

BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS
OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

The Pinehurst Hotel
Pinehurst, North Carolina
January 20-23, 1977

The Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina met at The Pinehurst Hotel, Pinehurst, North Carolina, January 20-23, 1977 for the purpose of interviewing applicants for license by endorsement of credentials and conducting other business.

Drs. Charles B. Wilkerson, Jr., President, J. Jerome Pence, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer, David S. Citron, Joyce H. Reynolds and E. Wilson Staub were present. Drs. Bruce B. Blackmon and Bryant L. Galusha were absent from the Thursday night session of the meeting, but were present for the rest of the meeting. Also present were Bryant D. Paris, Jr., Executive Secretary, Mrs. Betty Joe Barick, Mrs. Diane G. Freeman and Mr. Lee A. Denney, Investigator.

Thursday, January 20
5:00 p.m.

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

RE: Certification of FLEX examination grades for December, 1976 examination -- Dr. Citron moved that all applicants who took the December, 1976 examination for licensure in North Carolina and obtained a FLEX weighted average of 75 or higher be approved for license. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: January, 1978 Board meeting -- Dr. Pence moved that the Board meeting be held at the Pinehurst Hotel, Pinehurst, North Carolina on January 20-22, 1978. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

RE: Drug Enforcement Administration compliance/enforcement training seminar -- The Executive Secretary advised the Board that their investigator had been scheduled to attend the seminar, which was being held in Atlanta, Georgia, January 25-27. The Board received this as information.

RE: Physical Measurements, Inc. -- The Executive Secretary presented a letter from Dr. Raymond F. Bianchi, Charlotte, North Carolina, concerning the function of Physical Measurements as a data collection service for insurance medical reports. Dr. Citron moved this be received as information. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Vietnamese refugees -- citizenship status. The Board reviewed a letter from Dr. Nguyen T. Mai, Mercer, Pennsylvania regarding his citizenship status and procurement of the alien registration receipt card prior to his being able to take the FLEX examination in North Carolina for licensure. Dr. Pence moved that Dr. Mai be advised he must meet the requirements of the Board in his application for licensure. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

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

Henry M. Faris, Jr.
Gregory S. Georgiade

Robert L. Ilaria
Robert G. Martin

Paul J. Phillippi
Argil J. Wheelock
Stanley P. Urquhart

RE: Conversion -- limited to full license. The following physicians have applied for conversion of their geographically limited license to a full North Carolina license:

Paul J. Phillippi

Ezzatollah Rassekh

Kuthur V. Shankar

Dr. Citron moved that if all credentials are complete and in order, the above physicians' licenses be converted from limited to full. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Friday, January 21.



Friday, January 21
9:00 a.m.

RE: Joint subcommittee meeting -- Board of Nursing and Board of Medical Examiners. Drs. Pence, Citron and Reynolds attended the meeting of the subcommittee, report of which is on page 267 of these minutes.

11:00 a.m.

RE: Dr. Eugene R. Shanahan, Spring Lake, N.C. -- A hearing was held before the Board of Medical Examiners of the State of North Carolina upon and concerning charges and accusations preferred by the Board in the above matter at The Pinehurst Hotel, Pinehurst, North Carolina, on January 21, 1977, at which hearing Dr. Shanahan appeared in person and was represented by counsel, Mr. Carl A. Barrington, Jr. Following this hearing and the presentation of evidence, the Board found and concluded that based on the evidence presented, the facts stated in charges one, two and five are found to be true, and grounds exist for the revocation of his license to practice medicine. Upon motion duly made, seconded and passed unanimously, Dr. Shanahan's license to practice medicine in the State of North Carolina was revoked.

Meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Saturday, January 22.

Saturday, January 22
9:00 a.m.

