. Mr. Bryant D. Paris, Jr., Executive Secretary, Mrs. Betty Joe Cooke, and Mrs. Diane Freeman were present.

RE: Dr. G. J. Ashley, Sparta, N. C. -- Board reviewed file.

ACTION: Dr. Partrick moved that Dr. Ashley be requested to come to the January, 1974 Board meeting . Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed.

RE: Dr. David E. Graham, Charlotte, N. C. -- Board reviewed file.

ACTION: Dr. Edmondson moved that Dr. Graham be requested to appear before the Board at its January, 1974 meeting. Seconded by Dr. Partrick and duly passed.

RE: Reinstatement -- Biennial Registration --

The following physicians' licenses were suspended for failure to register as required by North Carolina General Statutes 90-15. They have now registered:

Henry Thomas Gunter, M.D.  
Bruce C. Horten, M.D.  
Frank W. McCune, M.D.

Bruce S. Keenan, M.D.  
Jerry Dean McKenzie, M.D.

ACTION: Dr. Taylor moved that if all fees and penalties have been paid, the above physicians be duly registered. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Abdullah Fattah, Greenville, N. C. -- Board reviewed Dr. Fattah's correspondence with the attorney for the Board and the President of the Board in regard to his use of "M.D." after his name, although he has not received this degree.

ACTION: Dr. Wilkerson moved that the Board of Medical Examiners inform Dr. Fattah that this Board does not confer degrees, but grants licenses to practice medicine in this state. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

RE: Revision of Application for Licenses by Endorsement of Credentials Form --

The Board reviewed Dr. Staub's previous motion at the October, 1973 Board meeting that citizenship requirements for license in North Carolina be deleted from the policies of the Board, which motion was tabled for further study at this meeting.

ACTION: Dr. Galusha moved that the citizenship requirements be retained as they stand now in the policies and rules and regulations of the Board for license in North Carolina and that same be retained on the application form. Seconded by Dr. Wilkerson and discussion followed. Following discussion, Dr. Galusha amended his motion to allow Canadian citizens to apply for license in North Carolina with no U.S. citizenship requirements. Amendment accepted by Dr. Wilkerson and motion carried.



RE: August, 1974 Board meeting -- Dr. Galusha moved that the Board meet in Winston-Salem, North Carolina at The Hyatt House if same looks appropriate to the Executive Secretary. Seconded by Dr. Partrick and motion carried by vote of five to one.

RE: October, 1974 Board meeting -- Previous motion made and carried at the October, 1973 meeting that the October, 1974 Board meeting be held at The Blockade Runner Motor Hotel, date to be set so as not to coincide with other medical meetings during that time. The President informed the Board that the most suitable week-end would be October 11-13, 1974 and same accepted as date for that meeting.

RE: Conversion of limited licenses to full licenses -- Dr. Partrick moved that all applicants for conversion of limited to full license be approved for same if all credentials are in order. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed. Those physicians are:

Dr. K. Hi-Park Kim

Dr. Patrick Thomas Regan

Dr. Partrick moved that the meeting be adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, December 4. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and duly passed.

Tuesday, December 4  
9:00 a.m.

RE: Dr. Horace Ethan Allen appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan in 1940 and is licensed in Minnesota, Michigan, Ohio.

Dr. Hooper: Dr. Allen plans to move to Black Mountain; what do you plan to do up there, doctor?

A: Sort of a semi-retired basis. I'll be doing part-time consultation work and thought I would get a license in the event of doing some work.

Q: What field are you in, Dr. Allen?

A: Internal medicine.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty, personally, with narcotics or alcohol or other habit forming drugs?

A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Horace E. Allen approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Nasser Agha Askary appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Gondi Shapoor University of Iran in 1966 and is licensed in Maine by FLEX in 1973.

Dr. Hooper: You plan to locate in Richmond County, doctor, doing Ob-Gyn? Will you be by yourself or in with someone?

A: No, sir, by myself in the county.

Q: Do you have your alien registration receipt card, sir?

A: Yes, sir.

Dr. Askary presented same, Number A 18 076 258, and the picture compared with the individual present.

Dr. Taylor: Where will you be in Richmond County?

A: Rockingham, sir.

Dr. Hooper: You do understand that until you obtain citizenship your license will be limited to a certain county where you will be practicing, but if you want to move, just let the Board's office know about it so an extension can be granted.

A: Yes, sir, I understand.

Q: Have you had any difficulty with a medical licensing board?

A. No

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime?

A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with narcotics, alcohol or other habit forming drugs?

A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Nasser A. Askary approved for license by endorsement, limited geographically until citizenship obtained.

RE: Dr. Henry Hornblower Atkins, II appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina in 1972 and is a diplomate of the National Board of Medical Examiners.

Dr. Hooper: Dr. Atkins is a resident in Family Practice at Chapel Hill and wishes a full license. Is your program for two years?

A: Three years, sir. And then I'll have my military service--don't know if I will settle in North Carolina though, yet.



Dr. Atkins, continued

- Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with a medical licensing board? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with narcotics, alcohol or other habit forming drugs? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Henry H. Atkins, II approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Thomas Berner appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Johns Hopkins University in 1968 and is licensed in Florida and Ohio and also holds National Board certification.

- Dr. Hooper: Dr. Berner is finishing a residency in Emergency Medicine in Ohio and is planning to go to Asheville in March, 1974. His application is complete.  
 Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with medical licensing boards? A. No, I haven't  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with alcohol, narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No, I haven't

VERDICT: Dr. Thomas Berner approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. James Atwood Brennan appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Vermont in 1971 and is a diplomate of the National Board.

- Dr. Galusha: Dr. Brennan is presently in the Army at Fort Bragg and wants to do some part-time work in the area. You do know what your file is lacking?  
 A: Yes, sir, one letter of recommendation, which should be here soon.  
 Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any personal problems with alcohol? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with medical licensing boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. James A. Brennan approved for license by endorsement if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (credentials completed)

RE: Dr. Bruce Rogers Brodie appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Washington University in 1970 and is a diplomate of the National Board and licensed in Florida.

- Dr. Hooper: Dr. Brodie is presently a cardiology resident at Chapel Hill and wishes a full license. How much longer will you be in training?  
 A: About another year and a half.  
 Q: Do you plan to remain in North Carolina?  
 A: We haven't decided yet, but do like the state.  
 Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol, narcotics or other habit forming drugs, personally, to excess? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Bruce R. Brodie approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. H. Gunther Bucheleres appeared on October 13, 1973 with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He was approved for license contingent upon satisfactory completion of those credentials, which has been done.

