# STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF CORPORATIONS, BUSINESS, AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSING

#### STATE MEDICAL BOARD

# MINUTES OF MEETING August 14-15, 2014

By authority of AS 08.01.070(2) and in compliance with the provisions of AS 44.62, a regularly scheduled meeting of the Alaska State Medical Board was held on Thursday and Friday, August 14-15, 2014, in Juneau, Alaska.

#### Thursday, August 14, 2014

#### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by David A. Miller, MD, Chair, at 9:10 a.m.

#### **Roll Call**

Board members present:

David A. Miller, MD, Chair Cam Carlson, Public Member Sai-Ling Liu, DO Grant T. Roderer, MD Kevin Luppen, PA-C Kathleen Millar, Public Member David J. Powers, MD

Board member Elizabeth Kohnen, MD, was unable to attend the meeting.

#### Board staff present:

Debora Stovern, Executive Administrator Dawn K Hannasch, Licensing Examiner

#### Visitors present:

Donna Bellino, Licensing Examiner Board of Pharmacy Stacia Erkenbrack, Licensing Examiner Board of Dentist & Board of Veterinary Medicine Bob Carlson was present to observe

#### Agenda Item 1 Review Agenda

The Board reviewed the agenda; no changes were made.

#### Agenda Item 2 Board Business

#### Announcements

It was noted that Board member Dr. Elizabeth Kohnen is resigning from the Alaska Medical Board. The Board requests that a letter be sent in recognition for Dr. Kohnen's dedicated service to the Board. The



director of Boards and Commissions is actively seeking a new member. It is the recommendation of the Board that a surgeon and/or an orthopedist would be a helpful addition to the Board. Potential applicants may be directed to the office of Boards and Commissions.

#### **Ethics Reporting**

There were no ethics conflicts to report.

# **Agenda Item 3** CME Audits Updates and Actions

Ms. Stovern provided a status report for the continuing medical education (CME) audit from the last license renewal. She reported that there are currently 3 cases outstanding – two will be resolved with Board adoption of their agreements and one has been referred to the Divisions Paralegal. She also noted that the Division Paralegal will also resume the responsibility of handling outstanding CME audits during the next renewal period.

	Physicians	MICP	Total
Number of licenses selected for audit	172	22	194
Number of audited licenses not renewed	17	2	19
Number of licenses audited	155	20	175
Number of approved audits	146	15	161
Noncompliant audits requiring further action:	9	5	14
Noncompliant audits resolved by Board action	6	0	6
Noncompliant audits pending resolution	2	0	2
Noncompliant audits referred to Paralegal	1	1	2
Noncompliant audits otherwise outstanding	0	1	1

#### In the Matter of Case No. 2013-002186

The Board reviewed a proposed voluntary license surrender agreement with a licensee who failed to verify compliance with the continuing medical education requirements of the license renewal.

Upon a motion duly made by Ms. Millar, seconded by Mr. Luppen, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to adopt the voluntary surrender agreement, Case No. 2013-002186, signed by Mark Zimmerman, MD.

The adoption order was signed by the Chair.

#### In the Matter of Case No. #2014-001105

The Board reviewed a proposed consent agreement with a licensee who failed to verify compliance with the continuing medical education requirements of the license renewal. The agreement provides for sanctions consistent with Board disciplinary history and guidelines, including a reprimand, fine of \$3,500 (with \$1,000 suspended), a requirement to complete the deficient coursework, and a mandatory audit for the next two licensing renewals

Upon a motion duly made by Mrs. Carlson, seconded by Dr. Powers, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to adopt the consent agreement, Case No. 2014-001105, signed by Marie E Mandich, MD

The adoption order was signed by the Chair.

#### **Agenda Item 4 Board Actions**

#### In the Matter of Case No. 2014-001374

The Board reviewed a proposed agreement from an investigation of a licensee who failed to disclose other state licenses on a new license application. The agreement included imposition of a civil fine of \$1,000.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Ms. Millar, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to adopt the imposition of civil fine agreement, Case No. 2014-001374, signed by Robert Myers, MD

The adoption order was signed by the Chair.