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

Jerrey N. Ariail*	Jack H. Hutto, Jr.	Lanning R. Newell*
Robert M. Ball*	Stephen E. Johnson*	David A. Pack
Martin G. Begley	Arthur E. Jordan, Jr.*	John B. Parker
Tzu S. Chiang*	Kamlesh M. Kapur	David M. Peterson*
Juan J. A. Correa	Catherine H. Kassens	Edward P. Polack*
Josh D. Davis, Jr.*	Thomas E. Kirk	Joseph R. Pringle, Jr.*
Larry C. Dekle	Frederic P. Kosbab	Neil S. Prose*
Augustine J. D'Ercole	Thomas E. Kottke*	Putlur R. Reddy
Marlin L. Dimond*	Saul Kozolchyk	Sarala D. Reddy
Lisgar B. Eckardt	William C. Livingood	Ralph R. Robinson
Stanton B. Elias*	Charles R. Loehr	Wesley P. Sauter
Winston L. Elliston*	Mohamad A. Madani	Jaleh M. Shariat-Panahi
Theodore M. Feinblatt	Lakshminarayana Madasu	Stanley F. Sliwinski, Jr.
Ugo Goetzl	Richard A. Martorell	Harold P. Smith*
Armin M. Grossl	Don F. Marx	Michael W. Stannard
Mary G. Hammond*	Elmer B. Miller	James G. Telfer, Jr.*
Helen S. Haskell	Maurice F. Mullins	Roger D. Tims*
Charles W. Hof*	Mohamad S. Naderi	Jaime E. Trujillo-Zapata
William E. Howiler, Jr.	Bruce C. Neeley*	David E. Worland*
		Richard J. Zaino*

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

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

Billie F. Strother	Richard C. Finn
Geoffrey C. Kincaid	Kutas Dogan
Nicholas R. Jurich	

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

Edward B. Bower	Suresh Persad-Maharaj
Francis C. Hoare	Derek H. Spark
Shomendra K. Moitra	

Dr. Citron moved that the Board approve the applicants interviewed by the Executive Secretary who were applying for license by endorsement of credentials and who are graduates of medical schools within the past five years. Seconded by Dr. Blackmon and duly passed.



Interviews for license by endorsement, cont'd.

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

RE: Dr. Kenneth L. Sanders, Booklyn, New York -- Board reviewed Dr. Sanders' file and his request for consideration of license by endorsement of credentials although he does not hold the Standard Certificate of the ECFMG, which is a requirement for licensure in North Carolina. Dr. Galusha moved that Dr. Sanders be advised he does not meet the qualifications of the State of North Carolina in that he does hold the ECFMG Certificate and if and when he does, the Board will be glad to consider his application for licensure. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. John H. Cox, Winston-Salem, N.C. -- Dr. Wilkerson moved that the proper procedures be instituted to prefer charges against Dr. Cox, and he be so notified in writing, and be advised that he will be given a hearing on such charges that will be presented against him. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed unanimously.

RE: Dr. Karl L. Siebecker, Jr., Charlotte, N.C. -- Dr. Siebecker appeared at the December, 1976 Board meeting applying for license by endorsement, and action was delayed pending receipt of a report on his physical condition, which has now been received. Dr. Citron moved that Dr. Siebecker not be approved for license by endorsement in North Carolina. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Robert A. DaPrato, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. -- Board reviewed application for license by endorsement and requested reports from Dr. DaPrato's commanding officer and the medical school where he received his M.D. and San Francisco General Hospital where he terminated his internship. Dr. Citron moved that on the basis of his initial interview with the subcommittee of the Board, the Board withhold action on his application at this time, and have him re-appear for an interview with the full Board. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Albertus U. Stroupe, Mt. Holly, N.C. -- Board reviewed file, and Dr. Galusha's recommendation at the December, 1976 meeting that Dr. Stroupe not be charged by the Board, and the fact that he is now retired. Dr. Citron moved that the Board drop further consideration on Dr. Stroupe. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Susan Gustke, Raleigh, N.C. -- Dr. Gustke appeared to discuss with the Board the use of assistants to physicians at Dorothea Dix Hospital and some of the problems involved in their working arrangements. Dr. Gustke asked the Board for clarification as to the difference between in-hospital orders and prescriptions, and who could write for in-hospital orders, and also was requesting the Board's opinion regarding whether assistants could be approved to write orders for controlled substances under the hospital DEA number. The Board advised Dr. Gustke that ordering medications in a hospital situation is regulated by standing orders, which are submitted to the Board in the application for approval, which can be approved or disapproved by the Board, and that prescribing and ordering for in-patients are two separate matters. Dr. Gustke was asked to submit the standing orders to the Board for their review, and also to submit more detailed information regarding the controlled substances she was concerned about, and the supervision that would be provided the assistant who might be ordering controlled substances for a patient.