VERDICT: Dr. H. Gunther Bucheleres approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Dorryl Lee Buck, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Iowa in 1970 and is licensed in Iowa, Indiana and Pennsylvania.

- Dr. Hooper: Presently, Dr. Buck is a resident in Pathology at Chapel Hill and his application is complete. Do you plan to remain in North Carolina?  
 A: Can't say, sir, really. We haven't given it too much thought.  
 Q: How much time do you have left in training?  
 A: Well, I just started this year, and have four more years.  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever used narcotics, other habit forming drugs or alcohol to excess? A: I use alcohol somewhat.  
 Q: Has it ever interfered with your work? A. No, only use it socially.



Dr. Buck, continued

VERDICT: Dr. Dorryl L. Buck, Jr. approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Samuel Francis Burke, Jr. appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Georgia in 1972 and is licensed in Virginia by FLEX in 1973.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Burke is planning on working some week-ends at Elizabeth City, is that correct?

A: Yes, sir, I am in a residency program at Norfolk and would like to do some extra work here in North Carolina.

Dr. Galusha: You do know what is missing in your credentials?

A: Yes, I believe your secretary said it was a photo from my medical school.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Samuel F. Burke, Jr. approved for license if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (credentials completed)

RE: Dr. Edward Miles Burton appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Florida in 1971 and is licensed in Georgia by examination.

Dr. Hooper: Dr. Burton is in the Department of Pediatrics at Charlotte Memorial Hospital presently. His application is complete. Are you a resident there-- how much longer do you have?

A: Yes, sir, I'll be completed in June and am planning to locate in the Charlotte area after that.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. No

Q: Have you ever used alcohol, narcotics or other habit forming drugs personally, excessively? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Edward M. Burton approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. John Davis Butts, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Duke University in 1972 and is a diplomate of the National Board.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Butts holds a residency training license to Duke and is applying for a full license and his credentials are complete.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical examining board? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. John D. Butts approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Nancy J. Tribley Butts appeared applying for license by endorsement. She is a graduate of Duke University in 1972 and is a diplomate of the National Board.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Butts holds a training license to Duke--what department?

A: Psychiatry.

Q: And why do you wish a full license in North Carolina?

A: Well, I am a native of North Carolina and probably will be staying here to practice.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with medical licensing boards? A. None

Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Nancy J. T. Butts approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Harris Deitz Carpenter, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Georgia in 1970 and is licensed in Georgia by examination.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Carpenter holds a resident's training license to Charlotte Memorial Hospital and his credentials are complete.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No, sir



Dr. Carpenter, continued

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever had any difficulty with medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Harris D. Carpenter, Jr. approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Frederick Castrovinci appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials with incomplete application. He is a graduate of Columbia University in 1930 and is licensed in New York by examination.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Castrovinci plans to settle in Durham next year and he is a Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics and a Diplomate of the American Board of Pediatrics. Do you understand what is lacking in your file, doctor?

A: Yes, sir, I have talked with your secretary and she said a certified photograph from my medical school has not been returned yet.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any personal problems with alcohol? A. No, hardly ever drink.

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Frederick Castrovinci approved for license if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (credentials comp.)

RE: Dr. Kenneth Clayton Coffelt appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Northwestern University in 1938 and is licensed in Missouri and Mississippi.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Coffelt will be practicing in North Carolina and Virginia, I believe?

A: Yes, sir, I live in Martinsville and would like to do some limited work in Eden, North Carolina.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. Never

Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. Never have.

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical boards? A. No

Q: Have you ever had any personal problem with alcohol? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Kenneth C. Coffelt approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Michael Dortch Coleman appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Duke University in 1970 and is a diplomate of the National Board.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Coleman holds a training license at Duke and his credentials are all in order.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you had any problems with alcohol? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Michael D. Coleman approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Robert Clough Dix, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Jefferson Medical College in 1944 and is licensed in Pennsylvania, Florida and New Jersey.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Dix, what are your plans for practice in North Carolina?

A: I have a daughter at Duke and thought I would like to move down here and do some family practice within a year or so.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Dix' credentials are all in order.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Dix, have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, none

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Robert C. Dix, Jr. approved for license by endorsement

RE: Dr. Frances Caroline Driver appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. She is a graduate of the University of Rochester in 1968 and is a diplomate of the National Board.



Dr. Driver, continued

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Driver had a resident's training license to the University of North Carolina in psychiatry, is that correct?

A: Yes, sir, I maybe hope to practice here later.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with medical licensing boards? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you had any personal difficulty with alcohol? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Caroline F. Driver approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Donal Dunphy appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of Yale University in 1944 and is licensed in Connecticut, New York and Iowa.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Dunphy will be joining the faculty at the University in Chapel Hill next month, is that right?

A: Yes, sir, in Pediatrics.

Q: Do you know what is lacking in your credentials?

A: Yes, my letters of recommendation.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Donal Dunphy approved for license by endorsement if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (credentials comp.)

RE: Dr. Edward Blease Eadie appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Virginia in 1967 and is licensed in Virginia and Kentucky.

Dr. Edmondson: Dr. Eadie has accepted a position in Elizabeth City, is that right?

A: Yes, sir, I hope to start sometime next year soon.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, never

Q: Have you had any personal difficulty with alcohol? A. No, sir

Dr. Galusha: What is your field Dr. Eadie?

A: Urology.

VERDICT: Dr. Edward B. Eadie approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Frederick Robert Ellwanger, III appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Duke University in 1968 and is a diplomate of the National Board and is licensed in Massachusetts.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Ellwanger is now in the military and will be working in New Bern with the Headstart Program. His credentials are in order.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you had any personal problems with alcohol? A. I do drink socially.

Has it ever interfered with your work? A. No, never

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical boards? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Frederick R. Ellwanger, III approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Arthur Norman Feinberg appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of AlbertEinstein College of Medicine in 1970 and is licensed in New York by endorsement with National Boards.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Feinberg will be stationed at Camp Lejeune for about two years and will be doing some moonlighting?

A: Yes, sir, that's right.

Q: Do you know what is missing in your file?