#### In the Matter of Case No. 2014-001414

The Board reviewed a proposed agreement from an investigation of a licensee who failed to disclose other state licenses on a new license application. The agreement included imposition of a civil fine of \$1,000.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Ms. Millar, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to adopt the imposition of civil fine agreement, Case No. 2014-001414, signed by Wade Faerber, DO

The adoption order was signed by the Chair.

# In the Matter of Case No. 2014-001229

The Board reviewed a proposed agreement from an investigation of a licensee who failed to disclose other state licenses on a new license application. The agreement included imposition of a civil fine of \$1,000.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Ms. Millar, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

# RESOLVED to adopt the imposition of civil fine agreement, Case No. 2014-001229, signed by Daniel Rossi, DO.

The adoption order was signed by the Chair.

#### In the Matter of Case No. 2013-001463

The Board reviewed a proposed agreement from an investigation of a licensee who failed to disclose an Alaska investigation on a renewal application. The agreement included imposition of a civil fine of \$1,000.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Ms. Millar, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to accept the imposition of civil fine agreement, Case No. 2013-001463, signed by Collen Murphy, MD.

The adoption order was signed by the Chair.

#### Agenda Item 5 Investigative Unit

#### **Investigative Report**

Acting Chief Angela Birt, Senior Investigator Susan Winton, and Probation Monitor Jay Paff joined the meeting by teleconference. Ms. Winton reviewed the investigative report provided to the Board. The report included 9 open medical cases, 5 open physician assistant cases, and 17 closed cases and complaints.

Angela Birt, Acting Chief Investigator reported on investigative staffing. She noted that the unit needs to fill several open positions, including an additional investigator assigned to the Medical Board. The Division is restructuring the unit into two investigative groups, including a healthcare group and a non-healthcare group. The Division also hopes to employ a permanent Chief Investigator by the end of the month.

#### **Probation Report**

A current probation monitoring report was included in the board packet for further review. Investigator Paff reported that all individuals are currently in compliance with their agreements.

Upon a motion duly made by Mrs. Carlson, and seconded by Dr. Powers, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to enter into executive session in accordance with AS 44.62.310(c) for the purpose of discussing probation matters.

The Board entered executive session at 9:40 a.m.; Board staff remained for the session. The Board went back on the record at 9:50 a.m.

# **Agenda Item 6 Board Review of Requests/Issues**

The Board reviewed a Physician/Pharmacist Cooperative Practice renewal agreement submitted by Dr. Harold Johnston, including protocols for immunizations.

Upon a motion duly made by Ms. Millar, seconded by Dr. Powers, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

**RESOLVED** to approve the Physician/Pharmacist Cooperative Practice Agreement proposed by Dr. Harold Johnston.

#### Agenda Item 7 Malpractice Report Review

The Board reviewed malpractice reports, Case No. S-1500-CV-261611, Case No. 3AN-12-8406-CI(a), Case No. 3AN-12-8406-CI(b), Case No. "n/a", and Case No. "none."

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Ms. Millar, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to accept the malpractice reports, Case No. S-1500-CV-261611, Case No. 3AN-12-8406-CI(a), Case No. 3AN-12-8406-CI(b), Case No. "n/a", and Case No. "none," with no further action.

# Agenda Item 8 Full Board Interviews

#### James Pullano, MD

Dr. Pullano did not appear for his scheduled interview to discuss his application for a locum tenens permit with the Board. Upon the recommendation of a reviewing Board member, the permit had already been issued, subject to his appearance for a full Board interview to complete the application process.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Roderer, seconded by Mr. Luppen, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to enter into executive session in accordance with AS 44.62.310(c) for the purpose of discussing the application of Dr. James Pullano, MD.

The Board entered executive session at 10:10 a.m.; Board staff remained for the session. The Board went back on the record at 10:19 a.m.

Upon a motion duly made by Mrs. Carlson, seconded by Mr. Luppen, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to table the application of James Pullano, MD, pending a full Board interview.