Meeting adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Sunday, January 23.

Sunday, January 23
9:00 a.m.

RE: Assistants to Physicians -- applications:

Dr. Rudy W. Barker, Durham, N.C. -- application complete for Laurie Wilson. Dr. Citron moved that Ms. Wilson be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. William Barry, Fayetteville, N.C. -- application complete for Sidney P. Wolinsky. Dr. Citron moved that Mr. Wolinsky be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. Edward H. Bishop, Chapel Hill, N.C. -- application complete for Marian E. Cranford. Dr. Citron moved that Ms. Cranford be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.



Assistants to physicians, applications, cont'd.

Dr. William F. Eckbert, Cramerton, N.C. -- application complete for Jasper C. Stowe, III. Dr. Pence moved that Mr. Stowe be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed.

Dr. Carlton D. Everhart, Westfield, N.C. -- application complete for Elizabeth A. McGurk. Dr. Pence moved that Ms. McGurk be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed.

RE: Dr. Frederick W. Glass, Winston-Salem, N.C. -- application complete for Douglas T. Whitney. Dr. Pence moved that Mr. Whitney be approved for use as an assistant to a physician.

Dr. Fred D. McQueen, Rockingham, N.C. -- application complete for David J. Crowell, Jr. Dr. Reynolds moved that Mr. Crowell be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Staub and duly passed.

Dr. James T. McRae, Winston-Salem, N.C. -- application complete for Virginia K. Shively. Dr. Reynolds moved that Ms. Shively be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. James J. Moylan, Durham, N.C. -- application complete for Bernard Kennedy. Dr. Reynolds moved that Mr. Kennedy be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. Stephen E. Okiye, Soul City, N.C. -- application complete for Ronald F. Parris. Dr. Staub moved that Mr. Parris be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed.

Dr. Hilliard Seigler, Durham, N.C. -- application complete for Mr. William H. Feyh. Dr. Staub moved that Mr. Feyh be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. John K. Southard, Winston-Salem, N.C. -- application complete for Ann G. Williams. Dr. Staub moved that Ms. Williams be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. Thomas W. Littlejohn, Winston-Salem, N.C. -- application complete for Betty H. Briggs. Dr. Citron moved that Ms. Briggs be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Pence and duly passed.

Dr. William T. Atkins, Windsor, N.C. -- application complete for Richard L. Woodard. Dr. Citron moved that Mr. Woodard be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed.

Dr. Donald H. Lomax, Salisbury, N.C. -- application complete for Vernon D. Bernhardt. Dr. Pence moved that Mr. Bernhardt be approved for use as an assistant to a physician. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

Dr. Floyd Deen, Jr., Wadesboro, N.C. -- request for expansion of duties for Gary W. Henry to work in a satellite clinic in Norwood, N.C., which is without any physician coverage at this time, for which Dr. Deen will continue to provide supervision. Dr. Pence moved that this request be approved. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Assistant to physician program: Catawba Valley Technical Institute. The Executive Secretary reported on the new program for assistants to physicians at Catawba Valley and the new programs at other county technical institutes which appear to be in the planning stages. The Board discussed this information and re-affirmed its policy of accepting applicants for consideration for approval as an assistant to a physician who are graduates of programs approved by the American Medical Association.