A: Yes, sir, I believe a letter of recommendation and an inquiry from your office. I have the letter here now.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any personal difficulty with alcohol? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any state medical board? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Arthur N. Feinberg approved for license if and when his credentials completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (credentials completed)



RE: Dr. Earl Wilson Ferguson appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Texas in 1970 and is licensed in Texas by examination.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Ferguson is now at Duke in the Cardiovascular Division. His credentials are all complete.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any problems with any medical licensing boards? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. None

VERDICT: Dr. Earl W. Ferguson approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Karl Sinclair Franz appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Florida in 1972 and is licensed in Georgia in 1973.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Franz is currently at Charlotte Memorial in training and his credentials are complete with the payment of his fee here.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical boards? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Karl S. Franz approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. John Jackson Freeman appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Georgia in 1969 and is licensed in Georgia by examination.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Freeman plans to be practicing in Boone, shortly, is that right?

A: Yes, sir, right after my training is complete.

Dr. Galusha: I believe his credentials are now complete. Have you ever been convicted of a crime?

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess or had any problems? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. John J. Freeman approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Thomas Eliot Frothingham appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Harvard Medical School in 1951 and is licensed in Massachusetts, Louisiana, New York and Oregon.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Frothingham will be on the faculty at Duke, is that right?

A: Yes, sir, in Pediatrics.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any problems with narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. None

VERDICT: Dr. Thomas E. Frothingham approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Thaddeus Brawley Gaillard, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Howard University in 1971 and is licensed in Georgia and Michigan.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Gaillard, what are your plans for North Carolina?

A: Well, sir, I have a sister at Duke now, and I hope to settle in North Carolina and practice Ob-Gyn as soon as I can find a partner.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess, personally? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Thaddeus B. Gaillard, Jr. approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. David Martin Gebb appeared applying for license by endorsement with incomplete credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Miami in 1969 and is licensed in Florida by examination.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Gebb is currently a resident at Bowman Gray--what department?

A: Ob-Gyn, sir.

Q: Are you aware what is missing in your file?

A: Yes, I believe it is a photograph from my medical school.



Dr. Gebb, continued.

- Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir, I haven't  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. Never have  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical boards? A. No, sir  
 Dr. Edmondson: What are your plans for practice after training?  
 Q: I am thinking about practicing in the area around Asheville--about June, 1975.

Following Dr. Gebb's appearance, the Board discussed the grades obtained in his Florida written examination. Dr. Partrick moved that his grades be accepted, seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

VERDICT: Dr. David M. Gebb approved for license by endorsement if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (creds. comp.)

RE: Dr. Nitya Ranjan Ghatak appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Calcutta, India, and is licensed in the District of Columbia and New York.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Ghatak is board certified in Anatomic Pathology, and what are your plans now for North Carolina?

A: I will be an Associate Professor at Bowman Gray in the Pathology Department.

Dr. Ghatak presented his alien registration receipt card, No. A 13 921 606 and the picture compared with the individual present. He stated he would be naturalized the next day and would forward affidavit of same.

- Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Nitya R. Ghatak approved for license by endorsement, limited geographically until citizenship is obtained.

RE: Dr. Nabil Ghoneim appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Cairo, Egypt, in 1957 and is licensed in Connecticut by FLEX in 1971.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Ghoneim is Chief of Radiology at the VA Hospital in Fayetteville and he is a Board certified Radiologist. His application lacks several things; do you have any of these credentials with you, Dr. Ghoneim?

A: Yes, sir, I have brought all my original documents and a letter of recommendation.

Dr. Ghoneim presented his original diploma with other original documents pertaining to his medical education. He also presented his original license from Egypt with a photograph attached and photocopies of all documents and translations of those.

- Dr. Galusha: Your file now appears to be complete. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir  
 Dr. Edmondson: What is your citizenship status, Dr. Ghoneim?  
 A: I am a naturalized American citizen, sir.

VERDICT: Dr. Edmondson moved that the certified photograph from the medical school be waived and Dr. Ghoneim be approved for license by endorsement. Seconded by Dr. Partrick and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Frank Blackwell Glasscock appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Tennessee in 1967 and is licensed in Mississippi by examination.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Glascock plans on joining Dr. Morris in Gastonia in early 1974, is that right?

- A: Yes, sir in radiology.  
 Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. None

VERDICT: Dr. Frank B. Glascock approved for license by endorsement.



RE: Dr. Jack Alexander Goode appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of Meharry Medical College in 1972 and is licensed in Georgia by examination.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Goode is presently in the Army at Fort Bragg, and I believe he wants to do a little moonlighting?

A: Yes, sir, that's correct. My home is Greensboro and I will probably settle here after the service.

Q: Do you know what is lacking in your file?

A: Yes, sir, my letters of recommendation.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. None

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Jack A. Goode approved for license by endorsement if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (creds. comp.)

RE: Dr. Joe Wheeler Grisham appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Vanderbilt University in 1957 and is licensed in Tennessee and Missouri.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Grisham, what are your plans for practice here?

A: I will be the Chairman of the Department of Pathology at the University of North Carolina--as a matter of fact, I am there already.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. None

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Joe W. Grisham approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Camillo Thomas Gualtieri appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1969 and is licensed in Virginia, Mississippi, New York and California.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Gualtieri is presently in a residency program at Chapel Hill-- what department Dr. Gualtieri?

A: Psychiatry, sir.

Q: What are your plans for North Carolina?

A: Right now, I am planning to stay here and practice after my training.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. None

Q: Have you had any personal problems with alcohol? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Camillo T. Gualtieri approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Laura E. Thurston Gutman appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. She is a graduate of Stanford University in 1962 and is licensed in Washington by endorsement with the National Board.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Gutman is now an Assistant Professor in the Department of Pediatrics at Duke and her credentials are complete with the exception of the school seal on her photograph.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir, never

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any state licensing boards? A. No

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Partrick moved that the requirement of the medical school seal on the photograph be waived and Dr. Gutman be approved for license by endorsement. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Robert Allan Gutman appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Florida in 1962 and is licensed in Washington by endorsement with the National Board.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Gutman, what are your plans for practice here?

A: I am now at Duke and the VA in Durham and probably will continue on the faculty there.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. None

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any personal difficulty with alcohol? A. None

VERDICT: Dr. Robert A. Gutman approved for license by endorsement.



RE: Dr. J. Stewart Hagen appeared on October 13, 1973 applying for license by endorsement of credentials and was approved for same contingent upon satisfactory completion of those credentials, which has now been done.

VERDICT: Dr. J. Stewart Hagen approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. John Roger Hemphill appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Georgia in 1964 and is licensed in Georgia by examination in 1964.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Hemphill is planning to move to North Carolina sometime next year and probably practice in the Burnsville area, is that right?