# **Agenda Item 15 Administrative Businesses**

# Financial Report

The Board financial report was included in the Board packet for review, including data through the third quarter of Fiscal Year 2014, and the year-end report from last year. It was noted that the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 and the Division should have the year-end report, including direct and indirect detail, for review at the November meeting.

#### Executive Administrator's Report

The Executive Administrator's Report was included in the Board packet for review, including an update on the following:

- Outreach efforts Ms. Stovern corresponded with the Governor's office regarding the Board position on telemedicine legislation; she corresponded with legislators regarding Division issues; she attended the Alaska Healthcare Commission meeting; she attended a CLEAR webinar regarding regulatory practice audit tools; and she responded to AIM inquiries/polls by other state boards
- Participation activities of national organizations Ms. Stovern attended FSMB webinars (topics included new data query system, uniform application, USMLE changes, annual meeting information); she continues work with FSMB to implement Uniform Application; she attended American Telemedicine Association (ATA) videocasts (topics included status of proposed telemedicine legislation, state policy developments, healthcare reform, and the impact of telemedicine efforts); and she attended a CTeL webinar re: telehealth and e-health issues.
- Tracking of Board actions a report of the Board's 2014 third quarter actions was included.
- Tracking of licensing process statistics and a detailed spreadsheet covering processing of applications for the third quarter of 2014 was included.
- Status of CME Audit for the 2012 renewal, Ms. Stovern completed work on all noncompliant
  audits; two orders were presented to the Board for adoption, and the remaining audit has been
  referred to the Division Paralegal.
- Regulations projects Ms. Stovern will begin work on educational materials and applications to implement the recently adopted regulations regarding tribal health programs and military postgrad options; she will continue to provide the Board request for legislative assistance regarding statutory authority for delegation of routine duties; and she will continue work on board draft regulations for remote practice, and reporting requirements
- Board Policies and Procedures Ms. Stovern continues to revise and update the Board policies and
  procedures as changes are made; she updates and distributes the orientation manual to new Board
  members; and she regularly attends Division meetings regarding policies, mission, finances, and
  travel.

#### **Annual Report**

The Board's Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2014 was included in the Board packet for review.

Upon a motion duly made by Ms. Millar, seconded by Dr. Roderer, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

#### RESOLVED to accept the annual report, as presented.

The Board asked the Division to remove the sample language from the statistics report, as it is irrelevant and confusing.

Ms. Stovern reported that she had worked with the Division to correct the "double counting" of temporary permits. The Board had previously expressed their concern with this issue, since the licensing counts are used for calculating their proportion of shared costs. The statistics report still includes the information regarding temporary permits, but those numbers are not included in the number of total licenses issued. Ms. Stover also reported that she was working toward a method to simply convert temporary permits to permanent licenses upon approval by the Board, rather than issuing two licenses.

#### **Review Minutes**

The Board reviewed the minutes of their June 5-6, 2014 meeting. Mrs. Carlson had offered minor corrections for grammar and formatting.

Upon a motion duly made by Ms. Millar, seconded by Dr. Powers, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to approve the minutes of the June 5-6, 2014 meeting, as amended.

#### Meeting Scheduling

The Board confirmed the schedule for upcoming meetings:

- November 6-7, 2014 in Anchorage
- February 5-6, 2015 in Kodiak
- May 7-8, 2015 in Juneau
- August 6-7, 2015 in Nome
- November 5-6, 2015 in Anchorage

#### Agenda Item 13 Correspondence

The following correspondence was included in the Board packet for further review:

- 1) American Osteopathic Association newsletters (June and July editions)
- 2) International Association of Medical Regulatory Authorities (IAMRA) eNews (June 2014)
- 3) Alaska Healthcare Commission: 2014 Plans
- 4) Alaska Department of Health and Social Services news releases and bulletins

Mrs. Carlson commented on the immunization bulletin and asked about the increasing number of immunizations that are required for children. The physician members of the Board noted their

support of the immunization programs and reported on the resulting healthcare improvements they have seen. It was noted that physicians must work with their patients to establish an appropriate immunization schedule. The Board recommended the Center for Disease Control (CDC) for further information.