RE: Mr. Paul S. Toth, Assistant to Physician, Durham, N.C. -- The Board reviewed a letter received from Mr. Toth regarding education and training for assistants to physicians and requirements for approval of assistants. Dr. Galusha moved that Mr. Toth be invited to the Winston-Salem meeting to discuss this matter with the Board, but he be advised that the Board is on a very tight schedule, and if he could limit his remarks to about half an hour, it would be very helpful. Seconded by Dr. Reynolds and duly passed.



Registered nurses performing medical acts: subcommittee report: Dr. Pence reported that routine site visits will be made by the subcommittee to the various clinics employing registered nurses. He told the Board that the subcommittee had discussed changes in the application form, some of which have been made, and that the subcommittee also discussed an increase in the fee for a registered nurse applicant. This information will be discussed further at a later meeting. Dr. Citron moved that the Board approve the subcommittee report. Seconded by Dr. Galusha and duly passed.

Registered nurses performing medical acts -- applications:

Dr. Thomas E. Frothingham, Durham, N.C. -- application complete for Joanne Barton and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. David L. Ingram, Raleigh, N.C. -- application complete for Patricia B. Jackson and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Romeo H. Lewis, Clinton, N.C. -- application complete for Juanita A. Morrison and approved by subcommittee.

Dr. Marion H. Bertling, Greensboro, N.C. -- applications complete for Estelle S. Sheldon and Vashti F. Sugg, and approved by the subcommittee.

Dr. Pence moved that the Board approve the subcommittee's recommendations for approval of the applications. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

Dr. Lewis B. Hardison, Fayetteville, N.C. -- application considered for Beth T. Edwards and not approved. Ms. Edwards has not completed a formal training program to be certified as a registered nurse performing medical acts. Dr. Pence moved that the Board approve the subcommittee's action in denying approval for Ms. Edwards. Seconded by Dr. Citron and duly passed.

RE: Certification of December, 1976 FLEX grades -- list of applicants who passed the examination and received a North Carolina medical license:

William J. Adey	William B. Harden	Ramon Quinones
Sarwat W. Ahmad	Shankar N. Hittalmani	Yeddu B. R. P. Raju
Sabra J. Alderman	Lynn D. Ikenberry	John W. Rand
Cyril A. Allen	Ebenezer Israel	Robert L. Reddick
Michael L. Barringer	Ronnie S. Joyner	Gary H. Riggs
Clinton A. Briley, Jr.	Michael A. Karr	Fernando R. Ruiz
Eduardo A. Brugo	Frederick M. Kelvin	Geoffrey Sher
Chandana Chatterjee	Hiru D. Khianey	John K. Shill
Chia-Maou Chen	Jung-Ah C. Kim	Anwar A. Sinno
Hun T. Chung	Alan Klein	John P. Spencer
George Claus	Narayan R. Kulkarni	William W. Stead
Oscar S. Cunanan	Chung Ha Lee	Olivia D. Stinson
Leon D. Davis	Won-Shick Loh	Jeffrey B. Symmonds
William L. Douglas	Nelson M. Macatangay	Jacob Tasher
Sriranjini Eachempati	Bahman Malekpour	Bertram E. Walls
Steven J. Feagin	Martin J. Maloney	Richard H. Weisler
Zeinab S. Fetouh	Stephen R. Mitchell	Joseph L. Williams
Wayne D. Fogle	John B. Mullen	Philip B. Woodhall
Arthur L. Fritz	David A. Nagey	Frank Worlax
Roger N. Goodlin	Ramesh K. Nayyar	Ernest D. Younger
William G. Hamilton	James B. Patterson	Susan B. Yuson

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


 J. J. Pence, Jr., M.D., Secretary-Treasurer
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The Holiday Inn, West
The Winston Salem Hyatt House
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

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Drs. Charles B. Wilkerson, Jr., President,