A: Yes, sir.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. None

Q: Have you ever had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. I have not

VERDICT: Dr. John R. Hemphill approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Ardis Dee Hoven appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. She is a graduate of the University of Kentucky in 1970 and is licensed in Kentucky by examination in 1971.

Dr. Partrick: Dr. Hoven holds a resident's training license to UNC and her application is complete.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Ardis Dee Hoven approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Yong Hyen Hwang appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Pusan National University in Korea in 1965 and is licensed in Ohio in 1973.

Dr. Hwang presented his alien registration receipt card, No. A 18 652 481 and the photograph compared with the individual present.

Dr. Hooper: Dr. Hwang, what are your plans for North Carolina?

A: Well, I would like to practice in this state--am thinking about Southport, but not sure.

Q: You do understand that this Board will issue a license limited to the county where you will be practicing until you get your citizenship--that would be Brunswick County, where Southport is.

A: Yes, sir, I understand.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with alcohol, narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with a medical licensing board? A. No, sir

Dr. Taylor: When do you plan to go to Southport?

A: After I finish my contract in Ohio.

VERDICT: Dr. Yong H. Hwang granted license by endorsement, limited geographically until citizenship obtained.

RE: Dr. David Ascher Kessler appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Albany Medical College in 1971 and is licensed in New York by endorsement with the National Board.

Dr. Partrick: Dr. Kessler is a captain in the Army at Fort Bragg. You want to do some moonlighting, I guess?

A: Yes, sir, that's right.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. None

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. David A. Kessler approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Arthur Robert Killam appeared applying for license by endorsement with incomplete credentials. He is a graduate of Boston University in 1944 and is licensed in Massachusetts, New York and Texas.



Dr. Killam, continued

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Killam is now with the VA Hospital in Fayetteville and plans to make this his permanent residence.

Dr. Killam: Yes, I also will probably do some limited practice after I retire from the VA in a few years.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Killam lacks only one letter of recommendation.

A: Yes, sir, and that is on the way.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No

Q: Have you ever used any habit forming drugs, or alcohol to excess? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Arthur R. Killam approved for license by endorsement if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (creds.comp.)

RE: Dr. Stanley Marvin Kron appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the State University of New York in 1968 and is licensed in New York and New Jersey by endorsement with National Boards.

Dr. Partrick: Dr. Kron is in the military at Fayetteville, and I assume you want to do some extra work?

A: Yes, sir, that's correct.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, I have not

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any state medical boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Stanley Marvin Kron approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Chen Fah Lian appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Cambridge University in 1965 and is licensed in Illinois by FLEX and in New York by endorsement.

Dr. Partrick: Dr. Lian, do you have your alien registration receipt card?

A: Yes, sir, I have it here.

Dr. Lian presented same, No. A 19 365 457 and photograph compared favorably.

Dr. Partrick: Dr. Lian, what are your plans for practicing in North Carolina?

A: I will be working at Duke University in Durham, sir.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Lian approved for license by endorsement, limited geographically until citizenship obtained.

RE: Dr. Tu Lin appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the National Taiwan University in 1966 and is licensed in Rhode Island by FLEX in 1972.

Dr. Partrick: Dr. Lin is on the staff at the VA Hospital in Salisbury and his credentials are complete.

Dr. Galusha: Do you have your alien registration receipt card, Dr. Lin?

A: Yes, sir, I do.

Dr. Lin presented his card, No. A 17 721 076 and the photograph compared favorably.

Q: What is your field, Dr. Lin and what are your plans for North Carolina?

A: If I am approved, sir, I would like to practice in the Winston-Salem or Charlotte area. I am an endocrinologist.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. Never

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. Never

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. Never

VERDICT: Dr. Tu Lin approved for license by endorsement, limited geographically until citizenship obtained.

RE: Dr. Leonard Melvin Lister appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Maryland in 1951 and is licensed in Maryland by endorsement by the National Board.

Dr. Hooper: What is your field, Dr. Lister, and do you plan to move to North Carolina?



Dr. Lister, continued

- A: I am an internist and will be applant physician at DuPont near Brevard. I have already moved here.
- Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir
- Q: Have you ever had any difficulty with alcohol personally? A. None, I have used alcohol socially.
- Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. None
- Q: Have you had any personal difficulty with narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Leonard M. Lister approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Richard Edmund Luehrs appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Oregon in 1946 and is licensed in California and Virginia.

- Dr. Hooper: Dr. Luehrs is certified by the American Board of Preventive Medicine and plans to reside in North Carolina in 1976, is that right?
- A: Well, actually, it will be 1974 now. We have some property at Gaston Lake and sort of plan to practice between here and Virginia, too.
- Dr. Hooper: His application is complete. Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. None -- only the discussion with this Board about my examination.
- Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess, or personally used narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No
- Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Richard E. Luehrs approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Michael Lynn Mattern appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Maryland in 1971 and is licensed in Maryland by endorsement with National Boards.

- Dr. Partrick: Dr. Mattern is a resident at Bowman Gray in Orthopedic Surgery and his application is complete.
- Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, I have not
- Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No
- Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, never
- Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No
- Dr. Partrick: Do you plan to stay in North Carolina after your training?
- A: Well, I really haven't decided for sure, but we are thinking about it.

VERDICT: Dr. Michael L. Mattern approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Thomas Hislop McEachern appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan in 1972 and is licensed in Michigan by examination.

- Dr. Partrick: Dr. McEachern is moving to Hendersonville, or rather, is already there. You plan to do some work with the VA?
- A: Yes, that's right and work in some of the clinics, pediatrics, mostly.
- Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, I have not
- Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No
- Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, I do not
- Q: Have you had any difficulty with any state medical boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Thomas H. McEachern approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Jerrill Lee McEntire appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina in 1971 and is licensed in South Carolina by FLEX in 1973.

- Dr. Partrick: Dr. McEntire will be practicing in western North Carolina--Old Fort--in General Practice?
- A: Yes, sir, that's my home. I hope to begin sometime next month.
- Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No
- Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No, sir
- Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir
- Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. Yes, sir, in that I failed Part II of the North Carolina examination.

VERDICT: Dr. Jerrill Lee McEntire approved for license by endorsement.



RE: Dr. James O'Connell McNamara appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan in 1968 and is licensed in Michigan in 1969.

Dr. Staub: What are your plans for this full license. I believe you are in Neurology now at Duke?