- 5) Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education(ACCME) announcements and annual report
- 6) American Telemedicine Association (ATA) updates

The Board discussed telemedicine and how to handle applications if the Governor signs the recently-passed telemedicine bill, House Bill 281. Mrs. Carlson reported that she discussed the Board's position with Governor Parnell.

The Board again agreed that they do not support licensing physicians for the type of telemedicine practice in the legislation, that this type of telemedicine is not the best practice of medicine and is not in the best interest of the public, and they do no not support lowering practice standards in the State of Alaska in order to promote telemedicine. The Board also expressed concern for other consequences of the bill, including disallowing current telemedicine practice and the requirement that the physician must by physically present in the state in order to practice telemedicine. This would pose a problem for Alaskan physicians that need to work with their established patients while traveling out of state.

If the bill becomes law, the Board will ask for legal guidance from the Office of the Attorney General to discuss their discretion in implementing its provision based on the language in the bill. The Board may also consider adopting practice standards and/or the FSMB model telemedicine policy in order to limit unsafe telemedicine practices.

#### **Agenda Item 14** Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) updates

The next annual meeting of the Federation of State Medical Boards (FSMB) is scheduled for April 22-25, 2015 in Dallas, TX. The Board will decide at their next meeting who will attend.

The following additional FSMB items were included in the Board packet for further review:

- 1) Regulatory Trends and Actions Report
- 2) Interstate Compact
  - NY Times article
  - Update from committee
- 3) Risk Evaluation and Mitigation Strategy activity
- 4) E-news (May through July editions)

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# **Recess for lunch**

The Board recessed for lunch at 11:40 a.m. The Board resumed the meeting at 1:20 p.m.

Board members present:

David A. Miller, MD, Chair Cam Carlson, Public Member Sai-Ling Liu, DO Grant T. Roderer, MD Kevin Luppen, PA-C Kathleen Millar, Public Member David J. Powers, MD

Board member Elizabeth Kohnen, MD, was unable to attend the meeting.

Board staff present:

Debora Stovern, Executive Administrator Dawn K Hannasch, Licensing Examiner

#### Agenda Item 8 Full Board Interviews

#### Katherine Kaplan MD

Dr. Kaplan was present to discuss her license application with the Board.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Roderer, seconded by Mr. Luppen, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to enter into executive session in accordance with AS 44.62.310(c) for the purpose of discussing the application of Dr. Kaplan.

The Board entered executive session at 1:27 p.m.; Board staff remained for the session. The Board went back on the record at 1:35 p.m.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Mr. Luppen, and approved by roll call vote, it was:

RESOLVED to grant an unrestricted Medical License to Katherine Kaplan MD.

#### **Roll Call Vote:**

Dr. Roderer-Yea

Kohnen-absent

Mr. Luppen-Yea

Ms. Millar-Yea

Dr. Powers-Yea

Dr. Liu-Yea

Mrs. Carlson-Yea

Dr. Miller-Yea

# Agenda item 12 Application Review

Board members reviewed license application files.

#### Agenda Item Public Comment Forum

There were no members of the public present to speak with the board.

#### **Agenda Item 9 Statues/Regulation Updates**

Investigator Susan Winton joined the meeting by teleconference.

# Status of adopted regulations

Assistant Attorney General Harriet Milks joined the meeting to discuss the Department of Law review of the tribal health program regulations that were adopted by the Board at their June meeting. At that time, the Board noted that their intent in drafting the regulations requiring Board recognition of a license exemption is to ensure that all patients in the State of Alaska, including those members of Tribal Health programs, are treated by competent health practitioners that meet professional standards. Alaska Natives are citizens of the State of Alaska, and the Board's mandate is to protect the public, including all citizens of the state. The Board has the right and the responsibility to ensure that those practicing under the federal licensing exemption qualify for that exemption. It was further noted that the regulations do not impact independent nations, which do have sovereignty.

The Board had an attorney from the Office of the Attorney General (AG) participate early on in the process of developing the regulations, and they were based on an AG opinion regarding the federal exemption. The AG opinion noted that state licensing boards still maintain the authority and responsibility for the practice of the exempt health care providers, because they are not federal employees; and they must either qualify for the exemption or comply with state licensing requirements. Also, state licensing boards may require proof of meeting the exemption provisions, and may cease recognizing the exemption if the other state license is suspended or revoked.

The Board had been advised that they must avoid creating a pseudo licensing program, which would undermine the federal exemption. The Board noted that their intention was not to undermine the exemption in any way, but to maintain authority over the practice of medicine in Alaska, as well as the protection of the public (as confirmed by the AG opinion). Patients of the tribal health programs are included in that public protection mandate. It is the Board's responsibility to ensure the competency of physicians, PAs, and MICPs before they may practice medicine in the state. Since tribal health programs are not authorized or qualified to take on those Board responsibilities, having the recognition process in place would simplify their credentialing process – their practitioners would either have a Board-recognized exemption, or would have a license issued by the Board.

The regulations also specify that an exempt practitioner is limited to the scope of practice for the state license under which they are practicing. Again, this would simplify the scope of practice issues for those tribal health programs that employ practitioners who are licensed for practice that is different from what

is allowed under an Alaska license. Further, in case of complaints or violations, having a record of the exempt practitioner would give investigators information on the practitioner and allow them to coordinate investigations and/or disciplinary actions with the other state Board.

Ms. Milks reported that the regulations had been reviewed in the Department of Law, and does not believe that the Board has the authority to require that a practitioner "apply" for recognition of the exemption. She noted that the Board does have the authority to require notification from an exempt practitioner practicing in the State and to show that they are qualified for the exemption. It was noted that facilities had previously provided a roster of their practitioners who had been working as employees of Indian Health Services and have been considered "exempt" under those previous licensing requirements. Ms. Milks suggested something similar for the current exemption.

Ms. Milks recommended that the Board withdraw that section of the regulations project and volunteered to work with the Board to draft appropriate regulations that would meet the Board's intent.

Upon a motion duly made by Dr. Powers, seconded by Dr. Liu, and approved by roll call vote, it was:

RESOLVED to withdraw the regulation 12 AAC 40.981 regarding tribal health program exemptions, for revision.

# **Roll Call Vote:**

Dr. Powers-Yea

Dr. Roderer-Yea

Kohnen-absent

Mr. Luppen-Yea

Ms. Millar-Yea

Mrs. Carlson-Yea

Dr. Liu-Yea

Dr. Miller-Yea

#### HB 281

The Board also asked Ms. Milks for guidance regarding the language in HB 281 regarding telemedicine practice. The bill uses the term "may not" and the Board wanted to know if that gives them discretion, since the term "shall not" was not used. Ms. Milks stated her belief that the terms are functionally the same, and recommended that the Board ask for specific guidance from the Department of Law once the bill becomes law.

The Board recessed at 3:50 p.m.

Friday, August 15, 2014

#### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by David Miller, MD, Chair at 9:00 a.m.

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#### **Roll Call**

Board members present:

David A. Miller, MD, Chair Cam Carlson, Public Member Grant T. Roderer, MD Sai-Ling Liu, DO Kevin Luppen, PA-C Kathleen Millar, Public Member David J. Powers, MD

Board member Elizabeth Kohnen, MD, was unable to attend the meeting.

Board staff present:

Debora Stovern, Executive Administrator Dawn K. Hannasch, Licensing Examiner

#### Agenda Item New Business

There was no new business for consideration.

# Agenda Item 9 Statues/Regulation Updates (continued)

# Status of adopted regulations

The Board met with Assistant Attorney General Harriet Milks during Thursday's meeting to discuss the regulations regarding tribal health program exemptions. The Board directed Ms. Stovern to work with Dr. Liu, Dr. Powers, and Ms. Milks on regulations establishing a "notice of exemption" plan instead of an application process.