A: Yes, I'm Chief Resident of Neurology. I am planning to stay in the state, and hoping to teach and do research.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical examining board? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with alcohol? A. No

Q: Have you had any problems with narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. James O'C. McNamara approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Joseph Francis Nicastro appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Marquette University in 1969 and is licensed in New York and is a diplomate of the National Board.

Dr. Staub: His credentials are complete. What are your plans for North Carolina?

A: I am a second year resident in Orthopedics at Bowman Gray right now and have three more years to go there. We have a home in Winston-Salem and hopefully will settle there.

Dr. Hooper: Have you had any difficulty with alcohol or narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No

Q: Have you ever been convicted of any crime? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Joseph F. Nicastro approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. George Louis Nichols appeared applying for license by endorsement with incomplete credentials. He is a graduate of Creighton University in 1963 and is licensed in Iowa and South Carolina.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Nichols is planning to be the Director of Adult Services at the Gaston County Mental Health Center and his credentials are now complete with this payment of the fee.

Dr. Hooper: When do you plan to go to work, Dr. Nichols?

A: I am now at the clinic and just waiting for this license?

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. None

Q: Have you ever used narcotics, or other habit forming drugs, personally or used alcohol to excess? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. George L. Nichols approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Richard Recher Nugent appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania in 1966 and is licensed in Pennsylvania, Vermont and New Hampshire.

Dr. Hooper: Dr. Nugent will be in graduate school at Chapel Hill and wants to do some part-time practice. We have no letters of recommendation on file, but all other credentials are here.

A: Yes, sir, the letters should be on the way and also my military discharge.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? a. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol, narcotics or habit forming drugs to excess? A. Alcohol, socially, only.

VERDICT: Dr. Richard R. Nugent approved for license by endorsement if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (creds. comp.)

RE: Dr. Edgar Eugene Perry appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Tennessee, Mississippi and holds a temporary license in Massachusetts.

Dr. Staub: Dr. Perry plans emergency room coverage--do you plan to do this in one area or what?

A: In the Asheville and Boone area in North Carolina.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with alcohol, narcotics or habit forming drugs personally? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Edgar E. Perry approved for license by endorsement.



RE: Dr. Gary Dayle Peterson appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Georgia in 1969 and is licensed in Georgia in 1970 by examination.

Dr. Staub: Dr. Peterson plans to practice in Fletcher, North Carolina and his application is complete. What type of practice are you in?

A: Pediatrics, sir.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess or had any difficulty with narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Gary D. Peterson approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Clive F. Possinger, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Loma Linda University in 1965 and is licensed in California and West Virginia and is also licensed in Canada.

Dr. Hooper: Where do you plan to locate, Dr. Possinger?

A: I am planning to practice in the Hendersonville area here. I will be working with a group there--a clinic.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, I have not

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess or had any difficulty with narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No, I have not

VERDICT: Dr. Clive F. Possinger, Jr. approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Hossein Pour-Hassani appeared applying for license by endorsement with incomplete credentials. He is a graduate of Oxford University in England in 1966 and is licensed in Michigan by FLEX in 1973.

Dr. Hooper: Do you have your alien registration receipt card, Dr.? Are you located now at the University in Chapel Hill?

A: Yes, sir.

Q: On the staff or in training?

A: I am a research fellow in Nephrology, sir.

Dr. Pour-Hassani presented his alien registration receipt card, No. A 30 422 297 and the picture compared favorably with the individual present.

Dr. Hooper: You do understand that until this long-term letter is received we cannot act on your license?

A: Yes, sir, it should be here in a few days.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess or personally used narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Hossein Pour-Hassani approved for license by endorsement, limited geographically until citizenship obtained, if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. (creds. comp.)

RE: Dr. Chacko Pulparampil appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Freiburg, West Germany in 1964 and has taken FLEX in Kentucky in 1973.

Dr. Hooper: Dr. Pulparampil took the FLEX examination in Kentucky but has not received a license in that state due to training requirements that he cannot meet for a period of time. At the present time he is at the Western N. C. Sanatorium in Black Mountain.

Dr. Pulparampil presented his alien registration receipt card when he obtained his resident's training license, No. A 19 586 310. You are applying for a full license at this time?

A: Yes, sir.

Q: You do understand that this license will be limited geographically until you obtain your American citizenship?

A: Yes, sir, but I would like to include three other counties in my limitation as I might practice some out of Buncombe County.

Dr. Hooper: Yes, sir, we'll add those. Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess or personally used narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No, sir



Dr. Pulparampil, continued

VERDICT: Dr. Chacko Pulparampil approved for license by endorsement limited geographically until citizenship obtained.

RE: Dr. Rayford Edwin Quinn appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the Medical University of South Carolina in 1971 and is licensed in South Carolina.

Dr. Staub: Dr. Quinn is planning to practice in the Bessemer City area--what sort of practice, Dr. Quinn?

A: General medicine--ambulatory out-patient mostly and some hospital work.

Dr. Hooper: Where are you now?

A: I have been in practice in Inman, South Carolina practicing in a partnership.

Q: What's your reason for moving?

A: I wanted to go into practice for myself and there are some family members in Bessemer City and the people there have been recruiting a physician as a doctor has just retired in that area.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime?

A. No, I haven't

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any licensing boards?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you used any habit forming drugs or alcohol or narcotics excessively?

A: No, none

VERDICT: Dr. Rayford E. Quinn approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. John P. Ritchey appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Oregon in 1965 and is licensed in Oregon and Florida.

Dr. Staub: Dr. Ritchey will be at Womack Army Hospital at Fort Bragg. Do you have any plans for staying in North Carolina?

A: I haven't made a really firm decision yet, but am considering that. I have three more years and then will retire.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever had any difficulty with any state medical board?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used any habit forming drugs personally or used alcohol to excess?

A. No

VERDICT: Dr. John P. Ritchey approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Joseph Sataloff appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Hahnemann Medical College in 1943 and is licensed in Pennsylvania by examination.

Dr. Staub: Dr. Sataloff will be a consultant at Burlington Industries here in North Carolina.

Dr. Hooper: When do you plan on moving to North Carolina?

A: In about a year or two.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess or personally used narcotics or other habit forming drugs?

A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Joseph Sataloff approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Milton Bruce Shields appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma in 1966 and is licensed in Oklahoma by examination in 1966.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Shields holds a residency training license now at Duke and is planning to stay in North Carolina?

A: Yes, sir, I am

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board?

A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess or personally used narcotics or barbiturates?