#### <u>Draft regulations projects</u>

• Reporting requirements: The Board had previously been asked by investigators to clarify their intent for the unprofessional conduct item under Professional Regulation 12 AAC 40.967(26)(A) "failing to report to the board, no later than 30 days after the effective date of the action, any disciplinary action against the licensee taken by another licensing jurisdiction, health care entity, or law enforcement agency." Investigators were unclear about the reporting of an action taken by a law enforcement agency, since section (B) requires the reporting of a criminal conviction. The Board reviewed proposed language that would change that unprofessional conduct section by replacing "law enforcement agency" with "any charge of a criminal offense."

The Board discussed whether it would be necessary to define "criminal offense" and whether they would like reporting of all criminal charges, only felony criminal offense charges, or just those listed in Alaska Statute (AS) 08.64.326(a)(4). They directed Ms. Stovern to work with investigative staff to clarify further.

• Pain guidelines: The Board has been considering updating their guidelines on prescribing controlled substances, which were adopted in 1997 and are very basic. They may be interested in adopting the FSMB 2013 Pain Policy, either in guidelines or by regulation.

#### <u>Legislative information</u>

- HB 281 Telemedicine practice: The Board discussed this under agenda item 13 Correspondence, during Thursday's meeting. If the bill becomes law, the Board will ask for legal guidance from the Office of the Attorney General to discuss their discretion in implementing its provision based on the language in the bill. The Board may also consider adopting practice standards and/or the FSMB model telemedicine policy in order to limit unsafe telemedicine practices.
- Pharmacy Audit bills (HB 6 and SB 8) were referenced by visitors at the June meeting, although neither bill passed during the last legislative session. Copies of the bills were included in the Board packet for further review.
- Assistance with delegation authority: The Board had previously adopted regulations setting standards
  for delegation of routine duties to unlicensed assistive personnel. Upon review by the Department of
  Law, it was determined that a statute change is required in order to allow such delegation of routine
  duties. The Board determined to initiate a statute change, and has requested assistance from Senator
  Olsen and the Alaska State Medical Association. The change was not proposed during the last
  legislative session.

# **Agenda Item 11 Division Update**

Division Director Sara Chambers joined the meeting to discuss Board and Division matters. Ms. Chambers introduced the new Operations Manager, Colleen Kautz.

#### Ms. Chambers reported on the following items:

- Legislative Budget and Audit (LBA) Committee Ms. Chambers thanked Dr. Miller for sending a letter to the LBA Committee expressing Board concerns with financial, travel, and "license counting" issues. She reported that she has been participating regularly in the LBA meetings to report on Division progress with concerns raised in the 2011 special audit and during the hearing process on HB 187 during the last legislative session. They are specifically reviewing Division processes, travel, and fiscal matters.
- The Board financial report was included in the Board packet for review, including data through the third quarter of Fiscal Year 2014, and the year-end report from last year. Ms. Chambers reported that staff was working on the year end closeout and she expected that the final year-end report, including direct and indirect detail, would be available in the beginning of October. She will also be providing more information about indirect expenditures and how a "place holder" number is used in the quarterly reports, then is trued up at the year-end. She also reported that the Division is working to more accurately identify direct expenses and attribute them to the appropriate Boards and programs, rather than using the indirect expense line item as a "catch all."
- License fees the Division has completed a preliminary fee analysis for the upcoming license renewal and anticipates no license fee changes.
- Space standards the Division expects imminent changes in the Juneau offices, and future changes in the Anchorage offices. The Board had questions regarding the vendor used for the office remodeling; Ms. Chambers will check on that.
- Travel policy upcoming changes to the State travel policy will allow staff and Board members to accept direct travel arrangements from other organizations, and Board members will be able to have staff coordinate their travel for them, if they wish.
- Board training Ms. Chambers is working on the Board of CLEAR so she will soon be offering Board training with a focus on Alaska law and Board best practices. The Division will be updating the Board training and orientation manual.

- Board concern with the "double counting" of temporary permits the Division has corrected the issue for this fiscal year.
- Chief Investigator position the Division expects to fill the position soon.