A. No, sir--I have

used alcohol on a social basis only.

VERDICT: Dr. Milton Bruce Shields approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Joan Kalaine Short appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. She is a graduate of Northwestern University in 1956 and is licensed in Louisiana and Pennsylvania.

Dr. Taylor: You are now planning to work at Western Carolina Center?

A: Yes, that's right, I'm in Morganton now.



Dr. Short, continued

- Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, I haven't  
 Q: Have you ever had any personal difficulty with alcohol, narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical license boards? A. No, I haven't

VERDICT: Dr. Joan K. Short approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Jimmy Louis Simon appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of California in 1955 and is licensed in California, Texas and Oklahoma.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Simon is planning to go to Bowman Gray in March, 1974 as a Professor and Chairman of the Department of Pediatrics. His credentials are all in order.

- Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, I have not  
 Q: Have you had any personal difficulty with alcohol, narcotics or other habit forming drugs? A. No, I have not  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, I have not

VERDICT: Dr. Jimmy L. Simon approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Dirk Jacobus Spruyt appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Rochester in 1954 and is licensed in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

Dr. Taylor: What are your plans for North Carolina, doctor?

A: I am teaching at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill in the Department of Health Administration and plan to continue there.

- Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates or excessively used alcohol? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Dirk J. Spruyt approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. David Charles Stephens appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the State University of New York in 1967 and is licensed in Michigan by endorsement with the National Boards in 1969.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Stephens is in the military now, and what are your plans for North Carolina?

A: Well, I may settle in North Carolina after my service--right now, I am planning to do a little extra work.

- Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever used habit forming drugs or narcotics personally or used alcohol excessively? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. David C. Stephens approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Philip Gregory Steude appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Kentucky in 1972 and is a diplomate of the National Board.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Steude is now a resident at Chapel Hill, and what are your plans for staying in North Carolina?

A: Well, I have about another two years in my program, and right now I'm trying to do some extra work and am investigating the Morehead-New Bern area for practice later.

- Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever used habit forming drugs personally, or used alcohol excessively? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Philip G. Steude approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Douglas Lynn Stringer appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the Medical College of Georgia in 1967 and is licensed in Georgia and Florida by examination.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Stringer has a training license at Bowman Gray in Neurosurgery. Do you plan now to stay in North Carolina?



Dr. Stringer, continued

A: Right now, it depends on what the neurosurgery situation looks like when I finish.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with alcohol or used narcotics or other habit forming drugs personally? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Douglas L. Stringer approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Vladimir Suci appeared with incomplete credentials applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of the Institute of Medicine in Bucharest in 1957 and is licensed in Virginia by FLEX in 1973.

Dr. Staub: Do you have your alien registration receipt card, and may we see it?

A: Yes, sir, I have it here.

Dr. Suci presented same, No: A 18 743 663 and the picture compared favorably.

Dr. Staub: We are unable to get his certified photograph from Romania, but we do have some photocopies of his diploma and grades.

A: Yes, sir, I presented all my original documents to your secretary in the office and she kept the photocopies.

Dr. Staub: We are waiting for the narcotics inquiry and the AMA inquiry only. What are your intentions for practice in North Carolina?

A: I will be practicing in a very nice place, that has no obstetrician or gynecologist, Sparta, N.C., and will live there.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir, never

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir, never

Q: Have you ever used alcohol, narcotics or other habit forming drugs excessively, personally? A. No, sir

Dr. Taylor: When are you planning to come to North Carolina?

A: As soon as possible.

VERDICT: Dr. Vladimir Suci approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Joseph Michael Teta appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of New York Medical College in 1938 and is licensed in New York and New Jersey.

Dr. Taylor: Dr. Teta is retiring now and we're trying to get him out of retirement at Roaring Gap and hope he can work some in that area. Dr. Teta is a family practitioner and his credentials are all complete.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used habit forming drugs or alcohol personally, excessively? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Joseph M. Teta approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Fred Burgess Thomas, Jr. appeared on October 13, 1973 applying for license by endorsement with incomplete credentials and was approved for same contingent upon satisfactory completion of those credentials, which has now been done.

VERDICT: Dr. Fred B. Thomas, Jr. approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. William Ralph Tschetter appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Northwestern University in 1970 and is licensed in South Dakota by examination in 1971.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Tschetter plans to do family practice in Greensboro--as a matter of fact, I believe you are already there?

A: Yes, sir, I am in the Family Practice Program at Moses Cone.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. William R. Tschetter approved for license by endorsement.



RE: Dr. Jeffrey Tulin-Silver appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Boston University in 1972 and is licensed in Connecticut by endorsement with National Boards.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Tulin-Silver will be a resident in the Department of Psychiatry at Duke this coming summer and his credentials are complete.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, I have not  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. Never

VERDICT: Dr. Jeffrey Tulin-Silver approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Henry Stephen M. Uhl appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Harvard Medical School in 1947 and is licensed in Michigan, Massachusetts, New York and Rhode Island.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Uhl will be the Director of Education for the Area Health Education Center in Asheville--that's connected with the University of North Carolina isn't it?

A: Yes, sir, that's correct.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. Never

VERDICT: Dr. Henry S. M. Uhl approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Luis O. Viamonte appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Havana in Cuba in 1934 and is licensed in Maryland by examination and in Georgia by endorsement.

Dr. Hooper: At the present time, Dr. Viamonte is the Acting Director of the Eastern Shore Hospital in Cambridge, Maryland and he plans to work at Broughton Hospital with the state. How long have you been in this country, Dr. Viamonte?

A: I left Cuba in 1965 and came to this country.

Q: Are you certified by the American Board of Psychiatry?

A: I am eligible, sir.

Dr. Viamonte presented his original diploma from the University of Havana Medical School, and various original certificates of his practice in psychiatry in Cuba and his naturalization certificate.

Dr. Hooper: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, no sir  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol or habit forming drugs to excess? A. Never, sir  
 Dr. Staub: Are you doing psychiatry practice only now?  
 A: Yes, but do some neurological examinations when necessary--my position at Eastern Shore is staff psychiatrist.

VERDICT: Dr. Luis O. Viamonte approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Joseph Aloysius Weingates, III appeared on October 13, 1973 applying for license by endorsement with incomplete credentials and was approved for same upon satisfactory completion of those credentials, which has now been done.

VERDICT: Dr. Joseph A. Weingates, III approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Claude Robert White appeared applying for license by endorsement. He is a graduate of the University of Kansas in 1958 and is licensed in Kansas by endorsement with National Boards.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. White is now at Fort Bragg and his application is complete.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir  
 Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No  
 Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No  
 Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No  
 Q: What are your plans for North Carolina, Dr. White?  
 A: I hope to do a little extra work while I'm here in the service.

VERDICT: Dr. Claude R. White approved for license by endorsement.



RE: Dr. Edward Norburn Willey appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan in 1958 and is licensed in Michigan, Florida and Georgia.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Willey, what are your plans for practicing in North Carolina?

A: Well, I am in Pathology and my family is here in North Carolina in Asheville and Southport, and I interned at Duke, and like the area, so I decided to move and practice here.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir, I have not

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No, I do not

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, sir

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, never

VERDICT: Dr. Edward N. Willey approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. Jeffrey Wellington Wilson appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Duke University in 1972 and is a diplomate of the National Board.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Wilson holds a resident's training license at Duke and his credentials are complete. What are your plans for North Carolina?

A: Well, I am going to be in the Navy, and then will return to Duke to finish my training.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you ever used narcotics or barbiturates personally? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, sir

VERDICT: Dr. Jeffrey W. Wilson approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. James Charles Woulfe appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of Northwestern University in 1948 and is licensed in Illinois and Florida.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Woulfe owns some property in Brevard and is planning to move there, is that right?

A: Yes, that's right, after several more years of practice in Florida, I would like to settle down here and practice some. We visit every year.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No, sir

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing board? A. None

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Woulfe, we don't have any indication about your military status.

A: I was in the service, and honorably discharged in 1953.

Q: What is your field, sir?

A: I am in General Surgery.

VERDICT: Dr. James C. Woulfe approved for license by endorsement.

RE: Dr. John Sheldon Wyman appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan in 1936 and is licensed in Michigan by examination in 1937.

Dr. Wilkerson: Dr. Wyman, have you been in Michigan since 1937?

A: Yes, sir, I have practiced there since I graduated.

Q: What are your plans for North Carolina?

A: I am planning on moving to North Carolina and would like to do a little work in my area, in the Hendersonville area, in emergency rooms, maybe full time for a while.

Q: What is your field?

A: I am a general practitioner and internal medicine and have worked in student medicine.

Dr. Galusha: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. None other than traffic violations.

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No, never

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No, I have not

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. John S. Wyman approved for license by endorsement.



RE: Dr. Thomas Edward Baldwin, Jr. appeared applying for license by endorsement of credentials. He is a graduate of the University of Tennessee in 1970 and is licensed in Tennessee and Virginia and California.

Dr. Galusha: Dr. Baldwin is at Duke University in the Family Practice program. Do you know what you need to complete your file, Dr. Baldwin?

A: Yes, sir, I believe it's a letter of recommendation and a photograph from my medical school.

Q: Have you ever been convicted of a crime? A. No

Q: Have you ever used alcohol to excess? A. No

Q: Have you ever personally used narcotics or barbiturates? A. No

Q: Have you had any difficulty with any medical licensing boards? A. No

VERDICT: Dr. Thomas E. Baldwin, Jr. approved for license by endorsement if and when his credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary.

RE: Licenses to be issued by endorsement of credentials -- Dr. Galusha moved that all applicants interviewed for license by endorsement of credentials by both groups of Board members be approved for license in North Carolina if their credentials are in order and complete. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

Dr. Taylor moved that all applicants interviewed for license by endorsement by both groups of Board members with incomplete credentials be approved for license by endorsement if and when their credentials are completed satisfactory to the Executive Secretary. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Harold R. Hoke, Charlotte, N. C. -- Board reviewed file.

ACTION: Dr. Taylor moved that the Board gather all information and evidence on Dr. Hoke relative to his practice of medicine and also gather all information possible from Georgia and South Carolina in regard to him and reconsider Dr. Hoke at the next meeting of the Board. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Edwin S. Mize, Jr., Charlotte, N. C. -- Dr. Galusha reported that Dr. Mize' trial had been held up in Charlotte due to a full court docket and that it is scheduled to be heard in U.S. District Court around the end of January, 1974.

RE: Extension of Certificate of Registration for Visiting Professors -- Request of Dr. Kinney at Duke University School of Medicine for Dr. Wiebe, a Visiting Professor holding the Certificate of Registration.

ACTION: Dr. Partrick moved that the physician requesting an extension of a Certificate of Registration be advised that this applicant cannot have his Certificate renewed and that this means of using this status was not the original intent of the action of the Board of Medical Examiners and that it be stated in the letter that this Certificate of Registration was granted with the understanding that it was for one year and would then terminate. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

Dr. Galusha moved that a last paragraph be added to the Certificate of Registration forwarded to Visiting Professors stating that this registration is for a period of one year and is not renewable. Seconded by Dr. Partrick and duly passed.

RE: DEA Registration for Visiting Professors holding Certificates of Registration --

The Board reviewed the process of applying for DEA registration by physicians, and in particular, a Visiting Professor's application for this registration. The Executive Secretary was instructed to inform the Drug Enforcement Administration, via the application forms that are sent to the Board's office for approval, that a Visiting Professor is not a holder of a North Carolina license as of that particular date.

RE: Audit -- The President appointed the Finance Committee for the fiscal year 1973-1974, consisting of Dr. Edmondson, Chairman, Dr. Staub and Dr. Wilkerson. The committee is to review the audit for the fiscal year 1972-1973 and report on same at the January, 1974 Board meeting.

RE: Application for Certificate of Registration -- Visiting Professor -- application complete for Dr. Anthony F. Cole, sponsored by the University of North Carolina School of Medicine. Dr. Galusha moved that Dr. Cole be approved for a Certificate of Registration as a Visiting Professor. Seconded by Dr. Wilkerson and duly passed.



RE: Dr. Merton Olson, Dr. Rex Lagrange and Dr. Horacio Pena, Clarkton, N.C. --

The attorney for the Board reported on his and the Executive Secretary's trip to Clarkton to investigate the report that Dr. Olson possibly was practicing medicine with Drs. LaGrange and Pena in Whiteville.

ACTION: Dr. Partrick moved that Dr. LaGrange and Dr. Pena be advised that the activities of Dr. Olson are illegal and should cease immediately, and that the letter be approved by the attorney for the Board. Seconded by Dr. Wilkerson and passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Joseph L. Johnson, Graham, N. C. -- appeared at request of Board.