Ms. Chamber encouraged Board members to call or email any time with questions or concerns. Dr. Miller thanked her for being responsive to the Board concerns and requests for information.

#### Agenda Item 12 License Application Review

Board members reviewed license application files. The Board declined to take action on the physician assistant application of Elaine E. Polk, pending her appearance for a full Board interview:

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Luppen, and seconded by Ms. Millar, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

# RESOLVED to approve the following physicians for licensure in Alaska, pending completion of their application file:

Amy Martha Backer

Sep Bady Ido Barkay

Alison Marguerite Beer

Will Andrew Bemben Brent David Benjamin

Jamie Louise Beversdorf Megan Brigit Blunda

Heather Lynn Books

Terra Marie Bowles Thomas Martin Boyle Robert Evan Cadoff

Larry Calvin Daugherty Anna Burkhead Edhegard

Edward Morgan Evans

Shannon Dawn Faber Kevin E. Gaskin

Christopher Glenn Christopher Bayer Gray

Charles Justin Haggerty

Susan Lotafi Lim Hayner Cortney Nicole Hess

Stephen Herbert Hooper

Thomas Tin Leung Hui Omar Anif Jaffer Evan John Jones

Camilla Esther Juhl Petersen

Elisabeth Marta Kuper Loren E. Laybourn

Richard Scott Lee Eric K. Lim

Paul Hanming Liu

John Benjamin Luck Dustin James McLemore Barbara Bendt Medlin

Panah Mehrabad

Graham Stephens Milam Kresimira Mariya Milas

Joseph James Morroni Kristin Joan Nierenberg

Sallie Lawler Redfern Richard Lowell Roberts

Richard Lowell Roberts
Cristin Marie Rolf

Robert Bruce Rosenberg Davut Johannes Savaser Elizabeth Kintner Schmidt

Daniel Martin Tieva

Susanne Kintner Vanderbilt Courtney Alana Hayashi Vickery

Ann Joy Vogt

Nanette Kathleen Wendel Donna Yvette Westlake Brian Richard Yablon Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Luppen, seconded by Mrs. Carlson, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to approve the following doctors of osteopathy for licensure in Alaska, pending completion of their application file:

Karen Sarah Barbosa Raymond Arthur Krueger Andre Joseph Butki Kevin Charles Paisley Billy Wade Carpenter Christina Marie Tuomi

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Luppen, seconded by Mrs. Carlson, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

**RESOLVED** to approve the following podiatrists for licensure in Alaska, pending completion of their application file:

David Scott Huntsman

Danny Hab Romman

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Luppen, seconded by Ms. Millar, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to approve the following physician assistants for licensure in Alaska, pending completion of their application file:

William Hubert Berki Robin Renee Moore Becky Marie Bloedow Morgan Merea Reed

Matthew Ryan Hicks Yvonne Michelle VanVeldhuisen

Amanda Leigh Loomis Linda S. Wenger

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Luppen, seconded by Mrs. Carlson, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED to approve the following mobile intensive care paramedics for licensure in Alaska, pending completion of their application file:

Jayson Andrew CooperCory Lee FaircloughJonathan Richard DavisRussell L. GreenElizabeth Nichole DoughertyCory Hunter Kelly

Upon a motion duly made by Mr. Luppen, seconded by Dr. Powers, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

RESOLVED approve the following applicants for licensure in Alaska subject to agreements adopted by the Board on August 14, 2014

Robert K. Myers, MD Wade Faerber, DO Daniel Rossi, DO Alaska State Medical Board August 14-15, 2014 Minutes Page **16** of **16** 

# **Adjournment**

There being no further business:

Upon a motion duly made by Mrs. Carlson, seconded by Mr. Luppen, and approved by unanimous consent, it was:

# RESOVLED to adjourn the meeting of the Alaska State Medical Board

The meeting was adjourned at 10:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted:	Approved:
S/ Debora Stovern, Executive Administrator Alaska State Medical Board	s/ David A. Miller, President Alaska State Medical Board
11/7/14 Date	11/7/14 Date