ACTION: Dr. Galusha moved that the Board request that Dr. Johnson retire or relinquish his license, and assure the Board that he will, and if he will not agree to this, the Board take the legal steps to recall his license on the basis that the Board does not feel the public is safe under his medical management. Seconded by Dr. Staub and motion carried by vote of four for the motion and two abstaining from the vote.

RE: Dr. Elisha J. Cain, Goldsboro, N. C. -- appeared requesting reinstatement of full privileges for writing prescriptions for controlled substances and asking for full North Carolina license.

ACTION: Dr. Partrick moved that Dr. Cain's restriction to Wayne County Memorial Hospital on his license be removed upon proper payment of any fee due. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and duly passed.

ACTION: Dr. Wilkerson moved that Dr. Cain be given full privileges for writing prescriptions for controlled substances. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and passed unanimously. Dr. Cain advised of these actions by the Board.

RE: Dr. E. E. Marlowe, Gastonia, N. C. -- appeared at request of Board.

ACTION: Dr. Wilkerson moved that Dr. Marlowe be requested to turn in his Drug Enforcement Administration registration privileges for writing Schedule 2 controlled substances and that he re-apply for Schedules 3, 4 and 5 and that he be required to furnish evidence of same to this Board. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Ralph C. Reid, Pineville, N. C. -- appeared at request of Board.

ACTION: The Board instructed Dr. Reid to discontinue prescribing such a large amount of amphetamines and advised him that he would be monitored on this, and would be hearing from the Board again within six months.

RE: Dr. James R. Hughes, Kinston, N. C. -- appeared for routine interview.

ACTION: Dr. Partrick moved that Dr. Hughes' request for re-applying for full DEA privileges not be granted at this time in that the Board would like to wait and see how he does in private practice for about a year. Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed. Dr. Hughes so advised.

RE: Dr. J. R. Medlin, Garner, N. C. -- appeared for routine interview.

ACTION: The Board commended Dr. Medlin for his progress and advised him he would be seen at the June, 1974 Board meeting.

Tuesday, December 4  
6:30 p.m.

On Tuesday evening a testimonial dinner was held to honor Dr. Joseph J. Combs for his long and loyal service to the North Carolina Board of Medical Examiners as Secretary of the Board. Present at the dinner were Dr. and Mrs. Combs and their family and past and present Board members.

Wednesday, December 5  
9:00 a.m.

RE: Assistants to Physicians -- review of applications

RE: Dr. William Barry, Fayetteville, N. C. -- application complete for Charles R. Donau. Dr. Wilkerson moved that Mr. Donau be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.



RE: Dr. Francis M. Carroll, Chadbourn, N. C. -- application complete for Earle S. Maloway. Dr. Wilkerson moved that Mr. Maloway be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

RE: Dr. John W. Denham, Winston-Salem, N. C. -- application complete for Valerie Staples. Following discussion of the application for Ms. Staples and her duties and responsibilities in a clinical situation, Dr. Partrick moved that the application be approved. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Edwin P. Ewers, Warsaw, N. C. -- application complete for James T. Worley. Dr. Taylor moved that Mr. Worley be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Partrick and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Theodore J. Kocak, Charlotte, N. C. -- application complete for William E. Rogers. Dr. Taylor moved that the application not be approved for use of Mr. Rogers as an assistant to a physician and that the physician be advised that the application does not detail enough personal supervision for the assistant. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and discussion followed. Motion voted on and duly passed. The Executive Secretary was instructed to advise Dr. Kocak that he can re-submit the application in greater detail if he so desires and if he feels he can give the assistant adequate, capable supervision.

RE: Dr. Richard G. Lester, Durham, N. C. -- application complete for Robert Brooks Malone, Jr. Dr. Galusha moved that Mr. Malone be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Edward L. Oleen, Raleigh, N. C. -- application complete for Donna E. Patton. Dr. Staub moved that Ms. Patton be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Alonza D. Rice, Durham, N. C. -- application complete for Mary L. S. D'Errico. Dr. Staub moved that Ms. D'Errico be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Partrick and duly passed.

RE: Physician's Assistant -- addition to notification letter.

The Board instructed the Executive Secretary to add to the notification letter that is mailed to all physicians in regard to assistants to physicians' approval a statement that he, as the physician, is completely responsible for the assistant and all of his activities.

RE: Nurse Practitioner -- Dr. Partrick reviewed his latest discussions with the Board of Nursing in regard to approval of the Rules and Regulations for the Nurse Practitioner.

ACTION: Dr. Edmondson moved that the sub-committee's recommendation in regard to sending a letter to the Governor regarding the Board's progress with the Board of Nursing on Rules and Regulations for Nurse Practitioners be proceeded with, subject to advice and approval from the attorney for the Board. Seconded by Dr. Wilkerson and discussion followed. Substitute motion: Dr. Galusha moved that the Board adopt the Rules and Regulations set up for the Nurse Practitioner and notify the proper individuals that the Board will be accepting applications for the Nurse Practitioner under these Rules and Regulations as amended. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and duly passed unanimously.

ACTION: Dr. Partrick moved that Paragraph (f) of Section 1 under Rule III be deleted. Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed.

ACTION: Dr. Edmondson moved that the application fee be \$25.00 and re-registration fee be \$10.00. Seconded by Dr. Staub and discussion followed. Substitute motion: Dr. Galusha moved that the application fee be \$10.00 and the annual re-registration fee be \$10.00. Seconded by Dr. Partrick and carried by vote of 5 for and 1 opposed.

ACTION: Dr. Taylor moved that the University of North Carolina Program for Nurse Practitioners be approved as meeting the requirements of Rule II, Section 1, Paragraph (c). Seconded by Dr. Wilkerson and duly passed unanimously.

ACTION: Dr. Galusha moved that Dr. Partrick and the attorney for the Board be authorized to change the application blank if needed. Seconded by Dr. Wilkerson and duly passed unanimously.



Nurse Practitioner, continued

ACTION: Dr. Partrick moved that the President of the Board sign the letter informing the individuals of the Board's action in regard to the Nurse Practitioner. Seconded by Dr. Taylor and passed unanimously.

RE: October, 1974 Board meeting -- Dr. Taylor moved that the Executive Secretary and the President of the Board have the authority to set the dates for the October, 1974 Board meeting so as not to conflict with other meetings at the Blockade Runner Motor Hotel. Seconded by Dr. Edmondson and duly passed.

There being no further old or new business to come before the Board, Dr. Taylor moved that the meeting be adjourned. Seconded by Dr. Wilkerson and duly passed.

  
Secretary, NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

